

The Observer.

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"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."
 We will not be responsible for the neglect of subscribers to notify us of changes in their address. Nor will the subscription of a Postmaster that the subscriber has "Removed" settle the bill of a delinquent.

Captain J. E. Norton has received a letter from the office of the state adjutant general in which is the information that the official name of the Home Guards will be Oregon Volunteer Guards and that the different regiments of the state will be numbered and the companies lettered.

The "Work or Fight" Bill

The enforcement of the "duty of every qualified citizen either to labor in a useful way or bear arms in the defense of his country" is the declared purpose of an amendment to the army appropriation bill presented by Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa. Mr. Cummins would cause a registration to be made of all male citizens of the United States between the ages of 18 and 45. Those accepted between 18 and 21 are not to be sent abroad at once, but will be provided with a uniform and assigned to some school for a course in military instruction. Mr. Cummins has so framed his amendment that every man's service will be utilized. Those physically fit and otherwise acceptable will be sent to active service in the field, while those rejected for the fighting forces will be assigned to other work necessary to the winning of the war.

School election for Moro district Monday resulted in the reelection of D. E. Stephens as director and F. E. Fortner as clerk. Finances were in very satisfactory condition, considering the building expense of the new building, there being a small amount of cash on hand.

Workmen for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company have been busy the past week setting poles and installing new apparatus preparatory to moving the phone office from the drug store to the Moro Trading Co. building. When finished Moro operatives will have a very complete office equipment with which to serve the public.

The county has finished a complete concrete bridge at the Hines place northwest of Moro, where Jess Landry poked the nose of his caterpillar when the bridge failed him last spring. This being a small span it was easy to use local material and do a good safe piece of work. The finished bridge has concrete railings and is cement white washed, making it easy for auto headlights to distinguish it in the dark.

Shipment of finished material from the Moro and Monkland Red Cross auxiliary last week included 13 pair socks, 2 sweaters, 5 pair pajamas, 23 helpless case shirts, 510 gauze compress size 8x4. The auxiliary was requested to furnish 50 dish wipers and 25 dish rags and 126 and 84 were forwarded.

E. R. Curfman, principal last year of the Grass Valley school, is spending his vacation at New Bridge, in Baker county.

Thursday, June 27, Dr. Freeze, the eye specialist, will be at Moro Hotel parlors all day. Free consultation to all. Headaches, eye aches, cross eyes, and other eye troubles given special attention. Careful examinations and correct lenses and mountings to suit every case. One day only. At Kent the 25th, Grass Valley the 26th, Wasco the 28th.

Mrs. T. E. Hulery now has three brothers in active military service, two in France. The last brother to enlist was Ralph, who had to submit to the removal of his tonsils before the examining board would pass him. He is now stationed at Camp Humphreys, Virginia, in the engineer division. Her brothers Charles and Homer, now in France, write that both are gaining rapidly in weight and have discovered that things to eat in that country are remarkably easy to secure and cheap.

An auto party with two cars left Moro last week for Seattle, Camp Lewis, and other points of interest on the Sound. In one car were R. C. Byers, Mrs. Byers, Miss Mabel, and Arthur Christiansen; in the other car were Henry Erickson and sister, a merchant at Dufur. The party intended to travel by way of Arlington, Cleveland and the Snoqualmie pass, returning by way of the Highway. They have rented a cottage on an island in the Sound and will use that as headquarters for short trips to points of interest.

Cards have been received announcing the graduation of Miss Cecile L. Moore with the June class of St. Vincent Hospital nurses on the 19th. To earn this honor a graduate must have strength of character and a strong will to succeed in her chosen vocation to complete the three years prescribed course. The years are filled with exacting work, some times tiresome and always hard, but the reward on commencement day of knowing that is all past is worth the effort while the self discipline learned during the progress of the course of study is a heritage for the years to come.

Moro girls of the 'teen age who attended the Older Girls Conference at Heppner the first of the month all report a most successful meeting. There were seven girls attending from Moro, accompanied by Mrs. Muir and Mrs. Bryant, all of whom took an active part in the work of the conference. Miss Faith Ginn, of Moro, was again elected president of the conference. The purpose of the conference was to stimulate and hold more interest of the older young people in the work of the Sunday School and eventually that of the church. It is not a denominational work, but all schools can work with the conference.

Leslie Strahl was discharged at Fort McDowell, California, from the national army service because of poor eyesight. The trip cost the government more than \$114 and is money thrown away as it was known he had been turned down a number of times by examining boards because of defective eyesight. Now he is told that he must be prepared to report at Camp Lewis in the near future, at an additional governmental expense, when it is known in advance that his chance for acceptance is extremely limited. But, the government has the money to pay the bills.

Second Army Draft

Oregon's net remaining quota to be raised in the second draft is 5458 men. Official announcement of this figure has been made from the War Department at Washington.

In the first draft, Oregon's net quota was 717 men. Since the filling of this quota, the state has furnished in various draft calls a total of 3861 men. The announcement from Washington states that all those men will be credited against the state's gross quota on the second draft of 9,319 men, leaving a net quota still to be raised of 5,458 men.

These men will not be called out all at one time, but will be inducted into service as calls are received from Washington for draft increments of various sizes. At the rate inductions are now being made, however, it will not be long before they are all inducted into the service.

Sherman county is listed for 34 men to complete the quota for this second draft.

County Commissioner E. D. McKee was a visitor at this office last week on his return to Wasco from a circle trip of inspection of the roads and bridges west and north of Moro. He reported that the concrete bridge at the Root farm is finished, although not as intended at first by the county. Because of government embargo on sand and gravel the quality of that material could not be had that was necessary to finish a complete concrete job, so the deck has been planked and an iron railing installed until after the war. The abutments and footings have been made with local gravel and sand, is plenty strong for the complete bridge when finished, but this material will not carry a truss load because of impurities in the material.

For Sale

Will sell very cheap. Threshing outfit consisting of Russell traction 25-h.p. engine, Pride of Washington separator, all complete with Straw Cart, Derrick Table, Long Feeder, etc. In good condition. Now located on the L. L. Peetz ranch near Moro.

Will sell entire outfit for less than one-half the price of new engine. Inquire for the price and terms of Walther-Williams Co., The Dalles, Oregon.

Reward for Return

Of my big yellow Scotch collie dog. Left home the night of the thunder storm. Phone Tom Fraser, Moro

Cow for Sale

An A No. 1 Jersey milk cow Gives a uniform supply of milk the year round. Inquire at Nash ranch or phone Chas Ballard, 3jn21 Monkland, Oregon

Fresh Cow and Calf

Two or three fresh cows, with or without the calf, for sale to one or more parties. Phone or call. 3jn21 R. P. Hulse, Moro

Photo Work to Order

Moving pictures or stationary subjects; threshing scenes, etc., at just a little above cost with a U. S. Cinematograph machine. For prices see I. O. Thompson, 11 je7 Monkland, Oregon

Berries for Sale

Clarke strawberries, Logans, Black Caps, and Lawton blackberries. W. R. Woodworth, box 97 Estacada, Ore

Estray Notice of Sale

Come to our place, near the Spaulding chapel, in Sherman county, a red cow with white face on or about January 10th. Said cow has a third circle brand on left shoulder and a combination brand, on left middle side, made by a T with an O on bottom of letter T with bar underneath. The owner or owners of the above described animal is hereby notified to call for it, prove property, pay charges, and take it away. Otherwise, it will be sold as provided by law, at the farm named in this advertisement, to the highest bidder for cash in hand at 12 o'clock noon Saturday, June 29, 1918. Richmond & Deal, Monkland, Oregon

Moro Transfer Company

Jim Tomlin, proprietor
 City Draying, Express, Freight, any hauling attended to promptly
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Harvester for Sale

Combine harvester, 12 foot, and hitch, now ready for the field, for sale reasonable. Bankable note taken. Phone, call or write. Ira K. Axtell, Moro, 3j7

Wheat Farms Wanted

Good, clear property to offer as part payment on wheat farms. Send us particulars if you want to sell or trade. Luddeman & Co., 913 Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon.

Headers for Sale

One 12-foot and one 14-foot 2d hand McCormick header. See Ginn, Coleman & Co., Moro.

Undertaking Supplies

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

Reward for Return of Stray

Strayed away from the Chas. Benefield's pasture on the Edw. Everett ranch near Biglow, Sherman county, some time during April, five mares description as follows:

Five year old bay mare, star in face, two hind feet white, wire cut in both hock joints, weight 1150, branded W on left stifle.

Nine year old bay mare, small white spot in face, weight 1250, branded 7 on right shoulder should have colt six weeks old by her side.

Three year old black filly, wire cut on left arm, branded lazy D on left shoulder.

Six year old bay mare, strip in face, weight 1300, left hind foot white above fetlock, branded lazy D on left shoulder, may have suckling colt.

Seven year old bay mare, star in face, weight 1150, white right eye, branded lazy D on left shoulder.

Will pay reward of \$10 each for their return to Benefield's pasture or will pay a suitable reward for information leading to their recovery. Notify Benefield at the ranch or W. G. McDonald at the McDonald ferry. R. A. Wallis, owner, 217 East 82d street N., Portland, Oregon.

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