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FRIDAY, August 8, 1919

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. VIVIAN ORNDORF, Worthy Matron. ROY KUNSMAN, Secretary.

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. W. H. RAGSDALE, Secretary.

Mrs. McClelland has been quite sick the past week with tonsillitis.

N. P. Hansen and family are visiting in Moro from Portland.

Remember Mullikin, the harness man, is now at Wasco. Call and see him.

The James Mitchell residence property has been sold to R. B. Lusk.

Miss Jessie Hoskinson returned Saturday from O. A. C. summer school.

Get the habit—patronize the Moro Dray and save money. C. L. Montgomery. a812

O. L. Belshee and family have returned from Camp Sherman for a brief home visit.

S. D. Montgomery is up from Sifton, Wash., enjoying the harvest season at the L. V. Moore farm.

Sheriff Buxton and wife left Saturday for a short visit with relatives and friends at Forest Grove, Portland and Salem.

Prompt service, courteous treatment, reasonable charges; my motto for the Moro Dray. C. L. Montgomery. a813

It is said in realty circles that the O. W. Axtell residence property changed hands this week, the purchaser being J. M. Axtell.

Orders for canning peaches, pears and grapes will be taken for delivery at Moro or at the orchard. George Fox, Early, Ore. Phone 38F31. a912*

C. L. Montgomery says he will do hauling of every kind and it is no trouble to stop hay hauling for dray work. a813

Now is the time to order canning peaches. Freestone peaches are now in at the Fleck Orchard Moro store. Phone or call and place your order early.

R. B. Richmond and wife from Portland were visiting during the week at the home of his brother, C. C. Richmond, stopping for a few days on their way to Grater Lake.

A 6000 mile guarantee against punctures when you use Marvel Tire Life. A liquid, but not a filler. Marvel Tire Life allows the use of air in tubes. Seals any puncture up to a 20-penny nail hole, while you ride. Absolutely no injury to tubes. DeMoss & Yancy, Wasco, county agts. ift.

The Fleck Orchard truck makes regular trips to Moro each Tuesday and Friday. Orders placed the previous day will be filled in rotation on the next trip out.

Postmaster Parry received word this week from his nephew, Arthur Page, now living in Harney county, that their baby boy was accidentally killed this week in an auto mishap.

The contracting firm of Hedges & Huls have finished building a concrete garage at Fossil and are now moving their plant to Bickleton, Wash., where they have a contract to build a \$9000 reinforced concrete garage in that city.

Miss Ina McKeown, sister to Miss Nellie McKeown, deputy county clerk, has been visiting in Moro this week from Portland. Miss McKeown has just returned from France, where she was a member of the national army clerical division.

C. L. Montgomery has had a new floor and side rails built onto the wagon bed of his Moro dray and blossomed out Monday with the dray painted a neat two-coat job and his name and business added in letters that can now be read a block distant.

A dandy mess of sweet corn was enjoyed at dinner on Tuesday of this week by the editor and his family, a gift from S. P. Brisbin. Mr. Brisbin stated that his good wife and himself had been using the corn from their garden for the last three weeks, having planted an early variety adapted to this county.

The postal department has authorized the discontinuance of the post office at DeMoss August 15. All mail for that office will be forwarded to Moro until patrons make other arrangements. This is the third postoffice to be discontinued in Sherman county within the last few weeks—Monkland, Early and now DeMoss.

Materials are now being assembled by Hedges & Huls for work on the Grass Valley school addition, estimated cost of which is \$16,000. Actual construction work will begin this week. H. J. Huls, recently returned from army service overseas and formerly associated with the firm for some years will be in charge of the work.

Lester R. Conlee, brother of Howard Conlee residing in the Monkland district, has been appointed manager of the Citizens' Commercial Co. at Grass Valley to succeed L. W. Baker who died last week from lockjaw. Mr. Conlee the past few years has been an employe of the store in charge of the dry goods department.

A family dinner party was held Sunday afternoon at the F. E. Fagan home this city, four families being present. Those present were A. M. Young wife and daughter Naomi, parents and sister to Mrs. Fagan; Mrs. Mayme Watkins, sister to Mrs. Fagan and her children; and Mr. Fagan's brother and his family from The Dalles.

The comforts and pleasure of the Columbia river swimming beach at Rufus enticed an auto party from Moro Wednesday of this week. The six in the party were Mrs. J. E. Coleman, Mrs. J. F. Holmes and the Misses Ina and Nellie McKeown and Eunice Coleman. A lunch was taken by the party and a thoroughly enjoyable good time was had.

George G. Smith was over from Ajax, Gilliam county, Tuesday of this week trying to find someone to haul his wheat to Condon. This wheat would come to Hay Canyon if the Sherman county fill at the Cottonwood bridge was put in condition. He says there is a six-inch drop off the bridge to the road and that the fill is too narrow for a six-horse team to make the turn off the bridge. This was the condition of affairs two years ago; since then nothing has been done to improve the road.

Miss Helen Whalley and Benson Whalley, brother and sister to Mrs. Otto Peetz, who have been visiting in Moro, left Saturday for their home at Portland. Benson Whalley has but recently been discharged from the national army service altho not having seen duty overseas. The signing of the armistice found him and his contingent moving into the tents, at one of the Eastern army

camps, just vacated by his brother and his contingent who were then on the water bound for overseas duty. The odd part of the experience was in Benson finding that he was assigned to the identical tent his brother had used.

W. A. Woods is a visitor this week from near LaGrande, where he has large sheep interests. Speaking of former residents of Sherman county living in that Section of Oregon, Mr. Woods says that G. P. Higginbotham has sold his holdings near North Powder and moved to his farm near Echo, and Dr. Ray W. Logan has again resumed the practice of his profession and is considered one of the best physicians in that section. When Dr. Logan moved to LaGrande he became interested in the real estate business and discontinued the practice of his profession.

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

Owner Wanted

For stray bay gelding, about three years old; has white star in forehead and both hind feet white; no visible brands; came to my place about three weeks ago. Owner requested to call for same, pay for this adv. and take him away. D. J. McLachlan, 31a1 Moro, Ore.

For Sale

1560 acres fine wheat land in Gilliam county, Oregon. Fair buildings; good well; mostly north slope; about 1250 acres seeded this season. A wonderful buy at this price of \$25 per acre for the tillable land and \$8 per acre for the balance if sold soon; investigate. Owner, H. J. Seck, 505 Weidler St., Portland, Ore. a1-2t Phone East 4767.

Big Bargain

320 acres, 300 in wheat; good house; plenty water. Price \$50 per acre. At this price all the crop and 425 acres good summer fallow goes with place. The place is in good location, 1 1/2 mile from school. Place all high tight fence. Must be sold in 20 days. Alex. Hunter, Moro, Ore. jun27t

Lost, Strayed or Stolen

One black yearling mare, white face, four black legs and feet, chunky built. One light bay yearling, horse white stripe in face, rangy built. Reward for information or return. Tom H. Fraser, Moro, Ore. 3t-jun27

Bucks for Sale

Twelve head Romney Marsh bucks, yearlings past, for sale very reasonable. Extra long wool; very large size mutton sheep. Can be seen any time at my home ranch. E. W. Mason, 31y11 Moro, Ore.

Undertaking

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

Board of Equalization

Notice—There will be a meeting of the County Board of Equalization for Sherman County, Oregon, at the court house in Moro on the second Monday in September, that being the 8th day of September, 1919, to publicly examine the Assessment Rolls, correct all errors in valuation, description of lands, lots or other property assessed by me. All petitions must be made in writing and verified by oath of the applicant and filed with the Board within 15 days from the time it is by law required to meet. OTTO PEETZ, County Assessor. 3-a8ep15

STATEMENT

Of the Bank of Moro, of Moro, county of Sherman, state of Oregon, showing the amount standing to the credit of every depositor July 1, 1919, who has not made a deposit, or who has not withdrawn any part of his deposit (commercial deposits), principal or interest, for a period of more than seven (7) years immediately prior to said date, with the name, last known place of residence or postoffice address of such depositor, and the fact of his death, if known.

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| Moro Land Co. | Moro, Oregon | 27 02 |
| Ass Hoover | Moro, Oregon | 30 00 |
| O. C. Johnson | Moro, Oregon | 6 47 |
| Kent Teleph. Co. | Kent, Oregon | 1 05 |
| K. A. Kime | Moro, Oregon | 4 00 |
| T. H. Lyon | Moro, Oregon | 12 00 |
| E. F. Porter | Moro, Oregon | 1 25 |
| Owen Thompson | Moro, Oregon | 4 93 |

STATE OF OREGON } ss
County of Sherman }
I, F. E. Fortner, being first duly sworn, depose and say upon oath, that I am the cashier of the Bank of Moro, of Moro, County of Sherman, State of Oregon; that the foregoing statement is a full, true correct and complete statement, showing the name, last known residence or postoffice address, fact of death, if known, and the amount to the credit of each depositor as required by the provisions of Chapter 148, of the General Laws of Oregon, 1907, and Chapter 214, of the General Laws of Oregon, 1917.

F. E. Fortner.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, A. D. 1919.
John M. Parry,
Notary Public for Oregon.
My commission expires Sept. 29, 1920.



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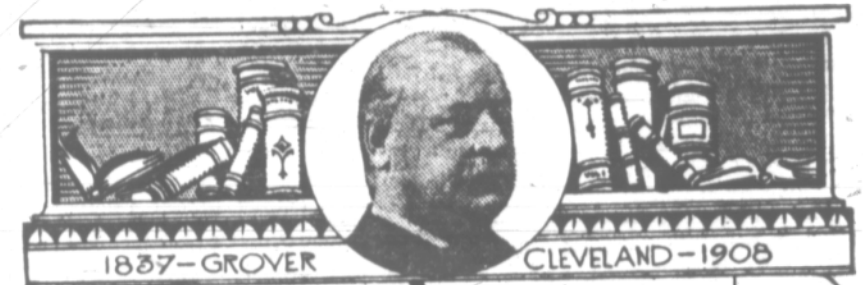
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