

The Moro Hotel

MORO OREGON
W. M. Walker, Manager

A Modern Tile and Concrete Constructed Building
Built by Moro Community for the General Public

STEAM HEATED ELECTRIC LIGHTS
Bath and Hot and Cold Water in Every Room

Special Monthly Rates for Room or Board

Show Starts 7:30 P.M. **MORO THEATER** Show Starts 7:30 P.M.

Mathews-Livingston, Proprietors

Saturday, Mar. 12



**BRYANT
WASHBURN**

"PUTTING IT OVER"

ALSO

Two-Reel MACK SENNETT COMEDY

"RIP AND STITCH, TAILORS"



Have You Seen the
**KRAMER ROTARY
PACKER**

---if not, see it before starting your plow.
WE HAVE THEM FOR ANY SIZE PLOW

We are well stocked with Oliver and John
Deere Plow Shares.

MORO HARDWARE & IMPLEMENT COMPANY

CENTRAL BARBER SHOP

C. V. BELKNAP, Proprietor

Located in the Bee Hive Restaurant Building
Cat-in-Corner from the Post Office

A SHARE OF YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED

MORO OREGON



Special Rates

NEW HOTEL PERKINS

Fifth and Washington Sts.
PORTLAND, ORE.

Room with privilege of bath, single,
\$1.00 up; double \$1.50 up
Room with private bath, single \$1.50
up; double \$2.50 up.
Auto Meets Trains. Street cars from
Union Depot pass our doors.
Transfer at 5th and Glisan streets from
North Bank Depot.

WRITE, PHONE OR CALL UPON

W. C. HANNA, DUFUR, ORE
FOR BARGAINS IN FARM PROPERTIES

Special Attention Given Wheat and Stock Farm

A "WANT" ad in THE MORO
OBSERVER will reach more
people in Sherman County than
by any other medium available.

The Observer

MORO, OREGON.

FRIDAY, March 11, 1921

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

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

C. L. IRELAND, Manager.

Official Paper for Sherman County.

Sherman Electric Co. Meeting

Monday afternoon at the annual
meeting of the stockholders of the
Sherman Electric Co. 558 shares were
represented in the meeting, either by
proxy or in person. After the roll
call and reading of the minutes of the
previous meeting, hearing of the financial
report of the board, an election of
two directors for two years each was
in order.

L. L. Peetz nominated A. M. Wright,
George Crossfield nominated R. H. Mc-
Kean, both to succeed themselves, and
W. H. Ragsdale nominated Roy Powell.
Action on the nomination of R. H.
McKean was taken first, he being the
only nominee from Wasco, and result-
ed in election by acclamation. Tellers
were then appointed and the resulting
ballot declared, for Mr. Wright by a
vote of 433 as against 104 for Mr.
Powell.

Following this a resolution was
presented and read by W. H. Ragsdale
in connection with the work of a stock-
holders committee appointed some
weeks ago to investigate certain acts
of the board of directors. Mr. Rags-
dale stated that the committee found
all records correct and the minutes,
etc., in perfect shape, and recommend-
ed that the services of the general
manager be dispensed with. This last
recommendation caused considerable
acrid discussion; in the course of
which Mr. Ragsdale said that his pre-
vious remark at a former stockholders
meeting about certain minds failing to
function, should not have been
made and the incident closed by Mr.
Ragsdale with drawing the resolution
with the consent of the meeting and,
if he so desires, present it to the
board of directors at another time.

It was brought out during the last
part of the meeting, while discussion
of the resolution was under way, that
the line must be completed by July
1st if the present contract with the
Pacific Light and Power Co. is to
hold. The only alternative is to pay
\$300 each month just the same as if
the Sherman Electric Co. was buying
electrical energy, but there is nothing
to prevent the P. L. & P. Co. from
refusing to take this money, declare
the contract forfeited and refuse to
make any other. In that case the
Sherman Electric Co. will have no
contract or else will be paying \$300
each month with no returns, when if
the line is completed the company can
earn more than enough to pay its
way and make the property a self sup-
porting business. Another thing to
consider is that any failure to com-
plete the line will ultimately mean
that another year will pass before
completion of the work.

According to officials of the com-
pany, subscribers in the vicinity of
Moro are in arrears on stock
subscription payments than either of
the other places in the county and,
undoubtedly, Moro has as much or
more to gain with the completion of
the work.

The first annual meeting of the
stockholders of the Moro Hotel Co.
met under difficulties last Monday
afternoon. Because of the meeting
of the stockholders of the Sherman
Electric Co. at the same hour the
meeting was first postponed until
evening and then again postponed until
Saturday, April 2d, at 6:30 p.m. at
the Court House.

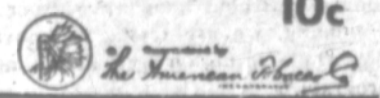
The fact that the United States Su-
preme court, which is usually two or
three years behind in its decisions,
found time the other day to decide
that a woman in Brooklyn would have
to pay a dog license, indicates that
the old idea of equal justice for great
and small is not dead yet.

The sale of 40,000,000 packs of play-
ing cards in 1920 may indicate an in-
crease in gambling or may mean mere-
ly that our leap year eligibles insist-
ed on having their fortunes told again
after having lost faith in the ouija
board.



GENUINE
"BULL"
DURHAM

tobacco makes 50
good cigarettes for
10c



Athletic Club Sports

The boxing and wrestling tourna-
ment staged last Thursday at Moro
Opera House by the Moro Athletic
Club was an unqualified success, prob-
ably it being the first of the kind ever
held in Sherman county where all
parties concerned declared themselves
satisfied in all matters as they have
done with this affair. Much of the
success for the occasion is due to T. H.
Fraser and E. B. Dodd, who had it in
charge. Receipts of the evening total-
ed \$408.10 from 364 paid admissions,
besides whom, counting participants,
more than 400 were present.

The first event was a wrestling bout
between Schadevits and Meloy, the
decision going to Meloy; followed by
another bout by the "Mellin Food
Twins" the young Elwood boys; next
came the third wrestling event put on
by L. Strahl and G. Douma, decision
going to Strahl; the last wrestling
bout was next, between "Wasco"
Myers and Burl, won by Myers with
two straight falls.

The boxing events began with a go
between Patsy McDonald and Young
Walker, won by Walker in the 2d;
next was a three round draw between
E. B. Dodd and T. H. Fraser; next a
three round event between G. Tomlin
and J. Winegarden, decision given to
Tomlin; followed by a go between
Billy McDonald and Art Barzee,
awarded to Barzee; this was followed
by a go between Jim Howell and
C. F. Hill, the decision going easily
to Hill in the 2d; then came the last
event on the card, a contest between
Everett McQuillin of Wasco and
Whitesides of Moro. The interest of
the evening centered upon this event
and for some time Whitesides had Mc-
Quillin guessing, but finally had to
see the event go to his opponent.

We understand that Wasco is plan-
ning on a similar event and if they do
a large number of Morosites will cer-
tainly attend in courtesy to the large
attendance and support given this am-
ateur sport event by the people of that
city and vicinity.

Notice of Sale of Real Property

In the County Court of the State of
Oregon for the County of Yamhill
In the matter of the Estate of W.
Lord, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that pursu-
ant to an order heretofore made and
entered in the above entitled matter
by the Judge of the above entitled
Court, authorizing and directing me
so to do, I will from and after 10:00
o'clock a.m. on April 16, 1921, at the
front door of the County Court House
of Sherman County, Oregon, in the
City of Moro, Sherman County, Ore-
gon, sell at private sale, as a whole,
the following described real estate
situated in Sherman County, Oregon:
The South Half of the South Half of
Section Thirty-six in Township Five
(5), South, Range Seventeen, East of
the Willamette Meridian, at the fol-
lowing price and terms, to-wit:

The sale price of said property,
shall be not less than the sum of
\$600.00 and the whole of the purchase
price shall be paid in cash at the date
of the sale and the purchaser shall
assume and pay all liens and encum-
brances which are a charge against
said premises, or any part thereof.

Dated March 11th, 1921.

E. J. Clough, Executor of the
Last Will and Testament of
W. Lord, deceased. ml

Wheat Growers Association

"Thirty five per cent of the wheat
growers in Sherman county have signed
up to the Oregon Grain Growers
Association," reported Edgar L. Lud-
wick to the Observer last Saturday.
Mr. Ludwick had stopped a few hours
in Moro while he was on his way from
Wasco to Kent for the purpose of hold-
ing a meeting at the latter place on
Saturday.

"In carrying on the campaign at
Wasco we have just concluded signing
46 contracts, which with the 22 con-
tracts held at Moro, the 18 at Grass
Valley, a like number at Kent and a
few scattering ones, gives us a total
of 120 contracts for approximately
700,000 bushels. We should have a
million bushels signed by the middle
of the month."

Attention was called to the fact
that the representatives of the four
northwestern states got together last
week and perfected plans for the mar-
keting of the 1921 wheat crop. The
following wheat growers were elected
directors of the inter-state associa-
tion: Roy V. Feringer, Belmont,
Wash.; H. J. Herman, Genesee,
Idaho; A. R. Shumway, Milton, Ore-
gon; C. M. Str. wman, Lewiston, Mon-
tana; Thos. M. Levi, Great Falls,
Montana; J. W. White, Twin Falls,
Idaho; Walter J. Robinson, Pomeroy,
Wash.

George W. Jewett, of the Washing-
ton - Idaho Association was elected
general manager and C. W. Nelson,
sales manager for the Tri - State Ter-
minal Company was selected to handle
the sales for the association. The as-
sociation, according to its founders,
will be one of the largest wheat sell-
ing agencies in the United States when
it begins to function.

The Farm Bureau has arranged for
a meeting of the wheat growers at
Grass Valley Friday of this week for
the purpose of carrying on a sign-up
campaign at that point, after the work
at Kent has been concluded. Plans
are now being made for carrying on
the work in the country adjacent to
Moro about March 20th.

If you have a news item, tell it to
the Observer. Do not imagine we
know it and then wonder why it is not
in the paper. Please use the phone
if not convenient to call and tell us
personally.

DENTAL HYGIENE

One of Series of Articles Written Specially
For the Observer by Dr. Howard Gove

Coarse Foods Tend to Healthfulness

Some knowledge of the teeth and
their care should begin with children
and the best place to give this in-
struction is in the school room. The
schools of this state require a limited
amount of such instruction. There
should even be more given than there
is. It is truly a part of education to
know how to care for our body. It is
a sad fact, but true, that the English
speaking people of the white race
have the poorest teeth of any people
known. Why is it? We are as high-
ly educated as any and more so than
the majority of people of other na-
tions. The answer is plain. It is the
abuse given our teeth and stomach.

There are many people of different
nations who do not give their teeth
any special care, yet they have beau-
tiful teeth. They eat plain foods and
much coarse food. We, who are un-
fortunately possessed with weak teeth
should be given all the information
that is possible to obtain, as to the
cause of the weakened condition of
this particular organ, the tooth.

Nature has a tendency to get rid of
any thing that is abused or improper-
ly used about our body. Knowledge
of preventive dentistry is worth much
more than knowledge of operative
dentistry is to the public. It is only
by education that we can hope to im-
prove our teeth in the future and
cause our teeth to erupt in sound con-
dition and remain so.

In all of our larger schools of this
state and many other states, dental
clinics are held. There is no reason
why smaller schools should not have
such an opportunity. Dentists as a
rule are willing to give a portion of
their time to such work.

We have a limited supply of toilet
soaps which go at 5c per bar while it
lasts. Moro Trading Co.

For Sale—6 h.p. gas or kerosene
International engine; run only two
months; cost new \$272.50, can be had
for \$195. For details see Ginn, Cole-
man & Co., or George Ellsworth. ml

Friday, March 11th, Dr.
Freeze will be at Moro
Pharmacy all day to
practice his profession.

Special attention given to headaches,
cross eyes, and other eye troubles.
One-piece glasses for both far and
near work. At Kent on Wednesday,
March 9th; at Grass Valley, Thurs-
day, March 10th; at Wasco, Saturday,
March 12th.

MORO BARBER SHOP

Porcelain Bath Tub.

Ladies' Shampoo a Specialty

Shop in New Moro Hotel Building

C. H. JOHNS, Proprietor.

MORO, --- Oregon.

ALL PRICES CUT!

CASH

OR 30-DAY SETTLEMENTS

As we have adopted a Cash Basis in
our business and to Reduce Stock we
will make a

Discount of 30 per cent on
Community Silverware

Discount of 20 per cent on
Linoleums, Rugs, Mattresses,
Heating and Oil Stoves, Etc

We will also give a Substantial
Discount on Furniture

Yours Respectfully for
Future Business

GINN, COLEMAN & CO.

MORO, OREGON

HOME OWNERSHIP MEANS SECURITY

Rent is a Reminder that a Person does not Own His Own Home



BUILD NOW!

Every comfortably built and personally owned
home is another stone added to the community
bulwark against uncertainty, distress and emer-
gency in times to come.

Building material is now at its lowest level in
cost. Our free plan and architectural service is at
your disposal. See—

W. K. Johnson, Manager

'TUM-A-LUM LUMBER CO.

MORO

OREGON