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For County news
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Always read the Observer.
F. E. Fortner and family are visiting in Portland.

R. W. Pinkerton was in Portland this week on business.

C. F. Hill spent the Christmas holiday with friends at LaGrande.

J. A. Hardin of The Dalles, was a Christmas guest of his sister Mrs. Elwood Ginn.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson and children are spending the holidays with her mother in Portland.

Mrs. G. B. Bourhill returned Tuesday from Wasco where she has been visiting with Mrs. H. S. Wall.

John Muir has sold his residence in the west part of town to Mrs. John Hastings who is moving in this week.

R. C. Ornduff and wife returned Tuesday from a short visit spent at The Dalles with Mrs. Ornduff's parents.

W. M. Harper who has been clerking at the Moro Trading Company, left Christmas day for his home at Corvallis.

J. M. Eddy, who had a Christmas present of a beautiful case of mumps, is again able to attend to his rural route postal duties.

Mrs. John Muir accompanied her daughter, Miss Grace, on her return Tuesday to The Dalles where she will visit until school holidays are over.

Plastering is about completed at the new residence being built by L. L. Peetz and carpenters this week began to put the inside finish to the building.

Glenn Schultz arrived home Saturday from Portland, where he has been attending Columbia University, to spend the holidays with his mother.

Seral Searcy arrived home from Corvallis where he is attending the O. A. C. in time to spend Christmas and the ensuing holiday week with the folks at home.

The next number of the Ellison-White Chautauque lyceum will be the DeMarco-Aistrup concert company Friday, January 6th. The program will consist of harp, violin and piano selections.

The next party of the Moro dancing club will be a hard time dance given in the opera house Thursday evening, January 6th. Prizes given for the best characterization, both Ladies and Gentlemen.

A family reunion was held Christmas day at the Frank Hulery home at Rufus. Among others who were present were W. F. Hulery, his brother T. E. Hulery and Mrs. T. E. Hulery and children of Moro.

Mrs. Lucy Ruggles, teacher in the Grass Valley school, spent Christmas with her son, Walter and family, at their home near Monkland and the last part of the holiday week with her son Steve and family, at their home west of Moro.

Diversified farm of 240 acres for sale, 165 acres in cultivation, fall wheat sown and growing, alfalfa, good improvements. Will take mortgage on other property as first payment. Price \$53 per acre. Inquire of W. C. Hanna, Dufur, Oregon.

Mrs. S. A. Rickett and son L. L. Rickett, who have been visiting at the L. R. Conlee home, left Thursday for their home at Tacoma where Mr. Rickett is employed in the Milwaukee Railway machine shops. Mrs. Conlee is a daughter of Mrs. Rickett's.

Sheriff Hugh Chrisman and wife had as house guests during Christmas week their two sons, H. V. Chrisman from Rufus and W. L. Chrisman from Portland, and their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Blackburne, Mr. Blackburne and son and daughter, from Arlington.

The community tree exercises the evening of the 23d was enjoyed by a large audience assembled to witness the pleasure of the little folks and listen to the program prepared by the public schools and classes from the Methodist and Presbyterian Sunday schools. The collection taken during the evening for the Near East Relief totaled \$38.05.

Monday the county installed a new air compressor at the road construction camp at Hoekman's. The new machine is a gasoline driven self contained outfit that can be used by the county on road work at places where rock work is necessary in establishing the grade. Before this machine was purchased such work had to wait until the steam driven plant could be used when the regular rock crusher was shut down.

Not often do the annals of married life record a union of 70 years. In our midst are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hinkle, who, since January 1st, 1862, together have ridden rough waters and calm and will on this new years day celebrate their seventieth wedding anniversary. Mr. Hinkle will be 94 years old next May 22d and Mrs. Hinkle on the 16th of February will reach the age of 87. The past few years they have made their home with their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Thompson of this city.

William Albert Miller, a former resident of Sherman county in the Monkland section where he was a farmer and mail carrier, died December 22d in The Dalles at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. Dillinger. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Zell Undertaking Parlor and interment at I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. Miller was a resident of Cliffs, Washington, for several years. He leaves a widow and four children. Mrs. J. R. Hunter, Underwood, Washington, is a niece.

Local Church Announcements

Methodist Church-announcements

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Preaching, both morning and evening on the first, third and fifth Sundays at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Preaching every Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Preaching at Spalding second and fourth Sunday morning at 12 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

U. C. Smothers, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church of Moro

Sunday Services:

10:00 a.m. Sunday School. Classes for all ages

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

7:30 p.m. Evening Worship

Week Day Meetings:

Wednesday, 2 p.m. Dorcas Society

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service

Henry G. Hanson, minister.

Christian Science Society:

Services in the Church building, Main street, at 11 a.m. Subject: "God."

Testimonial services each Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock.

Sunday School, rear church entrance, 10:15 a.m. Pupils up to the age of 20 are welcome.

The public is cordially invited to attend the church services and visit the reading room, rear entrance, open each Friday from 2 until 4 p.m.

Rural Route Extension Authorized

One of the most important Christmas presents received in the county this season was the receipt of official information that the extension of the rural mail route out of Moro had been authorized to the extent of 16 additional miles. This extension of service will supply 25 families with daily mail who have been forced because of distance to forgo such a necessity oftener than an average of once in two to three weeks. The authorized extension of route begins at the Hans Thompson four corners, turning north to the base line road, thence due east about seven miles to the newly built Gorman school building, thence south half mile to the Bryant and Hanson farm where it turns west on the upper Cottonwood road through the Herman Pape farm to the Kenny place where it goes south to a junction with the lower Cottonwood road. The service is authorized to begin January 2d, 1922.

Mrs. W. F. Hulery and children are visiting at Salem with her parents.

Family "Rough Dry" washing, 9 cents pound. Model Laundry, C. V. Belknap, agent.

W. A. Woods and wife, from Dufur, were guests Christmas with Ira K. Axtell and family.

Miss Florence Bibby, bookkeeper at the Moro Trading Co., spent Christmas with her parents at Kent.

Miss Elsie Bourhill and brother Balfour, who have been visiting at Grass Valley, returned Tuesday.

We pay parcel post one way on all shoe repairing. Good quality leather and work. Joe Amore, The Dalles, Oregon.

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

Dr. J. R. Morgan and wife are spending Holiday week with relatives in Portland, intending to return January 2d.

J. T. McCarty was a visitor in Moro the first part of this week from The Dalles, where he is conducting a musical studio.

Miss Helen Hansen, who has been visiting for some days with her sister, Mrs. Roy Kunsman, returned Tuesday to The Dalles.

Mrs. Grace May Zevely was a brief visitor in Moro this week, returning to Portland to attend the State Teachers' Convention now being held in that city.

Contractor Bauers found time off his highway contract to visit during the holiday at his home town, Dayton, Washington. A. D. Emery, superintendent of the work for the contractors spent Christmas with his family in Portland.

George Hanson and wife, from Grass Valley, where Mr. Hanson is manager of the Wasmore Store, spent Christmas in Moro with relatives. A return visit was made later in the week by Mrs. O. L. Belshe and children, returning Friday.

Mrs. A. O. Anderson is in the city from Silverton, Oregon, a Christmas guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Johnson. Mrs. L. D. Idleman and daughter Helen are expected this week from their home at Pendleton to complete the house party for New Years. Mrs. Idleman is also a daughter of Mrs. Anderson.

A party of Wasco county people from Antelope were stranded in Moro last week with three cars on their way home from Portland where they had been held by the November storm. They had gotten their cars out of the snow and ice blockade of the highway, back into Portland and shipped by boat to The Dalles, only again to get stuck in a snow bank at the Carroll Sayrs farm. The party included Viv Bolton and wife, Wilber Bolton, Dolph Kimsey, and Henry Rupert. The cars were pulled into Moro by team where two were put into storage and the party divided. Viv Bolton and Henry Rupert left Thursday with the third car and the balance of the party bought train tickets.



THE BEGINNING OF A BANK-NOTE

Little Marcia's baby dress though made of the finest linen was ultimately worn threadbare. One day it landed in the rag bag and was sold to the junk dealer. When the rag sorter touched the discarded garment he detected in a flash the fine quality of the flax and set it aside for a journey to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing at Washington. Eventually it became legal tender—a bank-note. Just how is told in one of the beautiful booklets about Our Government which we are sending each month to those interested.

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