

On Saturday following the next 4th of July we are
Going to give away--ABSOLUTELY FREE

One Hundred Dollars Worth Of Brand New Kodaks!

Here's the Way We Are Going To Do It

With each roll of Eastman films brought in or mailed to our store to be finished between the 10th day of March and July 7th we will give you a numbered card; a record will be kept of each number and its corresponding name and on July 8th the lucky numbers will be drawn from the lot and the list of the winners will be published.

Eastman films only will count and but one prize goes to any one person.

A. E. CROSBY The Dalles, Oregon

Everything in DRUGS and KODAKS

30 x 3	\$14.50
30 x 3 1/2	17.50
32 x 3 1/2	21.30
31 x 4	24.50
32 x 4	28.25
33 x 4	29.75
34 x 4	30.40
32 x 4 1/2	37.85
33 x 4 1/2	39.10
34 x 4 1/2	40.30
35 x 4 1/2	42.15
33 x 5	45.85
35 x 5	48.60

Hydro United TIRES

GUARANTEED 10,000 MILES

In buying these Tires you are
guaranteed that every mile will
cost you less than 3 mills; this is
taking 4-inch Tires as an example

Don't get to thinking this
Guarantee is hot air; it ain't!

—SOLD BY—
Moro Vulcanizing Shop

\$5.80

This Famous Up-to-Date Westinghouse
Type M Electric Iron

Regular Price \$8.50
Until April 8th
\$5.80



THE IRON THAT WOMEN DESIGNED

Don't miss this opportunity to purchase one of these
wonderful new model, Westinghouse Irons at this
SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY PRICE UNTIL APRIL 8th

Sherman Electric Co.

Dealers in Electrical Appliances of All Kinds
Everything Sold on a Strictly Guarantee Basis

Try a Want Ad. in
The Observer. It Pays. IF YOU WANT TO SELL OR BUY

Taste is a matter of
tobacco quality
We state it as our honest
belief that the tobacco used
in Chesterfield are of finer
quality (and hence of better
taste) than in any other
cigarette at the price.
Suggest to Moore Tobacco Co.

I like 'em



Chesterfield
CIGARETTES

of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos—blended

Lower Prices
20 now 18c
10 now 9c
(Two 10's—18c)

They Satisfy

The Observer

MORO, OREGON.

Entered as second class matter at the
post office at Moro, Oregon, July 25, 1891

Official Paper for Sherman County.

C. L. IRELAND, Manager.

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THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

FRIDAY March 31, 1922

Statement of Ownership

Management, etc., required by the act
of Congress of August 24, 1912, of the
Sherman County Observer, published
weekly at Moro, Oregon, for April 1922

Before me, a notary public, in
and for the state and county aforesaid, per-
sonally appeared C. L. Ireland who, hav-
ing been duly sworn according to law,
deposes and says that he is the Editor,
Publisher and Owner of the Sherman
County Observer and that the following is
a true statement of the ownership, man-
agement, etc., of the aforesaid publication for
the date shown in the above caption, re-
quired by the Act of August 24, 1912, em-
bodied in section 443, postal laws and reg-
ulations, to-wit:

That the name and address of the pub-
lisher, editor, managing editor, and busi-
ness manager is C. L. Ireland, Moro, Ore.
That the owner is the said C. L. Ireland.
There is absolutely no one who holds
mortgage, bond, note or other debt
against the said newspaper or its equipment
or building. Signed C. L. Ireland.
Subscribed to and sworn before me this
30th day of March, 1922.
F. E. Fortner, Notary Public.
My commission expires July 14, 1921.

MOONSHINING IN DAYLIGHT

Honorable Employee of Uncle Sam
Caught with Big Jug

While it seems to have been the
firm conviction of many that the
trafficking in bootleg liquor has been one
of the flourishing industries of this
peaceable community, nothing what-
ever of a tangible or incriminating
nature turned up until Saturday,
March 25th, when Joe M. Eddy, con-
tractor on the mail route, and
prominent in men's social sets,
brought a sack containing a fragile
jug into sharp contact with the edge
of the cement walk in front of the
post office, it evidently having been
his intention to transport said jug
from his river into the said post
office, possibly at some remote time
in the future to treat a select few of
his intimates with a shot of the rare
stuff.

When an irresistible force meets
an immovable object what is the
result? An answer will not be at-
tempted, but when Mr. Eddy's jug
met the edge of the sidewalk it broke.
Mr. Eddy is reported to have looked
stunned for a second, to have dropped
the sack, ejaculating something about
"formaldehyde," and to have stalked
away to his duties within the post
office.

Magnetic fumes and flavors penetra-
ted the humid atmosphere of the street.
There was a flocking of the population
as in the days of '49. Nostrils of by-
standers were assailed by the scent
known 'round the world. They
swarmed to see the fire water flow
from the broken jug into the absorbing
earth of the parking. The word was
spread. Patrons in business houses,
and business men themselves, rushed
to the mecca of Bacchanals. Faces
became drawn and eyes watered as
they watched the rejuvenator seep
slowly away.

Mr. Eddy was taken into custody
by Sheriff Hugh Chrisman. He was
fined \$100 and \$10 costs for illegal
possession of intoxicating liquor, by
Judge L. W. Ross in the justice
court.

There will be a showing of fash-
ionable Millinery on Friday and Sat-
urday, March 31 and April 1, in the
ladies rest room of the Moro hotel.
The Mary Elizabeth Shop, Wasco,
Ore.

Oregon Bonds Law Changed

The following changes in the rules
and regulations governing the world
war veterans' aid commission, which
will be of interest to ex-service men
in this section, are given herewith:

75. No advances to borrowers for
improvements on real property to meet
payments for material and labor under
Section 22 of the Act shall be author-
ized unless the applicant is the owner
of the real property at the time of
completing application for the loan,
and same is free and clear of all en-
cumbrances except liens not due spec-
ifically excepted in Section 10 of the
Act. (Change No. 1, February 8,
1922.)

79. The applicant will then be re-
quired to execute note and mortgage
for the entire amount of the author-
ized loan and deposit same with the
trust company or bank designated to
handle the transaction, together with
the assignment of his claim and in-
structions as to disbursement. The
mortgage will be immediately re-
corded. (Change No. 1, February 8,
1922.)

Auto Registration Money Apportioned

In the distribution of the net re-
ceipts of the automobile registration
department from September 16, 1921
to March 15, 1922, Sherman county
received \$3557.34. Multnomah came
highest, receiving \$237,003.64, and
Lincoln brought up the bottom of
the list with \$985.07.

Of the net total taken in by the de-
partment, \$2,334,741.33, three fourths,
amounting to \$1,751,056, goes to the
state highway commission, and one
fourth, \$583,685.33, is pro-rated among
the various counties in proportion to
their contributions to the fund.

Church Items

Next Sunday morning at the Pres-
byterian church the second pre-Easter
sermon will be preached on the theme
"Why Was it Necessary for Jesus to
Die?" A solo will be sung by Mrs.
J. C. Harper.

The Union evening meeting will be
held in the Methodist church. Rev.
Henry G. Hanson will preach his third
sermon on the big theme "What is
Wrong with America?" The service
will begin at 8 o'clock. Note the
change of hour from now on, one half
hour later for the evening services.

The young people's society will
meet at 7:15, note the change of the
hour, at the Methodist church. The
subject under consideration will be
"Better Bible Reading," from Deut.
6:1-9. The leaders will be Annette
McCarver and Beulah Reiman.

Last Monday night the young peo-
ple enjoyed another monthly social,
this time in the Methodist church.
Between forty and fifty people were
in attendance. Their next social
will be held the last Monday in April.
Watch for the date. The young peo-
ple are also laying plans for a public
debate which will be held in a few
weeks. Watch for particulars in
later issues.

The group meetings planned by the
world gathering of Methodism at De-
troit were held in the Sherman county
group this week. Rev. U. C. Smo-
thers, chairman of the group, and
Rev. J. K. Craig of Grass Valley
went to Wasco Tuesday afternoon for
the first meeting. On Wednesday
they returned to Moro with Rev. A. J.
Warfield, pastor at Wasco, and car-
ried out their program here. Rev.
Craig and Rev. Warfield delivered
splendid inspirational and appealing
messages. The attendance was very
good. One special feature of the
meeting was the singing of the high
school glee club, led by Mrs. Ray O.
Baker. We extend a vote of thanks.
On account of local conditions no meet-
ing will be held at Grass Valley at
this time.

The many friends of Reverend D. L.
Leech will be glad to know that he
is to preach at the Methodist church
in Moro, Sunday night at 8 p. m.
The public is urged to hear him. Rev.
Leech will hold a business session
with the church at Grass Valley Sat-
urday night and will preach there
Sunday morning.

Information given by officers of
the Chris Schultz post 71, American
Legion, is to the effect that any ex-
service man having an honorable dis-
charge, by applying to the U. S. Vet-
erans Bureau, Arcade Building, Seat-
tle, Washington, can have arrange-
ments made thru authority of the
dental section of the insurance depart-
ment of vocational training to have
dental work done in his home town.
Dr. J. R. Morgan is the U. S. den-
tal examiner for this district.

The annual school teachers' in-
stitute will be held during the first
part of the county fair week October
11-14. It is planned to follow the
regular institute business program
with the judging of exhibits, then
coming the presentation of school
dramas and entertainments.

It pays to buy the best. Kayser
Chamoisette gloves, all styles and
newest shades, 50c, 75c, 89c, \$1.00,
\$1.25 a pair. Buy your Easter gloves
at Edw. C. Pease Co., The Dalles.

Wanted: Used Fordson with equip-
ment to trade for used 1918 Ford
Touring in good condition—new paint.
Gannett Motor Co., Ford and Fordson
Dealer, The Dalles, Oregon

Anybody wanting to report any-
thing to any official of the government
is requested to go to Postmaster
Urquhart and he will see that you get
what you're after.

SMUT-RESISTANT WHEAT EVOLVED BY STEPHENS

Four New Varieties Proven Smut-Free
May Become Invaluable to Farmer

Four distinct varieties of smut-re-
sistant wheat have been evolved by
D. E. Stephens, superintendent of the
government's experimental station
here.

Little is generally known among
farmers about smut, other than that it
is a disease that seed wheat must be
treated against. The cause of the dis-
ease is a microscopic fungus plant
which reproduces itself by means of
spores, about four million of these
spores being contained in a single
spout ball or grain of smut that ap-
pears where the wheat grain should be.
Smut spores retain their vitality for
several years if kept dry. Spores
twelve years old have been known to
germinate. In moist soil, they germi-
nate in from four to eight days. The
eventual result of their germination
is the production of an infection
thread which, coming in contact with
the underground parts of a young
wheat plant, may, by some means not
fully understood, bore its way into the
plant tissues. If it finds the host
plant a susceptible variety of wheat,
it proceeds to make its way to the
growing point, the young head, where
it persists and spreads as the head
grows, assuming entire control of the
kernel and preventing the reproduc-
tion of the wheat kernel.

Due to wind dissemination, which
scatters the spores hundreds of miles
from the affected wheat fields, and
to the prohibitive cost of soil treat-
ment, the efforts of Mr. Stephens and
his associates were turned to the evo-
lution of smut-resistant varieties of
wheat. The result of several years
of work and study is the four varieties
of wheat which Mr. Stephens declares
are unaffected by smut and may be
safely sown without smut treatment.
The following are the names and gen-
eral qualities of the new wheats:

White Odessa C. I. 4655. Beard-
less, red chaff wheat, white kernels,
long slender spike, matures rather late;
weak straw when grown at Cor-
vallis.

Martin Amber C. I. 4463. One of
latest maturing wheats of smut-re-
sistant group; beardless, white chaff
and kernels; smut-free at Moro and Cor-
vallis and elsewhere as far as known.

Red Husar C. I. 4843. Original
seed from Illinois agricultural ex-
periment station. Pure line selection
immune from smut. Bearded wheat
with rather long head; kernels large,
hard and red; variety that shatters
quite badly at Moro.

Turkey x Florence. Hybrid made
by Dr. E. F. Gaines of Washington
experiment station. Beardless, long
slender heads, white glumes.

There has been some discussion of
the value of the Oregon Agricultural
College. It has been said that the cost
of maintenance was too great. Of late
years, due to the college, new wheats
have been introduced into eastern
Oregon that have increased the yield
to an extent that more than doubles
the cost of operating the state college.
In its connection with the Moro ex-
periment station, and especially in the
production of Mr. Stephens' smut-re-
sistant wheats, it may become even
more valuable to the State.

That \$463 was the average income
of 113 farms, located in 16 counties of
Oregon, was shown recently by R. V.
Gunn, demonstrator in farm man-
agement at O. A. C. This sum includes
the amount received by the farmer
and his family for their labor, and
interest on the investment. Of the
\$463, it is estimated that \$370 went
for living necessities.

In Eastern Oregon many farmers
lost money on the year's run, accord-
ing to the survey, which showed a
net loss of \$367 for the 30 records in
that section. Lack of crop variety,
heavy investments, and low prices for
wheat and livestock, are given for
reasons for this loss.

When Allen Murray attempted to
start his Ford touring car up-grade
from the meat market last Sunday
morning, the machine backfired and
set the carburetor afire, backing down
the street and onto the sidewalk at
the entrance of the stairway to the
Masonic rooms. The car was saved
by the discovery and use of a fire
extinguisher from the Confectionery.

A. R. Kessinger, driving a Ford
touring car, and W. A. Martin, driv-
ing a Ford sedan, both going at a
moderate rate of speed, collided on
Hockman hill Monday afternoon. Both
cars carried passengers but no one was
hurt. The cars suffered equally in
damage: radiators, fenders and radius
rods being smashed up somewhat.
Mr. Kessinger reported the accident to
Sheriff Chrisman. Damages were
adjusted between the parties concerned.

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I hereby agree that—after date I
will be alive and in good health and
able to pass a Medical examination
as of today. I agree not to contract
any disease of any kind to disqualify
me for Life Insurance. I agree not
to meet with any accident or in any
way become physically impaired. If
you CAN sign this statement you do
not need life insurance now. You
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man. Life Insurance takes care of
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STEAM HEATED ELECTRIC LIGHTS
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Room with privilege of bath, single,
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Union Depot pass our doors.
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