

SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

Moro, Oregon

FRIDAY, April 13, 1923

Eureka Lodge No. 121
A. F. & A. M., Moro, Ore.
Meets the 1st and 3d Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us. By order of W. M. W. K. Johnson, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter
No. 75 O. E. S.
Regular communications each 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings monthly. May Beise, Worthy Matron. Nana Barzee, Secretary.

Moro Lodge No. 113
I. O. O. F.
Meets every Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. H. P. Anderson, N. G. A. M. Young, Secretary.

CHRIS SCHULTZ POST NO. 71
AMERICAN LEGION
Meets at Odd Fellows Hall on second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Karl Schade, Commander. I. M. Peterson, Adjutant.

Model Laundry, The Dalles, will call for and deliver in Moro each Monday and Thursday. Agency at Hotel Moro barber shop will be continued. Calls made at residence when desired. Dry cleaning will be given special attention. Family rough dry work, eleven cents pound. Regular finish work at usual price.

A. N. Rhodes and family motored Monday to as far south as Shaniko, leaving Moro about eight and returning about three o'clock in the afternoon. They report the roads rough south of Kent, but not bad. Mr. Rhodes is proprietor of the Bee Hive restaurant and had heard such colorful stories of the southern towns in Sherman county that he decided to see them first hand. He returned well satisfied that Moro leads the procession in many respects.

State forestry officials have sent resolutions to Oregon's representatives in congress and to attaches of the United States forest service asking that airplanes be assigned to this state during the coming forest fire season.

Bonds aggregating \$45,000, voted recently by the Dees irrigation district in Hood River county, have been recorded in the office of the secretary of state at Salem. These bonds were certified at a meeting of the state irrigation securities commission held last week.

A conference between the directors of the Columbia River Fishermen's league and the packers to discuss the prices to be paid for salmon on the Columbia river during the season, which will open at noon May 1, has been set for the afternoon of Saturday, April 14.

In an effort to obtain some of the business now favoring the automobile stage lines operating in the Willamette valley, the Oregon Electric Railroad company has filed with the public service commission a new tariff which shows a material reduction in the present fares.

Plans for construction of the Butler section of the Reedsport highway have been completed and sent to the bureau of public roads. This is the section on which the forest service and Douglas county are to co-operate on a 50-50 basis, each appropriating \$55,000. It is 3 1/2 miles long, almost entirely through solid rock.

Axel J. Olson, resident highway engineer at Astoria, is making surveys on the Columbia river highway between Astoria and Svensen preliminary to the plan of the state highway commission to resurface the pavement by laying a top dressing two inches in thickness and widening the pavement from 16 to 18 feet.

Officials of the Western White Cedar company of Marshfield have announced the company would construct a standard gauge railroad on Dement creek, in southern Coos county, to tap a white cedar tract of 60,000,000 feet and would have it under way in a short time. The road will be 2 1/2 miles long and cost the company \$40,000.

News Letter From Kent

Max Pleumkv has a new bright shiny Ford car.

Miss Naomi Young was visiting in Moro Saturday between trains.

Mrs. Wm. Young and daughter Loren spent last week-end in town.

Mrs. L. J. Davis is expected home from The Dalles the last of the week.

Mrs. Jerry Wilson, who has been quite sick with the flu, is reported to be much better.

There has been an abundance of rain this week, which helps materially in making the farmers grin.

A. A. Dunlap and wife, accompanied by Mrs. O. H. Adams, made a hurried trip to The Dalles Wednesday.

All those who "bu" around the last ten days are reported to be better. Some new ones are trying their luck at it now.

Two outfits, one a six horse team and the other a four horse team, were over from Maupin Monday after pure seed wheat from the Guy Hoskinson farm.

Jas. Leonard received word Sunday that his father was very low at his home in Hood River. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard left that afternoon to be at his father's bedside.

The civil service examination for local postmaster was held Friday, the 6th, by M. H. Fagan for the postal department. J. E. Norton was the only applicant to venture the test.

The Wm. Mitchell children are all reported to be improving. Miss Gibson of The Dalles is nursing little Claris, who has been very low with pneumonia. We are glad to say that Claris also is convalescing nicely.

Uncle Ben Brown has been quite sick with the flu this last week. During his illness his daughter, Mrs. George Rieger, and husband, from Portland, have been visiting with him.

J. R. Dellinger and wife returned home Sunday evening from a visit at The Dalles and Portland. On the way home Sunday they stopped at Troutdale to watch the fishermen there catch smelt now running in immense schools in the Sandy river. They brought a big box of smelt home with them, some of which was divided with friends.

F. W. Chindlund was a visitor in Portland the first of the week, returning Tuesday by train.

Night prowlers and vandals entered the yard of Sam Brisbane Tuesday night and stole a quantity of flowers grown by Mrs. Brisbane for local sale. In stealing the flowers the thieves also tramped and ruined a quantity of flowers just showing thru the ground. This is the second occasion this year. It is presumed some of the younger generation of Morvites, running wild at night, are the responsible parties.

Bart Burrell, expert caterpillar operator, is a favorite of Lady Luck. Recently he purchased a new pair of kahaki trousers. His first occasion for their use was last Saturday when he came to town in his car. Before leaving home he put twenty dollars in bills in the watch pocket of his new trousers. After he had been in town about a half hour he discovered the bills gone and that the pocket had no bottom at all. After some thoughtful consideration, he retraced his steps since first coming to town and found the money in the center of the street between the Williams-Daggett garage and Burmester's tailor shop. He had stopped the car in the center of the street and when he stepped out of the vehicle the money fell to the street.

PERSONALS

Live Lines About People Who Have Come and Gone

T. W. Alley is having the farm residence on his property west of Moro painted a rich ivory.

Beginning with this week, the show hour at Moro theater has been changed to eight o'clock.

Rev. U. C. Smothers will fill his regular appointment at Grass Valley next Sunday evening.

C. L. Montgomery is owner of a new Ford roadster, purchased through the Williams-Daggett Motor Co.

Hans Thompson and wife were visiting at Boyd last week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Clara Ward.

F. E. Fortner late Saturday evening, was called to Kettle Falls, Washington, by the sudden death of his father at the family home in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Daggett, accompanied by Mrs. F. M. Daggett, were Portland visitors the first of the week, returning Tuesday evening with a new Ford touring car.

Friday morning a blanket of wet snow covered south Sherman county to as far north as the E. H. Moore farm. Four inches was reported at Shaniko. Three inches at Kent and two inches at Grass Valley.

Miss Lillie Thompson, attending St. Helens Hall, private school for girls in Portland, is spending a ten day Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Hans Thompson, in the Fairview district.

The auto stage recently inaugurated between The Dalles and Grass Valley discontinued service last week. Tuesday, when five passengers from here were disappointed, the discontinuance of service was first generally known. A successful auto stage service could be made to pay its owner if the stage made daily round-trips between the points mentioned, leaving Sherman county early in the morning.

Chris Schultz post, American Legion, has decided upon Friday morning, April 27th, as clean-up day in Moro. The city will be divided into divisions and a captain appointed to assist every one in cleaning up their premises. All house holders and merchant are requested to have their premises cleaned up early that morning and if so attended to, the American Legion boys will see that it is hauled away. Now, let every one join in and give the old town a good house cleaning.

J. C. Freeman left Wednesday for a six weeks visit to his old home in Oklahoma and a visit with friends and relatives in Kansas City and other middle west cities. Mr. Freeman, before his departure, stated that it was twenty years ago last Sunday that he first saw Moro. Since then he has been clerk in a store and manager of two large stores at different times. He has been elected sheriff of the county, and now owns a prosperous dry goods store in this city.

A card received at this office from Rev. H. G. Hansen states that he arrived safely home last Sunday morning. He states that on his journey east he travelled through snow in all of Montana and Dakota. The first two hundred miles east from the summit of the Rockies the land was covered with heavy snow. Dakota had some bare spots, but all the lowland sections were coated with snow and heavy ice covered the ponds and rivers.

Under a proclamation issued recently by Governor Pierce setting aside the afternoon of April 17 as a legal half holiday it will be necessary to close every school in the state. This was announced by J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction. The proclamation was issued on behalf of the management of the Portland baseball club, which opens its 1923 season in Portland April 14.

A check for \$23,469 was received at the state penitentiary at Salem from the Linen Thread company of New York, in payment for two cars of flax tow shipped from the prison flax plant. The prison has another car of flax material on hand, which upon being treated will return an additional \$15,000 to the state fund. A contract recently was entered into here whereby the prison flax plant will handle the output of the Willamette valley flax and hemp growers' association.

Ministers and church officers of the twenty-one churches comprising the Pendleton Presbytery of the Presbyterian church met in this city Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Meetings open to the public were held each afternoon and evening and, in addition, much private business connected with the various churches was attended to in the morning sessions and by committees. A feature of the meeting was a luncheon served to the delegates Wednesday noon at Hotel Moro by members of the Moro church.

W. H. Hill has added to his dairy equipment a water cooling and animal heat eliminating milk machine. The new apparatus operates in such a manner that all milk is double strained before being bottled for delivery to customers and by the elimination of animal heat the danger of having milk sour before use is, under ordinary circumstances, entirely done away with. The new machine is an inverted cone placed under a large bowl. The cone is cooled on its under side by running water and in turn cools the milk as a fine film flows over its outside surface, into tubes in its bottom where it is caught in buckets. The milk is first placed in the large bowl and, through small holes in the bottom, drops onto the cone below.

Mrs. F. M. Daggett has returned to Moro and will be pleased to show her former customers and their friends some of the newest patterns and designs in hemstitching.

R. J. Ginn lost a tire chain and retainer spring Sunday between Moro and Spaulding chapel. Either the Lone Rock road or the Hockman hill route. Finder will be rewarded by its return to the owner.

OBSERVER WANT ADS

Rates: Under 15 words, 35c
15 to 30 words, 50c
Over 50 wds., 1 1/4c per wd.

Reward for Return

Strayed from Bauers & Bauers road camp near Bourbon: One bay gelding, weight 1650, star in forehead, branded HH (connected) on left shoulder, roached last spring, no blemishes, set with halter on; One chestnut sorrel gelding, weight 1200, flax mane and tail, branded HH (connected) on left shoulder, roached close, left with mule bridle on. A reward of \$25 will be paid for the return of these two horses to Bauers & Bauers camp.

Fresh Cow

For sale: Three year old heifer; fresh three weeks; second calf; gives fresh gallons a day. Truman Strong, Moro.

Wanted

Girl wants position in house work, hotel or restaurant table waitress, or store clerk. Address "Girl" route one, box thirty, Moro, Oregon.

Poultry Foods

All kinds of poultry feed, bone, etc., for sale. Chick feed in any size package, 4c a pound. Farmers Elevator & Supply Co., Moro.

Chicks and Eggs

Eggs and chicks for sale from my farm flock of Buff Orpingtons. Chicks, \$15 per hundred. Eggs \$8 per hundred or \$1 for fifteen. Mrs. A. H. Barnum, phone 23F14, Moro.

Horse Pasture

Good horse pasture; all fenced; running water. Write F. C. Schumacher, R.F.D. box 36, Moro, Oregon.

Dependable Used Cars

Buick fours and sixes have arrived; also a nice line of used cars from \$350 to \$750. I will demonstrate any time, any place. Easy terms. J. L. Smithson, salesman, The Dalles Buick Garage, telephone 921.

Tanks for Sale

Wooden tanks for water or grain storage; eight feet diameter; eleven feet deep; made of two-inch fir. Very reasonable. Inquire of The Dalles Shoe Brick Co., 900 E. Third street, The Dalles.

Shoe Repairing

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

House for Rent

House and four lots for rent, opposite DeMoss Springs memorial park. \$50 a year. John M. DeMoss, address DeMoss or Wasco.

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Moro, Oregon

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Bank of Moro

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