

SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

Moro, Oregon

FRIDAY March 14, 1924

Barok Lodge No. 121
A. F. & A. M. Moro, Ore.
Meets the 1st and 3d Thurs-
day evenings of each month.
Visiting members cordially
invited to meet with us. By
order of W. M.
Robt. Urquhart, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter
No. 78 O. E. S.
Regular communications
each 2nd and 4th Thursday
evenings monthly.
May Beale,
Worthy Matron.
Nans Barzee, Secretary.

Moro Lodge No. 113
I. O. O. F.
Meets every Monday even-
ing in the I. O. O. F. hall.
Transient and visiting bro-
thers are cordially invited to
meet with us.
C. L. Montgomery, 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.
Commander, I. M. Peterson,
Adjutant, Geo. Mitchell.

Zell's Funeral Home Now Open at
Moro, A. M. Young, manager.

The University of Washington won
over the University of Oregon in a de-
bate at Eugene on the Harding world
court plan.

The port of Astoria will expend from
\$15,000 to \$20,000 during the coming
summer for repairs to its property and
for new equipment.

Uniforms have been ordered and
within a few days the members of the
Oregon City police force will appear
in regulation apparel.

During the present season 3000 ear-
loads or in excess of 4,000,000 bushels
of wheat have been handled at the
port of Astoria terminals.

After 50 years of constant service,
the historic Episcopal church of La
Grande is to be razed to make room
for a modern church edifice.

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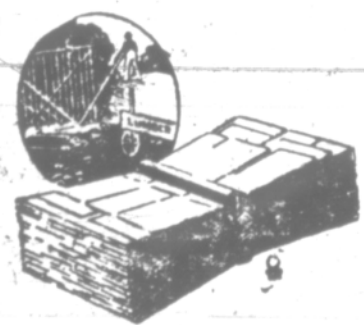
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County Band Organization Planned

County Musicians Will Furnish Music
For County Festivals

Tuesday evening a meeting was
held in Moro for the purpose of
organizing a Sherman county band.
Moro, Wasco and Grass Valley being
represented. All details of the pro-
posed organization were worked out
and it was decided to hold the first
practice in Moro next Monday eve-
ning at 7:30 p. m. at the school
house.

Charles Garrett of Grass Valley
was selected as leader. The purpose
of the band is to provide music for
our county functions such as the field
meet, 4th of July and county fair.
All musicians who are interested are
invited to attend the meeting at Moro
next Monday.

School Activities The County Over

A. M. Zevely Writes About Housing
Problems of Rural Teachers

The housing problem for rural
teachers is becoming less difficult in
the county as the school boards are
gradually taking into consideration
that a good teacherage is an asset to
their schools. There is now first class
teacherages at Fairview, Harmony,
Biglow and Erskenville. Last fall
an addition was built to the teachers
cottage at Brock and this spring an
addition was built to the Wilcox
school. This extra room serves as a
living room as well as a work shop.

The Grass Valley school is remod-
eling the play ground and new play
apparatus is being installed on the
south side of the building.

Miss Eva Perryman of the Rut-
ledge school has organized her pupils
into a selling force which is selling
lead pencils to pay for their soccer
football. This is a very original and
commendable idea.

The Michigan, Klondike and Emi-
grant Springs schools are all up to
standard except as to visits from
directors, and the Biglow school lacks
only the play apparatus.

An organization to further the re-
call of L. N. Roney and Emmett Sharp,
Lane county commissioners, was per-
fected at a meeting in Eugene.

Negotiations for the transfer of ap-
proximately 260 acres of land near
Rowena loops on the Columbia high-
way to the state for park purposes,
are nearing completion.

Efforts of predatory animal hunt-
ers of the United States biological
survey in Oregon resulted in the death
of 536 animals in the month of Febru-
ary, according to a report of Stanley
G. Jewett, predatory animal inspector.

James Henderson McFarland, one of
the founders of the city of Cottage
Grove, died there at the age of 79. He
was a pioneer of 1853, coming from
Missouri, and took up a donation land
claim where Cottage Grove now
stands.

Mrs. Mary Starmer, Oregon pioneer,
died at Silverton. She was an aunt
of Homer Davenport and cousin of
T. T. Geer. She was born in 1851 in
Waldo hills and lived all her life on
part of the old R. C. Geer donation
land claim.

Major Luther Felker, United States
army, retired and now at Hill Military
academy, Portland, has been cited by
the war department for gallantry in
action against Spanish forces during
the attack on San Juan hill, Cuba,
July 1, 1898.

Little Eva Ricks, 2 years old, was
burned to death in a barn fire on the
L. N. Conley ranch, four miles from
Cottage Grove. Lewis Martin Ricks, aged 4,
her brother, was seriously burned
about the arms and neck. The barn
was destroyed.

The question of whether grades of
wheat as fixed by the federal au-
thorities apply equitably to wheat con-
ditions in Oregon will be considered
at a hearing held in Portland March
17. A similar hearing will be held at
Pendleton March 18.

The Baker county chamber of com-
merce, after hearing a report of a
special committee at its weekly meet-
ing, went on record as favoring a
\$1000 "prohibitive license" to be set
by city commissioners against private
tourist camp grounds.

With the arrest at Portland of C. B.
Testerman and Mrs. Harriett Hol-
brook, alias Mrs. Testerman, federal
authorities announced the apprehen-
sion of the entire gang of alleged
bandits who robbed box cars of goods
totaling \$15,000 during the past sev-
eral months.

J. L. Clough, 79, one of the best
known characters of Douglas county,
died at his home in Canyonville. Mr.
Clough was one of the stage drivers
who braved danger and hardships on
the Oregon-California trail in the days
before the railroad. He went through
many thrilling experiences in the
rough life of that day.

The special city election at Sil-
verton February 25 has been declared
illegal and the measures carried
there have been set aside. Recorder Ser-
vice was said to have overlooked the
necessity of sending out pamphlets
containing the measures to be voted
upon to all of the voters before the
election, as required by state law.

Fourteen boys of Westport were
summoned to appear before the juve-
nile court at Astoria to answer charges
of larceny. The lads, whose leader is
but 15 years of age, have been break-
ing into box cars, taking candy as well
as hams, other eatables and soda
water from them and the local stores
for use during their excursions into
the woods.

BRIEF NEWS

Paragraphs on State, County and
Community's Events

E. R. Barzee is now driving a new
Buick sedan.

J. N. Landry has traded his car for
a new Dodge coupe.

L. R. Conlee and wife were Port-
land visitors during the week.

Uncle Jim Woods and wife returned
last week from a visit with
relatives at Portland.

Roy Kunsman and family spent
last Sunday in The Dalles, visiting
with relatives and friends.

Otto Peetz and wife, accompanied
by Mrs. C. V. Belknap, were visiting
in The Dalles last Saturday.

Miss Gertrude McCarthy, teacher
in Moro schools, spent last week-end
with her parents at Portland.

Miss Grace Miller, a candidate for
the republican nomination for county
school superintendent, is a young
Owen Searcy left Tuesday for
Sisters, Oregon, where he will work
this summer in a sawmill at that
place.

Geo. C. Friedley, an old time resi-
dent of the Wasco district was a
visitor at Moro on Monday of this
week.

A. M. Zevely, deputy school super-
intendent, was in Corvallis and Mon-
mouth part of the week on school
matters.

E. R. Barzee and wife, accom-
panied by Mrs. J. J. Schaeffer and
Mrs. Robert Urquhart, spent part of
last Saturday in The Dalles.

W. H. Helyer is back in Sherman
county after a visit of several months
with friends and relatives at various
places in the Willamette valley.

Wm. Currie and wife, driving from
Portland to Bend, tarried over night
last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs.
L. H. Martin at their home northeast
of this city.

Willard Urquhart, accompanied by
his sister Laura and Miss Marjorie
Cox, motored to Arlington Sunday
where they visited at the parental
home of Miss Cox.

Lester Kuks and family, residing
west of Grass Valley, were visiting
at the J. F. Foss home in this city
Wednesday afternoon. Kuks is a
nephew of Mrs. Foss.

Rev. H. G. Hanson left Monday
for Pendleton where he attended
meeting of the home missionary com-
mittee of the Presbyterian church for
Pendleton presbytery, returning
later in the week.

Beginning Monday March 10th in
addition to a la carte service at
luncheon and dinner Hotel Moro will
serve a 60 cent home style service at
both meals. Sunday service will
remain as at present.

The family style dining room
service at Hotel Moro is meeting
with the approval of the public.
Members of Moro Community Club
were well pleased with the change of
service at their meeting last Monday
evening.

An out of the ordinary attraction is
the clock hanging in the window of
the Bank of Moro. The clock keeps
perfect time and yet has no works of
any sort, except the hands and clock
face. It is proving quite a puzzle to
the public.

S. P. Brisbin is building an annex
to his residence property on Third
street, formerly occupied by C. V.
Belknap, consisting of a bath room
and a rear porch. The bath room now
in the house will be converted into
a clothes closet.

Douglas Evans, son of Mrs. M. L.
Evans, spent the last week-end at the
family home south of Moro. Douglas
is now a member of the special crew
of railway workers, located east of
Rufus, engaged in welding rail joints
of the main line into one continuous
ribbon of steel.

A delegation of 52 members of
Moro lodge Eastern Star attended the
8th anniversary observance of the
organization of Wasco Eastern Star
on Tuesday evening. At the time
of the inception of Wasco lodge the
Eastern Star members at Moro took
an active part in the work of organi-
zation.

Willis Ivan Buxton and Geneva
Irene Dillinger, both of Moro, were
united in marriage at The Dalles
last Friday, March 7th. The service
was read by Rev. H. C. Kohr in the
presence of the immediate families of
the bride and groom. After a brief
wedding trip to points in the valley,
Mr. and Mrs. Buxton will be at home
to their friends in Wasco.

C. A. Tom of Rufus has decided to
run for state representative for this
district at the urgent request of many
Sherman county people. He is a
farmer with rather large holdings;
has lived in Sherman county for
thirty years or more; is a director in
the Wasco County Bank of The
Dalles although all his interest,
farming and business, are centered
within this district.

L. E. Webb entertained the Moro
school board and their ladies and the
school faculty at luncheon at Hotel
Moro last Sunday. A large cake
decorated with 32 brightly burning
candles, in honor of Mr. Webb's natal
anniversary, incited the motif. Those
attending were L. E. Webb, W. C.
Bryant and wife, W. H. Ragdale and
wife, Mrs. D. E. Stephens, Miss
Samuelson, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Kent
Miss Stollar, and Miss Andersen.

News Items From Kent and Vicinity

Jack Kelly, our local barber, is
reported to be on the sick list.

M. L. Fritts and wife were week-
end visitors here from Grass Valley.

W. H. Clifford and wife and J. L.
Davis and wife were Goldendale
visitors Sunday.

O. W. Smith and wife will remain
in this county. Ott has rented a
farm east of Kent.

The high school is planning to put
on a big play at the school auditorium
on Friday, April 4th.

Dad Guyton has returned home
from Oregon City where he has been
spending the winter with his
daughter.

W. R. Adams and daughter were
down from Antelope Saturday to at-
tend the play, accompanied by Miss
Minnie Hogue.

Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. McInnis
have moved out to the farm. They
decided after they saw the play
Saturday night.

It is reported that Mr. Crocker,
of Goldendale, Washington, has
bought the Jake Wilson home now
occupied by W. H. Clifford.

Roy Barnett and wife were visit-
ing in The Dalles the first of the
week, accompanied by Mrs. J. L.
Mathis and Mrs. B. A. Hogue.

The new auto stage line is going to
be quite a help to our people who
travel. The stage schedule is op-
posite the train time, giving two
lines of travel daily.

The Vogel, brothers and their
families came up from The Dalles
Saturday evening to visit with their
sister, Mrs. J. R. Dellinger, and
family and also to attend the play.

A large attendance witnessed the
presentation of the play given by the
Ladies Aid last Saturday evening.
The ladies did splendidly in acting
their parts. About \$70 was realized
from the entertainment.

News Letter From Rufus Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Adams and
baby are visiting at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Jack Thompson. Mrs. Adams
is a sister of Mrs. Thompson. Mrs.
Adams is here looking for work.

A surprise party was given at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Sides of
Celilo, last Saturday night. The
music was furnished by Miss Rosa
Sides, piano; Mr. Sides, violin; Mrs.
Sides, guitar. Every body reports a
fine time.

The new management of Moro
theatre and Hotel Moro have perfected
a co-operative program for Sunday
afternoons that will certainly meet
with approval by the public who wish
a relaxation from the usual week-end
grind. The hotel is offering a special
Sunday luncheon, at a reasonable
price. The theatre management is
offering a special Sunday afternoon
matinee beginning at three o'clock,
with no other show on Sunday. In
addition the public is invited to use
the player piano installed this week
in the lobby of the hotel. A large
selection of rolls for the piano is
available.

Woman of pleasing personality who
has had six years of active experience
as a teacher in Oregon schools. She
is a graduate of Dufur high school
and the Dufur teacher's training
school, a graduate of Monmouth state
normal school, and has partly com-
pleted a course of study at O. A. C.,
which she expects to complete in the
near future. Miss Miller's teaching
experience has been in the schools of
Wasco, Tillamook, Linn and Sherman
counties. She specialized in super-
vision work under Prof. Pitman at
Monmouth state normal.

About 52 members and friends at-
tended the Dorcas social given at the
home of Mrs. C. R. Belshe on Wednes-
day afternoon. Decorations and favors
used were commemorative of St. Patrick
day, the rooms being ornamented
with Irish flags, Shamrock and green
crepe paper set off with potted house
plants. Favors used were the green
Irish harp. Answers to the main
guessing game were cities of the
newly created Irish free state. Rest-
freshments were served consisting of
salad, sandwiches and coffee.

Clifford Morrison, nephew of Wm.
Morrison of this city, is visiting this
week at Moro and vicinity. The
young man is a son of Mr. Morrison's
oldest brother and is enroute to visit
with a younger brother of Mr.
Morrison in southern California. His
home is near Vancouver, British
Columbia. During the world war he
was a member of a Canadian con-
tingent, serving four years overseas.

The special Sunday matinee service,
at Moro theatre, beginning at three
o'clock, is intended for those who
cannot attend the usual Saturday and
Tuesday evening shows because of
keeping stores open or work on the
farm. No evening shows will be
given Sunday. This permits any one
coming into town for their mail on
Sunday a chance to see the pictures
and return home at the usual hour.

J. C. Freeman and family have
moved temporarily to the Perkins
building on Main street while num-
erous alterations are being made to
their residence on Scott street. It is
said that the interior of the home
will be completely remodeled and a
back porch added, in the descriptive
language of Neal Freeman "every-
thing but the shingles on the roof
will be changed around."

CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All
Local Denominations

A social hour was spent Friday
evening at the Presbyterian church,
when a goodly number of young people
met under the auspices of the Chris-
tian Endeavor society. Miss Beale
Andersen is president of the society,
and Miss Zella Burnet is chairman of
the social committee. These with
helpers furnished an interesting
social evening to all who gathered.

Two social functions took place
last week in connection with the
Presbyterian Sunday school. Thurs-
day evening at 6:30 a banquet was
staged in the basement of the church.
A hilarious crowd of more than thirty
juniors and intermediates with a few
adults helped themselves to the
bounties spread before them. The
banquet was given by the teachers of
four Sunday school classes. M. G.
Melzer, teacher of the scout's class,
Mrs. C. L. Foley, teacher of junior
boys, Mrs. L. V. Moore teacher of
the intermediate girls, and Miss Ruth
McClelland, teacher of the junior
girls. Rev. and Mrs. Hanson and Dr.
Foley were guests on the occasion,
and joined in the fun of the evening.
Before and after the banquet games
were played until the approach of the
curfew hour sent the youngsters
hurrying homewards.

The second function took place
Friday evening, when members of the
adult Bible class enjoyed the hospi-
tality of their teacher, Robert W.
Pinkerton and wife at their country
residence north of Moro. A splendid
social evening was spent in guessing
games, stunts, and social intercourse.
The class discussed organization, and
it is expected that in the near future
a name will be chosen for the class
and officers elected.

Movie News of the Current Week

Showing Hollywood, California,
the capital of filmdom, as it really is,
not as it is sometimes painted, is one
of the features of the James Cruze
Paramount picture, "Hollywood,"
which has been booked for Moro
Theatre for this Saturday evening
and Sunday matinee at 3 p. m. March
15th and 16th. Frank Condon, who
wrote the short story from which the
picture was adapted, lives in and
knows Hollywood intimately. James
Cruze, the director, lives in and is
familiar with every phase of the
community and studio life. The only
strangers are some of the unknown
players who interpret the roles of
the folks from Centerville, Indiana,
and who are quite like the characters
they depict.

Joel Whitaker is ordered west for
his health. His granddaughter An-
gela, comes with him to seek a place
in the films, having been told, and
herself being quite certain, that she
will be a howling success and a star.
Later on, all the family come to
California and all get into the films
except Angela who never gets a
chance. They meet all the noted
screen folk—stars and directors, and
their adventures are both humorous
and pathetic with a touch of thrill
thrown in.

One of the features—perhaps one
of the greatest—is seeing all the
famous screen folk in one film. And
another is the opportunity of seeing
the famous places in and about the
western film capital. Unquestion-
ably this is the most novel picture
that has ever reached the screen.

One of the most delightful picture
offerings seen in Moro for some time
is "Salomy Jane," a Paramount pic-
ture of Bret Harte's celebrated
story of California during the gold
rush days, which comes to Moro the-
atre next Tuesday, March 18th. Ja-
cqueline Logan, George Fawcett and
Maurice Flynn, the feature players of
an unusually capable cast, are excel-
lent in their respective portrayals of
Jane, Yuba Bill and the stranger.
The scenes are laid in the mining
town of Red Dog, and from the rob-
bery of the stage coach at the start
down to the finish, when Jane and the
stranger plight their troth, thrills
never cease for a moment. Western
pictures may be regarded as ordinary,
but this production by George Mel-
ford rises to the dignity of majesty
of art and beauty. The shots of
mountain scenery, and of a storm
with wild ride, seldom have been
equalled and never surpassed by any
other picture. No one who likes
strong, virile, beautiful and impres-
sive pictures can afford to miss
"Salomy Jane."

Cove citizens are proposing to start
a campaign to float a \$3000 bond is
due to build a community hall.

Girl reserves from all sections of
Oregon gathered at Salem to attend
the annual convention of the organiza-
tion.

The North Powder Commercial club
is the name given to the civic organi-
zation which was formed in that city
last week.

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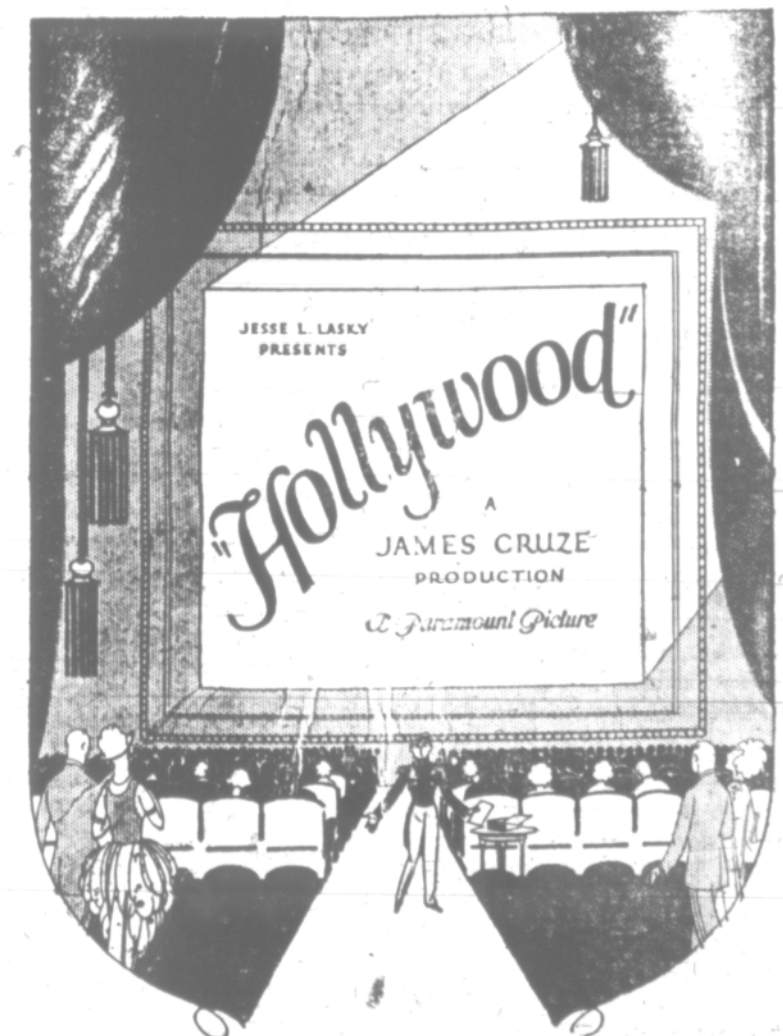
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Tuesday March 18

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