

SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

Moro, Oregon

FRIDAY June 13, 1924

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. Robt. Urquhart, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter
No. 78 O. E. S.
Regular communications each 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings monthly. Mrs. W. F. Hulery, Worthy Matron. Nana Barzee, Secretary.

Floro 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. C. L. Montgomery, N. G. A. M. Young, Secretary.

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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.

Movie News of the Current Week

Some people will wonder where Harold Lloyd found the "model" for his characterization in "Dr. Jack," his newest feature comedy, which will come to the House of Good Pictures this next Saturday and Sunday.

While Lloyd was making his new comedy, he had visits from many well known physicians, who gave him valuable advice in the development of his story. One was Dr. Peck, an eminent eye, nose and throat specialist of Chicago.

When Dr. Peck had the story of "Dr. Jack" outlined to him by Lloyd, he laughed heartily, for it brought to his mind "Dr. Sunshine," as one of Chicago's foremost specialists in children's diseases is known.

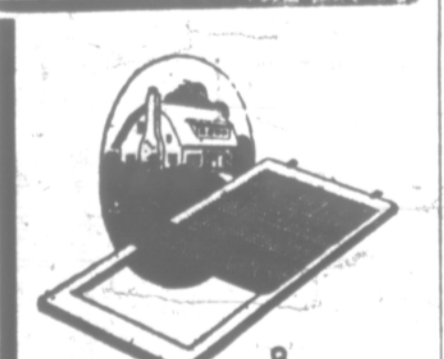
"Dr. Sunshine" effects his cures just as Lloyd does in "Dr. Jack." Sunshine, a little candy, and wonders are worked by this noted Chicago physician, in his own peculiar way. In his medicine case—or what should be his medicine case,—he carries jars of jelly, lollypops, and most everything but medicine.

Lloyd had never heard of this doctor before his visit from Dr. Peck, who assured him, however, that in his many years of practice, he had met many physicians who will probably be known as "Dr. Jack," when the new Lloyd comedy is exploited throughout the country.

Mrs. Lucy Ruggles expects to leave next Monday for a three months visit with her brothers and sister in California. She will visit at Oakland, San Jose, and places near these cities. She will return to Sherman county about September first, in time to begin her 8th term of teaching in Grass Valley schools.

Mrs. Joe Truitt and children, who have been visiting with friends at Madras the past two weeks, returned to this city Monday evening. Mr. Truitt, during the absence of his family, has been batching the same as most benedicts do during such times, eating regularly three times a day at Hotel Moro.

The garage and contents, including a Delco lighting system, owned by H. B. Belshoe and located on his farm east of this city, had a close call from total destruction by fire on Monday. The distributor on the Delco, being grimy with oil, was cleaned by Mr. Belshoe squirting a small amount of gasoline on the brushes. Usually this soon evaporates, but on this occasion it caught fire. Mr. Belshoe was in his auto, with Mrs. Belshoe, starting to town, when he noticed the slight blaze as he drove by the Delco plant. A small piece of waste wiped around the burning oil quickly put out the fire.



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Sherman County School Notes

All the school districts in Sherman county will hold their annual school meetings next Monday, June 16th. At these meetings the financial report for the year will be presented and a school clerk and one board member will be elected. After the annual meeting of each district has been held, the clerk's books and reports will be turned in for the yearly audit. J. Minor Booth of The Dalles will make these audits and will do the work at the office of the county school superintendent.

The annual boys and girls industrial club summer school opens in Corvallis June 16th. Sherman county is sending as representatives, Jessie Belshoe and Mary Smith of Moro, Harold Payne Reckman of Grass Valley, Henrietta Akers of Klondike, Jessie Belshoe and Harold Payne were given the trip as a result of winning first place in their respective projects at the state fair. Jessie Belshoe was given a score of 100 per cent in her third division sewing and Harold Payne won the blue ribbon in rural home beautification. The club members will spend two weeks at Corvallis in company with some two hundred fifty other club members from the different counties of the state, all under the supervision of H. C. Seymour and J. E. Calvan of the state industrial club department.

Classes are arranged for the boys and girls according to their ages. The work given is of practical value and the two weeks time brings many new experiences to all fortunate to attend.

Word was received in this city on Tuesday of the sudden death of Mrs. M. L. Evans of this city, at Hoquiam, Washington, where she was visiting with her daughter. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, after arrival of the afternoon train, at the Methodist church.

About forty members of the Dorcas society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry G. Hanson. An instrumental and vocal program was the feature entertainment provided for the occasion. Strawberry short cake with whipped cream and coffee was served for refreshments.

Dr. C. L. Poley will not move to Grass Valley at this time. Later in the year he may do so. He has rented an office in the Baker brick block at Grass Valley and will be in his office at that place from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. each day. Unless otherwise engaged he will be in his office at Moro until 9:30 a. m. and after 4:30 p. m.

Prof. Homer Sibley, principal of the Kent school, and Miss Cleo Bayliss of that city, were married in Moro on Thursday afternoon June 5th, Rev. U. C. Smothers officiating. Mrs. Sibley is a popular member of the younger set in Kent and was a member of the senior class of Kent high school last term. Mr. Sibley will return to Kent next term as principal of the school at that place.

Carl D. Shoemaker has tendered his resignation as master fish warden, to become effective July 1, after which he will be known as office manager of the state fish commission until the new master fish warden becomes familiar with the work of the department. Mr. Shoemaker has no plans for the future.

Opposition to his policy in handling the horse show in the state fair caused Dr. J. W. Morrow, democratic national committeeman, to send his resignation from the state fair board to Governor Pierce. Horace Addis of Portland, field editor of the Oregon Farmer, was appointed as a member of the state fair board to succeed Dr. J. W. Morrow.

Dallas was selected as the site for the 1925 convention of the Oregon state grange, in final sessions of the 51st annual meeting of that order. The convention held at The Dalles was attended by more than 850 grangers from over the state. George A. Palminter of Hood River will serve as master of the Oregon state grange for another two years. His election to that office, through a referendum of the various grange lodges in the state, was confirmed by the convention.

The extent of motor travel from other states into Oregon during the current year may be forecast from the fact that during the month of May 7081 motor vehicles licensed under the laws of other states were registered under the Oregon non-resident law, according to figures made public by Sam Koser, secretary of state. Of this number the greatest registration was of California cars, of which there were 3921. Next in number is 1795 cars from the state of Washington and third, 438 cars from the state of Idaho.

With the arrest of Cyril Goff, an employe of the Irwin-Hodson company of Portland, on charges of larceny, police officials declared they had made the first step in uncovering a ring of men who have been defrauding the state out of thousands of dollars through the counterfeiting of automobile license plates. Goff, according to the police, helped furnish a pair of counterfeit tags found on the machine of P. J. Pierre, ex-motorcycle policeman, when he was arrested at McMinnville on a minor traffic charge. The Irwin-Hodson company has the contract with the state to furnish license plates. Dishonest workmen, the police said, have stolen or made duplicate sets of tags in the company's workroom and are thought to have done a profitable business in selling these at reduced rates to friends.

BRIEF NEWS

Paragraphs on State, County and Community's Events

A. M. Zevely was a business visitor to Hermiston on Tuesday of this week.

Alf Dillinger, living in The Dalles, was visiting part of the week at the Wm. Morrison home in this city.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson and children left last Sunday for Portland, where they will visit during the Rose Festival season.

H. W. Strong and wife, from Eugene, were visiting at the Truman Strong home, north of this city, part of the week.

The filly advertised by Tom Fraser as strayed from his farm east of Moro was picked up south of Kent by Guy Hoskinson.

C. J. Thompson and family are expected home from Corvallis this week. They intend to remain in Sherman county until late this fall.

Dr. C. L. Poley reports that a son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Holmes, residing south west of Grass Valley, on Monday, June 9th.

C. M. Cunningham and wife and Mrs. Susie Hastings and son Louis, returned Monday from a visit of several days at Vancouver, Washington.

Mrs. Robt. Urquhart was the pleased recipient of a large box of choice roses on Wednesday, a gift from Mrs. George Urquhart of Portland.

While working on his auto last Saturday a wrench slipped off a bolt head, causing A. M. Zevely to lose the nail off the second finger of his left hand.

Dr. C. L. Poley reports that Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLeod, residing in the Rutledge district, are the parents of a boy, born on Monday morning, June 9th.

Miss Isla McCain, formerly a teacher in the Moro school and last term similarly engaged at Pendleton, was visiting in this city part of the current week.

Grandma Powell accompanied her son, Chas. L. Powell on his return by motor to Portland this week, intending to visit in that city during the Rose Festival.

A. H. Barnum is using a fancy cane with which to guide his erring footsteps these days. He attributes the need of the cane to a touch of sciatica rheumatism.

W. A. Raymond has been nursing the second finger of his left hand the last two weeks. The injury was caused by being hit with a hammer, followed by infection.

A. M. Zevely, assistant county school superintendent, expects to leave the last of the week for Monmouth, where he will attend a five weeks summer school.

Jess B. Thompson, former resident and farmer of Sherman county now residing at Milwaukie, Oregon, is visiting this week at the Neil McDonald home in Hay canyon.

C. L. Powell was a visitor to our city this last week-end from Portland. He was accompanied by Mrs. Maggie Huff Moore a former resident of this city now living at Spokane.

Mrs. D. H. Wright accompanied by her two sons Pearl and Alvin, left by motor on Wednesday of this week for Roseburg where they will visit with a brother of Mrs. Wright.

Mrs. C. C. Richmond motored to Portland the first of the week accompanied by Mr. Richmond's parents. She was intending to remain in that city during the Rose Festival period.

D. E. Stephens, superintendent of the local experiment station, returned to this city on Wednesday from a brief trip to Umatilla county, where he attended several farmers meetings.

H. U. Martin and wife, enroute from their home at The Dalles to visit with their daughter in Spokane, stopped in this city last Saturday for a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Wednesday, June 25th, is the date set for the annual Sunday school rally to be held this year at Grass Valley. Each school in the county has been allotted a 15-minute period on the program.

A family reunion of the Ruggles families will be held in this city next Sunday in honor of Mrs. Lucy Ruggles. It is expected that six children with their families, numbering 28, will be present. One daughter, Mrs. Lou Brown, will not be able to attend, she being in school at Monmouth.

T. R. Hampton, of Pendleton, combined pleasure with business last week-end while in this city. He was a delegate to the meeting of farmers from five counties, meeting here to discuss basic harvest wages, and also visited at the homes of W. H. Ragdale and A. S. Johnson. Mr. Hampton is an uncle of Mr. Ragdale and Mrs. Johnson.

Edwin Stephens of Moro was awarded a bronze medal as third prize in a seed judging contest for O. A. C. freshmen, at a luncheon given by the college faculty Wednesday of last week. Interest evidenced in the contest, as shown by the fact that fifty persons attended the luncheon and the growing importance of crop judging work indicate that this contest will be an annual affair.

News Items From Kent and Vicinity

Otto Peetz, county assessor, was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Holmes are the proud parents of a son, arriving June 9th.

Misses Golda Hartley and Martha Wilson returned Thursday from Eugene.

I. E. Wilson and family spent last week in Eugene at the J. M. Wilson home.

Mrs. B. F. Ireland is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Woodroff near Spokane.

Carl Pluemke is spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. Grant Smith of Portland.

J. E. Norton and family have returned from their trip to Airline and Corvallis.

Fred Brown is spending the week with his niece, Mrs. George Rider, at Portland.

Frank Haynes of McMinnville, is visiting with his aged father, Calvin Haynes.

G. W. Howell and family are back from a trip to Vancouver, Washington, and Portland.

Three or four more ladies have had their hair bobbed this last week. The question is who will be the next.

Lela and Johnny Howell, from Vancouver, Washington, are visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. W. A. Young.

Max Pluemke, Wm. Kohler and J. Wassmiller left early Monday morning for Seattle to take in the big ball game.

Mrs. Fred Haynes left during the week for Corvallis to attend the graduating exercises of her son Ralph and his class.

Wm. Mitchell and family are expected home soon from a ten day outing spent around Portland and Vancouver, Washington.

J. C. Hartley and wife are visiting in Hood River at the home of Granville I Phillips and family, former residents of this section.

Mr. Hilton and wife, moving here from Hood River, are now located in Kent. Mr. Hilton is the recently appointed manager for the Tumalum Lumber Co.

A. A. Dunlap and wife left Wednesday for Seattle, where Mr. Dunlap expects to meet his parents and sister, who are coming from Warren, Pennsylvania.

G. W. Barnett and wife, from The Dalles, and Wm. Mumpers and wife, from Salem, were visitors at the J. L. Matties home last week. Mrs. Mumpers is a sister of Mr. Matties.

Joe Wilson, son of J. H. Wilson, has returned from Eugene. He was attending school at that place until a recent spell of serious illness confined him to a hospital instead of a school room.

Guy Hoskinson and mother, Mrs. E. A. Hoskinson motored to Moro on Wednesday of this week. They were accompanied by Mrs. Rebecca Johnson, aunt of Mrs. Hoskinson, who has been visiting at the Hoskinson home for the past week.

We are now getting the Oregonian at 10:30 a. m. on the date of issue. Delivery is made by auto stage between The Dalles and Bend. Thus our merchants receive the benefit of the late closing market changes of the previous day, which helps to maintain closer touch with Portland markets.

The rain of Wednesday evening, June 11th, is reported to have been exceptionally heavy in the Kent section with the result that roads in that district are reported to be too soft for travel.

W. H. Williams left for Portland early Thursday morning, accompanied by Floyd Platt. The trip was for the purpose of bringing back a Ford truck which Mr. Platt has purchased for his local dry business.

Fourteen of the 18 members of the local girls' scout organization left the first of the week for their annual outing to be spent near Dufur. Miss Bessie Andersen and her cousin Miss Rasmussen from Hillsboro are in company.

L. B. Payne was in this city from his Fleck orchard property at Rufus last Saturday. He reported a general rain over that section when he left about 3 p. m. The same storm worked south to this place along about 8 p. m., but brought very little rain.

Several showers have visited the county during the last two weeks, but none of any great amount. The records at the local experiment station show less than .15 of an inch for the month of May, which is the greatest rain month of the spring season, having a normal average rainfall of 1.01 inches.

The program and arrangements committee, having in charge the home talent Sherman county chautauqs to be held at DeMoro next Thursday and Friday, met at Hotel Moro last Saturday to complete final details. The program for the two days, afternoons and evenings, will be found on page one. Good service in lighting the grounds has been arranged for through the courtesy of Roy F. Dean, manager for the Sherman Electric Co. A transformer will be placed by that company and service furnished exactly the same as other places in the county.

CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All Local Denominations

Rev. U. C. Smothers will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. The Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m.

The usual services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.

Last Sunday morning the Methodists responded to the invitation of the Presbyterians to unite with them in worship for that service, the occasion being reports on the law enforcement congress recently held in Portland. Robt. W. Pinkerton, R. C. Byers and Rev. Henry G. Hanson gave the report. They reported a very happy congress, full of enthusiasm and optimism as to future enforcement of the prohibition law. Governor Pierce was one of the most highly praised speakers at the congress. Other speakers came from various parts of Washington, British Columbia and Oregon, while "Pussy-foot" Johnson reported on conditions in Europe and Asia.

Christian Science church services at eleven o'clock on Sunday morning and at eight o'clock on Wednesday evening. Sunday school at 10:15. The reading room is open daily where the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. The subject of the lesson-sermon for next Sunday is "The Public is cordially invited to attend these services and to make use of the reading room."

Ted Mandronas, accused of being the third man in the Mosier Valley bank robbery last November, was found guilty of robbery armed with a dangerous weapon, by a jury in the circuit court at The Dalles.

Governor Pierce commuted from death to life imprisonment the sentence of Abe Evans, who was scheduled to be hanged for the murder of James Moran in Wasco county. The crime was committed September 10, 1921, near The Dalles. The governor's decision is based on the belief that Evans is feeble minded.

A man 56 years of age writes this office that he wants a steady job on a wheat farm or stock ranch. We know that he has had six years experience on Sherman county farms and that he knows the conditions. A good home much more than wages is his earnest desire. Write or call the Observer office, Moro, for further information. Now, is there any one of the numerous readers of the Observer who wants help on the farm and can provide a home to a man who will appreciate the opportunity.

Cutting Up Alfalfa Farm
I am cutting up my 515 acre alfalfa farm near Hermiston and will sell small tracts improved or partly improved with terms and conditions to suit purchaser. Will sell to reliable man without payment down provided he has some equipment and can finance himself. Write for further information. E. P. Dodd, Hermiston, Ore.

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Over 30 words, 1.5c per wd.

LARD for sale, any quantity. Will give good price on 5-gallon lots. H. B. Pinkerton, Moro.

LOST or strayed from my ranch 12 miles south of Grass Valley three or four weeks ago—One bay mare, large and gentle; one 2-year old bay mare, large and very gentle; All freshly branded combination CW in circle on right shoulder. Suitable reward will be paid for information concerning the above. H. H. White, Klondike, Oregon.

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