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Eureka 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

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No. 78 O. E. S.
Regular communications
each 2nd and 4th Thursday
evening monthly.
Mrs. E. A. Cushman,
Worthy Matron.
Nena Barzee, Secretary.

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Meets every Monday eve-
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thers are cordially invited to
meet with us.
H. C. Ruggles, N. G.
A. M. Young, Secretary.

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of each month. Visiting
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We have a way of making
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We serve the food you like, the
food you eat at home, cooked
as you like it, and the price is
very moderate.

Hotel Moro

"A Home Away From Home"

Movie News of the Current Week

The hour for evening movie shows
to begin at Moro theatre has been
changed to 7:30 p. m., one half hour
earlier than the former summer
schedule.

John Galworthy is the most famous
living English novelist. Every book
he writes is a best seller. "The
Stranger" is the first production he
has ever permitted to go directly to
the screen.

Once in a great while, somebody
takes all the old elements, love,
romance, pathos, laughs, thrills—and
makes a different kind of story out of
them—John Galworthy has done all
of this and more.

When you see "The Stranger" at
Moro theatre next Saturday evening,
you'll say that screen history has
been made again.

The screen story is taken from
Galworthy's novel "The First and
the Last," which for sheer dramatic
strength will not be equalled by any
picture this season. There is drama
in every foot, pathos, heart-interest,
a marvelous love-interest and a most
uncanny insight into four remarkable
characters, four roles that seem as if
they were actually written for Betty
Compson, Richard Dix, Lewis Stone
and Tully Marshall.

Every lover of horses, as well as
every drama lover, will respond to
the tremendous double appeal of
"The King of Wild Horses," the
Pathepicture produced by Hal Roach
and showing at Moro theatre Sunday.
It is unique in entertainment possi-
bilities because it presents, for the
very first time, a really wild and
unconquered horse in the leading
role.

The horse supplies many of the
thrills in the picture, one of the most
amazing of them being his fight with
one of his own kind for supremacy of
the plains. Another thrill is a forest
fire from which the horse is saved by
his enemy—man. The leading roles
are portrayed by Leon Barry and Edna
Murphy.

Boy Scouts Meet to Plan Work For Winter and Spring Months

The boy scouts held their first
meeting of the season in the base-
ment of the Presbyterian church
Thursday evening. A modified plan
of meetings are to be inaugurated
this fall, the older scouts meeting in
the Presbyterian church, and the
younger scouts at the Methodist
church. The troop will still be one
troop, but for lack of a suitable room
large enough to accommodate all this
method will be tried. Rev. Henry
G. Hanson continues as scout master,
but will have three assistants, Dr.
J. R. Morgan, A. M. Zevely, and
Rev. K. A. Feenstra. Two of the
scout masters will meet with each
section of the troop. Occasional
joint meetings will be planned, when
the boys can put on programs suited
to such gatherings. Boys between 12
and 18 are invited to become scouts
and practice the scout spirit.

I. Owen Thompson left this week
for Pasadena where he expects to pass
the winter months with his father.
He says he will be back again next
spring as he has unfinished work to
do at Camp Sherman, where he has
been the past six months constructing
cottages.

About seventy attended the social
meeting of the Dorcas society at the
home of Mrs. R. C. Byers on Wed-
nesday afternoon. A game of guess-
ing names of well known authors from
pictures hung on the wall was won by
Mrs. Tom Fraser with Mrs. Clarence
Anderson a close second. Mrs. Roy
Kunsman favored those present with
vocal selections. Refreshments con-
sisting of sandwiches, cake and
coffee was served.

Every reader of advertisements has
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BRIEF NEWS

Paragraphs on State, County and
Community's Events

H. C. Ruggles is building a con-
crete wall in front of his property on
Main street.

Ralph Briabine is moving into the
G. E. Mathews residence, recently
purchased by him.

Grover Young and Arthur Justisen
of Kent district were visitors in this
city on Wednesday of this week.

T. W. Alley and wife, accompanied
by Mrs. W. P. Luttrell of Grass Val-
ley, were visiting last week-end at
Bend.

Miss Millie Benson is reported to
be confined to her home as the result
of diseased tonsils and the operation
for their removal.

F. W. Hutchcroft will appreciate
the return of a side curtain to his
Dodge, lost on the roads around Moro
some time last month.

Notices will be mailed late this
week, calling a meeting of the Moro
Community club for next Wednesday
evening at Hotel Moro.

N. P. Hanson and wife drove up
the highway Tuesday from their home
at Portland. Mr. Hanson has exten-
sive farm interests east of this place.

Mrs. Anna Urquhart has moved her
stock of ladies wearing apparel and
millinery from Hotel Moro to a loca-
tion in the Bank of Moro brick build-
ing.

Kathryn Hennagin, daughter of
Fred Hennagin of Wasco, has been
pledged to Alpha Chi Omega sorority
at O. A. C. A total of 128 girls
were pledged during rush week.

E. C. McMillin was a visitor in
this city on Wednesday from Port-
land. Altho he no longer has farm
interests in this section, he says he
enjoys a drive up the highway to
visit old scenes.

Roy Harbin was a visitor in this
city on Tuesday from his home at
Kent. Roy is the water king of that
city, having the ownership of the
system that supplies that necessary
fluid to the locality.

Floyd C. Westerfield, associate
publisher of the Springfield News and
son of Mrs. W. I. Westerfield of
Grass Valley, and Velma Rupert,
society editor of the Eugene Guard,
were married last Sunday, at
Eugene.

Owen Thompson was in the city
last week-end from Camp Sherman
where he has been busy all summer
constructing summer cottages. He
had a large collection of photo views
of scenes of summer life in that
vicinity.

This city was all but deserted last
week-end by the great number of
local hunters who journeyed to Her-
miston for the chance of getting china
pheasants with the opening of the
pheasant season last Sunday. Nearly
all returned with limit bags.

Dr. M. F. Froyd has rented office
rooms in the Hotel Moro building and
expects to be here Saturday in time
to open the offices beginning next
Monday morning. Dr. Froyd comes
to this city well recommended,
he having been in active practice on
the Pacific coast for about a year
since he left Chicago.

At the second meeting of the demo-
cratic county committee, held in this
city on Tuesday evening, it was defi-
nitely decided that the committee
would not take action towards filling
the vacancy on the county democratic
ticket for a candidate for county as-
sessor. This action is an indirect
endorsement of Mrs. Margaret Peetz
for the office of county assessor.

A man driving up the Columbia
highway from Portland on Tuesday
reported that it was raining an old
fashioned down pour at Portland when
he left and that the rain stayed with
him until after he left Hood River.
Less than half that moisture would
be gladly welcomed by Sherman
county farmers who want to begin
fall seeding and are fearful to start
before rain comes.

S. A. Hall has had the front porch
of his farm home converted into a
sun parlor by having a set of triple
2-sash windows built into a glass
front on each side of a 3-foot french
door with 20-inch side lights. When
finished the porch was made into an
8-foot by 28-foot addition to his home.
The porch, before the work was
started, had set on concrete pillars.
This was changed to a solid concrete
foundation. I. Owen Thompson was
in charge of the work.

O. P. King was in town on Tues-
day, the first time for several days.
He has been staying close to home
since September 29th, when he was
thrown from a horse. The horse
jumped before Mr. King got into the
saddle, striking his leg against a
coupling pole of a wagon and throw-
ing his rider. Mr. King held the
reins until he got his foot out of the
stirrup, altho he was dragged about
four feet.

Those attending the W. C. T. U.
county convention at Kent last week,
report a very enjoyable and profitable
time. Inspiration was added by a
visiting delegation of ladies from
Shaniko, and the presence and help
on the program of Mrs. Ellis, presi-
dent of Jefferson county W. C. T. U.,
Rev. H. G. Hanson and Rev. and Mrs.
Feenstra of Moro. Reports for the
past year were encouraging, and
revealed the fact that more than \$250
in cash and supplies had been sent by
the unions of this county to the
children's farm home at Corvallis.

News Items From Kent and Vicinity

W. A. Young visited Dr. Butler
on Friday of this week.

The juvenile smoker and dance
was quite a success Saturday evening.
The ladies aid met at the home of
Mrs. Jas. Dellinger Thursday after-
noon.

B. M. Brown and Roy Harbin were
business visitors to our county seat
Tuesday.

Roy Howell and wife of Vancouver,
Washington, were recently visiting
with relatives in Kent.

W. H. Clifford and wife left for
Portland Wednesday. Mr. Clifford
has been the manager of the Crocker
Grain Co. the past two years.

The county W. C. T. U. convention
was held in Kent last week. A very
profitable time was had. The con-
vention is to be held in Wasco next
year.

A. A. Dunlap one of our enter-
prising merchants motored to Port-
land Monday. Returning Wednesday
evening. Mrs. Mitchell accompanied
him.

Mrs. C. F. Simler of Toledo sur-
prised her mother, Mrs. Hogue, by
walking in on her unannounced, com-
ing on the Sunday evening train. She
says the "old home town" looks good
to her. She also says Sherman county
rains must have come to Toledo.

A very enjoyable surprise party
was held at the W. H. Clifford home
Tuesday evening. The ladies of the
W. C. T. U. met and presented a
slight token of regard to Mrs. Clifford
for her help with the work while
making her home with us. We are
sorry to see them leave, and wish
them happiness in their new home.

Epic Story of "Covered Wagon" Coming Soon to Moro Theatre

A magnificent epic of the early
west is James Cruze's latest Para-
mount production, "The Covered
Wagon," which will be the feature
at Moro theatre two days Friday and
Saturday, October 24th and 25th.
This is a picturization of Emerson
Hough's new novel of the same name
and it is said to be one of the greatest
photoplays ever seen on the screen.

The features embraced in this story
are many and varied and include
among others, the start of 350 covered
wagons from Westport Landing (now
Kansas City), in 1848. The terrors
of fording freshet rivers, prairie fires
and the like are depicted with great
realism. A buffalo hunt is one of
the most exciting scenes. Old Fort
Bridger with a night attack and fight
by day with Indians, are shown. The
avoiding of the trails to Oregon and
California at old Fort Hall, a touch
of the gold fever in California, mag-
nificent mountain shots and a culmi-
nation of the romance with the estab-
lishment of one of the first
homesteads in Oregon these are all
incidents in a picture that bristles
with big scenes and characters as Kit
Carson, Jim Bridger and Bill Jackson,
scouts and typical western characters,
are portrayed in the Paramount screen
version of the novel, which is con-
sidered to be one of the most notable
literary achievements of the present
decade.

The various roles are in the hands
of well known screen players. The
leading man is J. Warren Kerrigan,
and the leading woman is Lois Wil-
son. Alan Hale is the villain. Others
in the cast include Tully Marshall,
Ethel Wales, Charles Ogle and John
Fox. Jack Cunningham adapted the
novel to the screen.

Black shepherd dog strayed. Frank
Roberts, Moro.

Beauty Shoppe open Saturdays and
evenings at Hotel Moro.

Uncle Ben Brown was a visitor on
Tuesday in this city from Kent.

A good crowd listened appreciat-
ingly last Sunday evening to a
splendid message by Mrs. Feenstra at
the Methodist church.

Instruction in a flying school at Ore-
gon agricultural college will start in
October under personal supervision of
Lieutenant A. R. French of Portland.
A record for September shipments
of fruits was made at Hood River this
year. Up to October 1 329 carloads of
pears and apples had rolled for mar-
ket.

The attorney-general has asked for
an appropriation of \$66,280 for the
next two years as against actual ex-
penses for the present biennium of
\$45,413.

By order of the president, a work
meeting of the Dorcas society has
been called to meet at the Presby-
terian church next Wednesday after-
noon, October 15th. All members are
urged to attend, there being a quan-
tity of work to do.

The room formerly used at Hotel
Moro as a ladies rest room has been
taken over by Dr. M. F. Froyd as a
reception room for his patients and
in place of the former room a rest
room for ladies has been arranged
from the rear room off the writing
room in the main lobby of the hotel.

R. C. Byers and family, accom-
panied by Miss Mabel Byers and Miss
Lena Howard, teacher at DeMoss
school, made a week-end auto visit to
Hood River and White Salmon where
they visited with relatives. Mr.
Byers says that at White Salmon two
school districts have joined in form-
ing a union district and are building
a \$42,000 union high school building,
which is now about completed.

CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All
Local Denominations

The usual midweek prayer meeting
will be held next Wednesday evening
at the Methodist parsonage.

The young peoples class of the
Methodist Sunday school met last
Friday evening at the home of Zella
Burnett for a social time and for the
election of officers for the coming
year.

Next Sunday morning at the Pres-
byterian church the sacrament of the
Lord's Supper will be observed at
11:00 o'clock. In connection there-
with there will be an opportunity for
reception of members and baptism.

The midweek services of the Pres-
byterian church this fall and winter
will be held at the manse on Wed-
nesday evenings at 7:30 p. m. Vari-
ety will be one of the features which
will make these midweek meetings
helpful to all comers.

Services at the Methodist church
next Sunday at the usual hours. Sun-
day school will convene at ten o'clock
with the superintendent, Mrs. W. C.
Bryant, in charge. Preaching service
at eleven o'clock, subject "The New
Birth." Everybody will be made
welcome. R. A. Feenstra, pastor.

Next Sunday evening Rev. D. E.
Norcross of Portland, will speak at
the union meeting at the Presbyterian
church at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Norcross
represents the Near East Relief which
is caring for many thousands of
orphans in Syria, Turkey, Armenia,
and parts of the Caucasus. Every
body is invited to hear Mr. Norcross.

Christian Science church services
are held on Sunday morning at eleven
o'clock and on Wednesday evening at
eight o'clock. Sunday school at
10:15. The reading room in the rear
of the church is open daily, where
the Bible and all authorized Christian
Science literature may be read,
borrowed or purchased. All are cor-
dially invited to attend the church
services and to make use of the
reading room.

Oregon News in Brief

Albany schools have more than 135
pupils enrolled in band and orchestra
work this year.

Damage estimated at \$9500 was done
by a fire which started in the repair
shop of the Kaleva Auto company in
Astoria.

The Salem lodge of Elks has taken
out a permit to erect in the city of
Salem a new temple to cost approxi-
mately \$175,000.

Cash prizes aggregating \$1200 will
be awarded at the Hermiston Dairy
and Hog show this year, to be held
Wednesday and Thursday.

The receipts at the Eugene post-
office for September this year show
a gain of 15 per cent over the cor-
responding period last year.

Timber land in Lane county will
be assessed this year 5 per cent high-
er than last year, according to action
of the county board of equalization.
Building activities in Salem during
the first nine months of the year 1924
have exceeded the figures for the en-
tire 12 months of the year 1923 by
\$184,448.

Approval of the state income tax
and indorsement of the anti-oleomar-
garine bill were voted at the conven-
tion at Eugene of the State Federation
of Labor.

It will require approximately \$100,
000 to repair the Summer lake irri-
gation district dam in Lake county,
according to estimates made by the
state engineer.

The number of full time students
in the University of Oregon this col-
lege year will approximate 2850 or
2900, a record attendance in the life
of the institution.

Corvallis and Albany are planning
a joint celebration to commemorate
the opening of the new Corvallis-Al-
bany highway which will be open for
traffic October 17.

The state tax on sales of gasoline
and distillate in Oregon in August
returned to the state \$298,028.53, ac-
cording to a report issued by Sam A.
Kozor, secretary of state.

The Astoria chapter of the Daugh-
ters of the American Revolution Mon-
day unveiled a bronze tablet, set in a
granite marker, commemorative of the
first settlement of Astoria.

Work will be started on a new high
tension transmission line from the
Eugene power plant on the McKenzie
river, two miles west of Walthersville,
to the substation in Eugene.

OBSERVER WANT ADS

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

BLACK saddle mare for sale, winner
of blue ribbon at county fair this
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Admission 30c and 10c

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Admission 30c and 10c

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