

## SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

Moro, Oregon

FRIDAY, November 7, 1924

**Eureka Lodge No. 121**  
A. P. & C. M. Moro, Oes.  
Meet 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.  
Mrs. E. A. Cushman,  
Worthy Matron.  
Nana Barzee, Secretary.

**Moro Lodge No. 113**  
I. O. O. F.  
Meet every Monday even-  
ing in the I. O. O. F. hall.  
Transient and visiting bro-  
thers are cordially invited to  
meet with us.  
H. C. Ruggles, N. G.  
A. M. Young, Secretary.

**Lupine Rebecca Lodge**  
No. 116, Moro, Oregon.  
Meets 1st and 3d Fridays  
of each month. Visiting  
members welcome.  
Margaret Peetz, N. G.  
Lanora Schadewitz, Secy

**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.

An increase in gas rates, amounting  
to about 60 cents per month for each  
customer, is asked by the Southern  
Oregon Gas company and will go into  
effect in Roseburg November 15 un-  
less suspended by the commission.

About 400 feet of temporary false  
work installed by the Pacific Bridge  
company for the construction of the  
Pacific highway bridge over the Wil-  
lamette river at Harrisburg went out  
with a loss of \$7000 to \$10,000, as a  
result of a sudden rise in the river.

Alexanders, Inc., the oldest depart-  
ment store in Pendleton, one of the  
landmarks of the city and of the east-  
ern part of the state as far as mer-  
chandising history is concerned, will  
suspend business, according to a  
statement by Carl Cooley, manager.

Byron K. Wheeler of Eugene, who  
was arrested as a California bank ro-  
bber suspect and held in the Lane  
county jail for a week, filed suit in  
circuit court against Sheriff Taylor  
and his bondsmen for \$50,000 dam-  
ages for alleged false imprisonment.



### Are You Settin' Pretty?

HAVE you nailed those boards  
on the side of the barn that the "ole gray mare"  
kicked off, way last sum-  
mer?

HAVE you fixed that door on  
the root cellar?

HAVE you boarded up that coal  
bin?

AND have you filled it up with  
Castle Gate? The best  
coal you ever burned.

COME in and look at it. See-  
ing is believing.

**Tum-A-Lumber Co.**

D. E. Clark, Manager  
Moro, Oregon  
Phone Main 91



**General Repairing**  
**Union Gasoline**  
**Valvoline Oils**  
**Auto Accessories**

**Moro Garage**

M. R. Schadewitz, Proprietor  
Telephone Main 171  
Home phone Main 474

## Three More Stores Burglarized

Wednesday Night, \$13.10 Taken

Three stores were broken into and  
robbed some time Wednesday night in  
Moro. From all indications the work  
was done by local men who knew  
local conditions and the method of  
locking employed by the stores broken  
into.

One of the panels on the back door  
of Ginn, Coleman & Co. was cut away  
and pried out of the door, allowing  
the thieves to reach in and draw the  
bolt and remove the iron bar with  
which the door was fastened. The  
thieves secured about \$2.60 in money,  
mostly small change, left in the  
money drawer.

The glass in the upper sash of a  
back window in the Moro Trading  
company was removed by cutting  
out the putty and whittling the win-  
dow frame until the glass was re-  
moved. About \$5 was gotten here by  
the thieves from the cash register.

The hinges on a window in the  
back office at Freeman & Co. were  
removed and entrance to the store  
gained. The thieves secured \$5.00  
at this place.

Besides the stores robbed, other  
places of business in the town were  
visited by the thieves. Tracks show  
that the Schadewitz garage and the  
Moro Hardware & Implement com-  
pany were investigated, but neither  
place was entered. Sheriff Chrisman  
was called and the tracks left by the  
thieves were followed. At times  
these tracks were quite plain in the  
damp mud, showing that at least two  
were engaged in the work of obtain-  
ing easy money.

The contract for grading the Mc-  
Kenzie pass highway has been com-  
pleted and the contractor is now ship-  
ping out his outfit. Work of surfac-  
ing the new grade will begin early in  
the spring. The state highway com-  
mission has ordered the road closed  
because of snow conditions and to  
protect the new grade until it is  
surfaced.

Keep the cow out of the rain be-  
cause it takes good feed that might  
better be used for production to keep  
them warm if they are exposed to the  
weather. It is a common practice to  
leave cows out during the rainy  
season in Oregon, but they are better  
off inside, according to R. C. Jones,  
associate dairy husbandman of the  
Oregon experiment station.

The menu planned for the Dorcas  
society dinner at Hotel Moro on Sat-  
urday, November 15 is as follows:  
Chicken, hot biscuit with gravy  
and creamed potatoes. Combination  
vegetable salad. Bread and butter,  
apple, mince or pumpkin pie. Tea  
or coffee. All for 50 cents. Fancy  
work sale beginning at 3 o'clock.  
Dinner at 6:30. Remember the date.

An account of the career of Hal  
E. Hoss, president of the State  
Editorial Association and managing  
editor of the Oregon City Enterprise,  
written by Miss Margaret Morrison, a  
senior in the University of Oregon,  
has been accepted by the National  
Printer-Journalist for early publi-  
cation. The article was written to  
fulfill an assignment in the class in  
the specialized press.

Dayton Henrichs was at first quite  
downcast that he had not been able to  
have sown his winter wheat before  
the rains of last week. Now, it is  
said, he is well pleased that it hap-  
pened as it did. He is reported to  
have said that on his summer fallow  
the sprouting weeds are so thick that  
the top crust of ground is being lifted  
by the thickly matted weeds crowding  
through to day light.

Boys' and girls' club charters,  
issued after filing accepted programs  
of work, are being sent the various  
counties of the state by H. C. Sey-  
mour, state club leader. These  
charters are personally signed by the  
late secretary of agriculture, Henry  
C. Wallace, the state superintendent  
of public instruction, the director of  
extension, and the state club leader.  
The only standard club of Sherman  
county is the canning club of Moro.  
The local leader is Mrs. A. M.  
Zevly.

The state highway department in  
this division is getting prepared for  
snow, no matter how fast or deep it  
comes, according to a statement made  
this morning by C. W. Wanser, divi-  
sion engineer of the state highway  
department. Tractors and snow plows  
are being stationed at Cascade Locks,  
Hood River and The Dalles on the  
Columbia River highway and trucks  
equipped with snow plows are being  
unfitted at Arlington, Condon, Bend,  
Shaniko, Prineville and other stations  
where they are needed. Every at-  
tempt will be made to keep the  
Columbia river highway open to  
traffic all winter in event of a "deep  
snow."

The first hard rainfall of the season  
was registered here beginning on  
October 27th and continuing until  
November 5th, the total rainfall  
registering at the experiment farm  
for this period being 1.84 inches.  
Weather conditions indicate that the  
rainfall will be much more before  
the month of November has ended.  
The rain was welcomed by Sherman  
county wheat and grain growers, who  
had begun to fear that another unusu-  
ally dry fall was at hand and that  
considerable of the fall sown wheat  
would be winter killed by lack of  
moisture to continue the growing  
period after the grain had begun to  
swell and sprout.

**Stray Bit of Wisdom**

The man who falls in love will find  
plenty of occupation.—Ovid.

## BRIEF NEWS

Paragraphs on State, County and  
Community's Events

Mrs. J. C. McKean was visiting  
part of the week in Portland.

Rev. H. G. Hanson returned on  
Friday from Portland with a new Ford  
sedan car.

J. C. McKean left Friday on a  
business trip to Portland, expecting  
to return Tuesday.

Limited fall seeding in some parts  
of Sherman county will involve con-  
siderable planting next spring.

W. F. Jackson and wife were ex-  
pecting to drive down the highway  
the last of the week upon a business  
and pleasure trip to Portland.

Chas E. Boardman was a visitor  
in Moro this week from his new home  
at Sisters. He has sold his farm  
interests at Kent to Ott Smith.

Johnnie Kaseberg was in town on  
Thursday from his home at Portland.  
He and his brother Edw. drove up  
the highway the previous day.

E. R. Barzee, Dan McLachlan, and  
Bart Burrell left on election day by  
auto for Klamath lake where they  
intended to put in several days duck  
shooting.

L. E. Peterson left by auto Wed-  
nesday for Portland, where his mother  
is now living. They expect to make  
an auto tour of California during the  
winter months.

Robt. Urquhart and son Orren re-  
turned last Sunday by auto from  
northeastern Washington, where they  
have been visiting with Mr. Urqu-  
hart's daughter.

Miss Samuelson and Miss McPherson  
entertained the sophomore and  
senior classes at a Halloween party  
last Saturday evening at the home of  
Mrs. C. R. Belshie.

Ravella Calbreath is nursing a  
badly burned left hand, caused by  
gasoline in an open can exploding  
when he attempted to empty the can  
upon a smoldering rubbish pile.

R. C. Ornduff and F. H. Watts  
were here from The Dalles Tuesday  
and Wednesday for the purpose of  
setting up a family monument in the  
F. A. Says burial plot in the I. O. O.  
F. cemetery.

The contract for surfacing the  
Sherman highway between the Wasco-  
Sherman county line and junction  
with the California highway at Cow  
canyon has been completed and the  
highway opened to travel.

Those bringing donations for the  
Dorcas Annual Bazaar will kindly  
leave them with Mrs. L. V. Moore,  
with the coat price on each article  
as it will assist the marking com-  
mittee to determine the selling price.

L. L. Peetz and wife were ex-  
pecting to leave late Friday by auto for  
Bend, Sisters and Camp Sherman. On  
the trip they had as guests the Misses  
Helen Idleman, Olga Samuelson,  
Dorothy Perkins and Wilma Board-  
man.

The stray pig advertised by Henry  
Fuller in the Observer was found at  
Evans farm, seven miles from  
home. Fuller had spent considerable  
time riding around, trying to get  
track of the animal. The adv brought  
quick results.

Candidates named by the citizen's  
meeting held last month at the opera  
house were elected to city office with-  
out opposition. Those elected were  
Roy L. Kusman, mayor; Estella Ben-  
son, treasurer; T. W. Alley, F. L.  
Burnett and W. S. Powell, council-  
men for four year terms.

Chris Andersen and wife, accom-  
panied by Forrest Peetz, drove up  
the Columbia highway on Tuesday  
from Portland to vote on election day  
in Sherman county. They returned  
the next day to Portland, accompanied  
by Miss Bessie Andersen, who will  
visit in that city a short time.

Perfectly fitted glasses are  
constantly performing almost  
marvelous work in the relief of eye  
strain and defective vision. Dr.  
Clarke of Portland will be at Hotel  
Moro, Friday Nov. 14th, from noon  
until noon Saturday Nov. 15th. No  
trouble to answer questions.

Mrs. Cora M. Barnes of this city,  
died at the hospital in The Dalles  
Wednesday evening at 10 o'clock.  
Immediate cause of death was con-  
vulsions brought on by kidney poison-  
ing. Mrs. Barnes suffered the first  
attack at 4 a. m. Wednesday morn-  
ing, followed by other attacks until  
her death late that evening.

A Halloween party was given at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E.  
Buell Saturday evening, in honor of  
the freshman and junior classes.  
The novel and original decorations  
used lent color to the occasion. Many  
interesting games were played and  
later, light refreshments were served.  
Miss Helen Idleman and Mrs. Buell.

The Pacific northwest's greatest  
scenic highway, the Mount Hood loop  
road, is completed. Marking the end  
of a construction period extending  
over exactly five years and two  
months. The road is open to travel  
subject only to restrictions imposed  
by weather conditions, which at this  
season make necessary the securing of  
information concerning snowfall from  
either government camp or Hood  
River before the complete trip is  
attempted. But there will be little  
opportunity for much travel over it  
before next year, because normally  
the last date on which a car can  
traverse the elevations to which the  
new highway ascends is November  
15th.

## News Items From Kent and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Beuther were Wasco  
visitors Tuesday.

Professor Sibley was in Moro be-  
tween trains Saturday.

Carl Wray of Grass Valley is visit-  
ing at the L. W. Amick home.

The Ladies Aid will meet with  
Mrs. I. E. Wilson next Thursday.

Mr. Hilton is enjoying a visit  
with his brother from Hood River.

A few from here attended the Sun-  
day school convention held at Moro  
last week.

The telephone office was kept open  
until two o'clock Tuesday night to get  
election returns.

Chas. Boardman came down from  
Sisters, Monday. We knew he  
couldn't stay away long.

J. L. Mathes and family, accom-  
panied by Miss Hogue, were Moro  
visitors Saturday.

It is reported that the Ladies Aid  
will hold their Christmas Bazaar Sat-  
urday November 22nd, at the tele-  
phone office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson of  
White Salmon Washington, arrived  
here last week and will spend the  
winter with the Brown brothers.

L. W. Amick, accompanied by his  
daughter, Mrs. Wren Hogue and two  
children, returned from their trip to  
Corvallis Friday. Mr. Hogue went to  
Teledo for a visit with his sister  
Mrs. Clair Simler. If he likes it  
he will get work there for the  
winter.

## Sunday School Convention Meet

Was Attended by Many Workers

A splendid attendance greeted the  
state secretary of the Council of  
Religious Education at all the ses-  
sions last Sunday. A full program  
was rendered at all the services. The  
convention began Saturday evening  
with a message from Mrs. Jean M.  
Johnson of Portland on the enlarging  
work of the Council, emphasizing  
especially the growth of the week  
day religious school. Sunday morn-  
ing she was the speaker at the union  
service in the Presbyterian church.  
At 2:00 in the afternoon a varied pro-  
gram was rendered in which Sunday  
schools of the county were represented.  
The Kent school gave two recitations.  
Grass Valley Baptist, a solo by Mrs.  
Russell; Wasco Christian, a paper  
by Mrs. Birks on "The Rights of the  
Little Child"; Moro Methodist,  
Reading on Africa by Mrs. Bryant;  
Moro Presbyterian, two selections  
from the Junior vested choir, and a  
duet by Mrs. Hutcheff and Mrs.  
Belshie. The closing message of the  
afternoon was given by Mr. A. M.  
Wright. In the evening Rev. N. F.  
Phelps of the Wasco Methodist spoke  
on "Special Days in the Sunday  
School" while Rev. B. L. Hicks of  
Wasco Christian church spoke on  
"The Value of the Bible." Mrs.  
Johnson, the state secretary, also  
spoke briefly, and Rev. and Mrs.  
Feenstra sang a duet. The session  
was closed with a brief message  
from Rev. R. A. Feenstra of the  
Methodist church of Moro. Mr. R. C.  
Byers, superintendent of the associa-  
tion presided at all the sessions of  
the convention.

The name of the association was  
changed to "The Sherman County  
Council of Religious Education."  
This was in line with the similar  
changes which have taken place in  
state and national organization. The  
new officers elected for the coming  
year are as follows: Mr. R. C.  
Byers of Moro, president; J. C.  
Hartley, Kent, Mrs. W. L. Wester-  
field, Grass Valley, W. L. Dillinger,  
Moro, R. P. Birks, Wasco, vice  
presidents; Mrs. George Kaseberg,  
Wasco, secretary-treasurer.

Coyotes and bobcats had several  
days' freedom from persecution this  
week, owing to the elections. Fifty-  
six government hunters received per-  
mission to return to their residences  
to vote.

October's exports from Portland  
represented a value of \$7,233,166 and  
for 10 months of the year the total is  
\$38,587,737, whereas for the corre-  
sponding 10 months in 1923 values ag-  
gregated \$32,574,039.

Three armed robbers entered the  
Aurora State bank held up Miss Mil-  
dred Benoit, assistant cashier, and  
robbed the institution of approximately  
\$400 in cash, a few money orders  
and a number of checks.

A report on the forest fires in the  
Siulaw national forest this year,  
made at the office of the forest in  
Eugene shows a total of 61. The total  
number of acres burned over in the  
national forest was 1167.

The steam schooner Acme, loaded  
with 100 tons of steel, went ashore  
on the beach near Whiskey run, four  
miles north of Benton. Her crew was  
rescued, but the vessel, valued at \$75,  
000, was declared a total wreck.

Two feet of snow blocked the  
Dalles-California highway 50 miles  
north of Klamath Falls at the Fort  
Klamath hill, for a short time last  
week, but heavy automobiles broke  
through the drifts and the road was  
opened to Bend.

The Southern Pacific company has  
filed with the public service commis-  
sion a tariff authorizing reduced rates  
on canned fruits and vegetables in  
carload lots between Sutherlin, Doug-  
las county, and Corvallis. The rate  
under the new tariff is 27 1/2 cents for  
100 pounds as against 36 1/2 cents un-  
der the present schedule.

## CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All  
Local Denominations

Methodist Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Mrs. W. C. Bryant superintendent.

Rev. Henry G. Hanson will preach  
in the Gorman school house on Sun-  
day afternoon, Nov. 16, at 3:00 p. m.

Sunday at 11 a. m. Mrs. R. A.  
Feenstra will give her second address  
from the series of "Sermon on the  
Mount."

At the union evening service in the  
Presbyterian church Rev. Henry G.  
Hanson will give a sermon lecture on  
"Paton Among the Cannibals." This  
will be an interesting depiction of  
early missionary experience in the  
New Hebrides of one of our earlier  
missionaries.

Next Sunday is observed as Armis-  
tice Sunday thruout the entire nation.  
In memory of the day Rev. Henry G.  
Hanson will speak at the 11:00 o'clock  
service on "A New World Hope."  
Special music will be rendered by the  
choir. All American Legion men  
and ex-soldiers of former wars are  
especially invited to this service.

## Jurors Summoned For Circuit Court

List of jurors for circuit court to be  
held in Moro, Oregon, November  
15th, 1924.

Refus: Geo. E. Wilkerson, I. R.  
Willard, W. H. Dingle.

Grass Valley: D. E. Vinton,  
Thomas Barnett, A. L. Russell, Her-  
man Schilling, Fred Cox, Arthur  
Smith.

Klondike: G. W. Drinkard, A. S.  
Porter.

Kent: J. H. Wilson, G. C. Young,  
J. L. Davis.

Wasco: Arvid Anderson, T. E.  
Sink, H. A. Vangilder, H. A.  
White, R. P. Birk, W. D. Watkins.

Moro: D. H. Wright, Carroll  
Says, Charles Bullard, H. D. Bel-  
shie, A. L. Barzee, I. K. Astell,  
M. S. Alley, Howard Conlee.

Moody: W. H. Carlisle.

## OBSERVER WANT ADS

Rates: Under 15 words, 35c  
15 to 30 words, 50c  
Over 30 wds., 1 1/2c per wd.

LOST—Tin box containing spark plug,  
tester and some small auto acces-  
sories. Reward for return to W. L.  
Dillinger, Moro. n7-2t

LOST—Buxton patented container and  
keys. Lost first part of last month.  
Reward for return. F. D. Flatt,  
Moro. n7-2t

STRAYED—Big Duroc boar, branded  
with heart on back, weigh about  
350 pounds. Last seen about week  
ago at the Andy May farm. Re-  
ward. Homer D. Belshie, Moro. n7-3t

MILK for sale, delivery made. See  
Mrs. Phil Starr, Moro. 2t\*o81

TRADE OR SALE—1920 King eight  
in good condition, extra good tires.  
Will trade for sheep or cattle.  
Valuation \$400. John M. DeMoss,  
Wasco. s19tf

6% Loans under Reserve System  
on city or farm property  
Reserve Deposit Company  
72 Fourth Street, Portland, Oregon.

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

**TURKEYS**

There is good demand now. Don't  
wait till the heavy shipments for  
the Thanksgiving trade begin to  
arrive. Ship your birds in as fast  
as you get them in condition.  
Write or wire us today for mar-  
ket information. Always reliable.  
Reference: Bank of California.

**Page & Son, Portland, Oregon**

**Dry Cleaning**

**Does**

**Great Things**

It will remove the most  
unsightly spot and return the  
lustre of newness to the highest  
grade materials. We take par-  
ticular pains to see that your  
wearing apparel is made fit for  
further wear. We call for and  
deliver!

R. H. Piersol  
Wasco, Oregon

C. V. Belknap, Agent  
Moro, Oregon

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**ALL THE TIME**

**For The County News**

## Know Your Possibilities

A checking account  
means instant recog-  
nition of your finan-  
cial possibilities.

A checking account means no delay, no fear  
and the knowledge that you always control  
your finances on your finger tips.

**Bank of Moro**

**MORO THEATRE**

**MORO, OREGON**

**Saturday November 8**

at 7:30 p. m.

**"The Perfect Flapper"**

A First National, with COLLEEN MOORE  
in the Title Role

Admission 30c and 10c

**Sunday November 9**

Matinee only, at 3 p. m.

Adolph Zukor presents THOMAS MEIGHAN  
in

**"Woman-Proof"**

A Paramount Picture

Admission 30c and 10c

**New International**

**Sidehill Harvester**

**Will Be Ready This Year**

During the past three years we  
have been asked many times "When  
will the International Harvester Co.  
build a Side Hill Harvester thresher?"

It takes years of time and many  
tests before a perfected machine of  
this kind can be placed on the  
market, but we have just received  
authentic information that the Mc-  
Cormick-Deering Side Hill Harvester  
thresher will be ready for the 1925  
crop.

Within a short time we will have  
prices, catalogs and all information  
necessary to assist you in making the  
choice of your next machine.

You can well afford to defer final  
action until you see us.

**Ginn, Coleman & Co.**

**Moro, Oregon**

**MORO HOTEL BARBER SHOP**

**C. V. BELKNAP, PROP.**

**HOT AND COLD BATHS**

**Moro Oregon**