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Eureka Lodge No. 121 A. F. & A. M. Moro, Ore. Meets the 1st and 3d Thursday evenings of each month.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. Regular communications each 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings monthly.

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.

Lupine Rebecca Lodge No. 116, Moro, Oregon, meets 1st and 3d Fridays of each month. Visiting members welcome.

CHRIS SCHULTZ POST NO. 71 AMERICAN LEGION Meets at Odd Fellows Hall on second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

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

G. B. Abraham and wife, from Alameda, California, were visitors in Moro last week-end, guests of M. W. Armstrong brother of Mrs. Abraham.

W. H. Meyers, of Wasco, formerly marshal of that city, and who has been recently working at the Klondike elevator warehouse was taken to the Hamilton hospital Tuesday evening by Dr. J. A. Wonderlick, suffering from a serious cerebral hemorrhage the result of a fall on his lawn almost a week previous.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Kunsman who were visiting at the home of Mrs. Kunsman's parents, L. H. Martin and wife, left last Saturday for Lexington where they intended visiting with Myles Martin and family.

Baby Holt Combine FOR Sale CHEAP Can give ownership through mortgage foreclosure J. Tracy Barton ATTORNEY The Dalles Oregon Room 21 Vogt Block Phone 96

Mutual Creamery Co. MORO, OREGON CREAM PRICE TO-DAY 48 cents W. J. Cadey, Local Agent.

An Empty Woodshed will be a reproach when the cold weather comes, and when you remember that Sunday, June 21st, was the longest day, winter is not so far away. Better fill the woodshed now with some of our Slab Wood—the kind that splits right, burns right, and is Priced Right! Tum-A-Lumber Co. D. E. Clark, Manager Moro, Oregon Phone Main 91

Unusual Electric Storm Shocks Power Lineman

R. P. Brisbine reports witnessing a most unusual electrical storm early Sunday morning when he was in Wasco county doing repair work to the Sherman Electric company power line. He first saw peculiar wedge and funnel shaped clouds which appeared to be in the vicinity of Shaniko. These were inky black in color and had their blackness intensified by the rising sun behind them.

Lost Silver Fox Back in Kent Pen

Turn the kindly offices of C.H. Larson of this city, manager of Kenneth Springs silver fox farm north east of Moro, Mrs. Theo. vonBorstel has recovered the silver fox which dug out of its pen on the vonBorstel farm near Kent April 1st last. While visiting at the Chinook Fur Farm near Walla Walla about six weeks ago Mr. Larson was told about a strange silver fox which had been brought to that place and offered for sale by a passing motorist.

New style Rotary Rod Weeder for sale by Moro Hardware & Implement Co. H. M. Vaught and wife of Walla, Oregon, were guests of C. V. Belknap and wife Thursday and Friday of this week.

Hard federation wheat brought into Moro Tuesday from the C. J. Thompson farm showed plump kernels some of which were slightly pinched by the hot wave. The first run of the field indicated that the yield would be close to 25 bushels.

Arthur Christiansen is authority for the statement that the crop of barley referred to last week by the Sherman County Observer, as being threshed by Fred Hennagin in the Locust Grove district west of Wasco, turned out about 50 sacks more than 2400 from off 110 acres.

Harry Kunsman returned Sunday from a week-end visit with his family at Government springs near Stevenson. He brought back with him a gallon jug of the mineral water which is different water from many such places because it is not unpleasant to drink when slightly aged.

R. P. Brisbine and Herbert Ellsworth were in Wasco county three days last week, patrolling the power line of the Sherman Electric company, making necessary repairs, and checking on its condition for next winter.

Hans Thompson was in town Wednesday to greet his nephew, Oscar Thompson, from Portland who will help harvest on Mr. Thompson's farm in the Fairview district. Since leaving here, Oscar has visited his old home in Denmark and more recently been working in Portland at the carpenter trade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Niles and son Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. Zozell, all of Salem, spent last week-end as house guests at the T. S. Reese farm in Harmony district. The visitors left early Monday morning for Salem, driving over the McKenzie pass, and planned to be in Salem in time for an early supper in their own homes.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Paragraphs on County and Community Events

Foss & Co. have completed a 21-horse combine hitch for V. S. Barr.

L. V. Moore and wife left the first of the week on a motor trip to Elk lake.

Chester Anderson was a visitor in Moro last Sunday from White Salmon, Washington.

J. C. McKean and wife left Wednesday for Portland and the Elks national convention.

E. C. Atwood and wife and two guests passed through Moro Sunday on a motor trip to Elk lake.

J. N. Landry is busy this week at the Tumalum yards building a hay rack and fitting it onto a wagon.

Sheriff Hugh Chrisman and wife drove to Portland Wednesday to attend the Elks convention in that city.

Miss Frances Huff of Baker, sorority sister of Miss Marguerette Foss, was a visitor at the Foss home last week-end.

C. H. Larson left Wednesday morning for Portland where he will attend the convention meeting of the Northwestern Fur-Breeders association.

The annual hay fever attacks on men working in hay and grain on now on and is quite a problem to be worked out with pollens of the offending weeds.

Dean Barnett returned to his home at Wasco from the Hamilton hospital where he has been for the past four weeks recovering from a case of ruptured appendix.

H. C. Tate, father of W. E. Tate postmaster at Wasco, at the age of 97 years is suffering his first serious illness. He is under the care of Dr. J. A. Wonderlick at Wasco.

George Belknap, senior at the University of Oregon, has returned to Moro for the summer vacation and is now working at the Experiment Farm helping with the harvest.

Wm. R. Wall and wife were visitors in Moro last week-end from their home at Longview, Washington. They were here to look after residence property which they own in Moro.

W. R. Zevely, wife and two daughters, from Prineville, were visitors in Moro late last week on a motor trip to Portland. While here they visited at the A. M. Zevely home, brother of W. R. Zevely.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Morgan left early Wednesday morning by motor for Portland where they will join in the fun at the Elks national convention. Dr. Morgan will again be at his office Tuesday morning.

Carl Everett of Wasco and George Wilkerson of Rufus were visiting with friends in Moro last Sunday. Omer Sayrs expected to start harvest on his farm this week by threshing out a piece of barley.

A party of four left by motor Wednesday afternoon for Portland to attend the Elks convention. Those in the party were Glen Maurer of Wasco, Miss Jessie Hoskinson, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of this city.

Wm. L. Chrisman is drawing down \$36.50 per month while recovering from his accident last month at a saw mill in Monroe, Oregon. The compensation is being paid through the state workman's insurance bureau.

A very light sprinkle of rain marked the dust in the streets of Moro last Sunday morning. The same storm visited Boardman district where the out-of-doors sleepers at the Clarence Sparling farm were forced indoors by the rain.

News Items From Kent And Near Vicinity

The farmers are getting ready to soon begin harvest.

L. V. Walton and wife were weekend visitors in The Dalles.

C. R. Belshee was a business visitor in town Tuesday from Moro.

G. W. Barnett and wife were weekend visitors here from The Dalles.

Glenn Howell and wife are visitors from The Dalles at the George Howell home.

Mrs. J. L. Gentry and son of Moro were visiting Sunday at the J. C. Wilson home.

F. L. Bennett was in town Wednesday forenoon with a truck load of garden products.

Mrs. Earl Gregg and children from Bend are visiting with her sister Mrs. Carl Gregg and family.

Mrs. G. L. Hoskinson is enjoying a visit with a sister from Dakota whom she has not seen for a number of years.

Miss A. A. Dunlap arrived home Friday evening from a months visit with Mrs. Dunlap's brother Guy Haynes, at Yamhill.

Mrs. W. A. Young and daughter who have been visiting at the Harry Horner home at Hood River the past month, returned home Sunday.

Frank Haynes and wife took their daughter Phillis to the Shriners hospital in Portland last Sunday, returning Tuesday. Mrs. Ida Davie went with them.

Ben Allen and wife drove to The Dalles last Sunday to see Mr. Crocker. They report him as much improved and that the doctors think they can save his leg.

Bail for the release of A. H. Hilton was not supplied by residents of Kent. The bail came from persons living in the vicinity of—but not in—the town of Kent.

I. H. Scheer and family were in an auto accident Saturday at the overhead railway crossing near Celilo, but were able to continue to Hood River the same afternoon.

Mrs. Theo. vonBorstel has recovered the silver fox that dug out of its pen on April 1st last. It was located at Walla Walla, Washington, where it was taken and offered for sale by a man who claimed to have found it near Idaho.

Mrs. Ida Blair of Portland is visiting in Moro with friends and relatives.

Dr. M. F. Floyd reports that Mrs. George Mitchell has been sick this week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnum were visitors in Moro last week from The Dalles, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kunsman.

Francis and Audrey Carothers, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carothers of Wasco, underwent minor operations at Hamilton hospital Wednesday morning.

P. C. Axtell received a severe cut on the right side of his head last week when he lost his balance and fell into the double trees from off a rod weeder he was driving in one of his wheat fields.

Man with several years experience on Sherman county farm wants a year round job. A good home and kind treatment more object than wages. Make me an offer. Address P. O. Box 371 Portland, Oregon.

E. S. Forney, wife and daughter Doris were visitors Tuesday and Wednesday at the C. V. Belknap home. The two families were neighbors when the Belknaps lived at Addy, Washington. The Forneys were returning home from a motor trip to Rainier park, Seattle, Portland, Gervais, Moro and Ritzville.

MORO CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All Denominations

Christian Science church services are held on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and on Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 10:15 a. m. The reading room is open daily in the rear of the church. All are invited to attend the church services and to make use of the reading room.

"Yes, I know all the excuses. I know that one can worship the Creator in a grove of trees or by a running brook, or in a man's own house just as well as in a church. But I also know as a matter of cold fact the average man does not thus worship."—Theodore Roosevelt.

Sunday morning services at the Methodist church will be at the usual hours. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and at 11 a. m. Mrs. R. A. Feenstra is going to preach the fifth of the series on the churches of Revelation. In the evening the union service will be held at the Methodist church, Rev. R. A. Feenstra preaching the sermon. You are cordially invited.

See Ginn, Coleman & Co. for 14-foot Harris or Holt combine used drapers.

C. C. Richmond Sr. has accepted a position in the wood working department at Foss & Co.

Foss & Co. have completed building a new water tank for Fred Hutchcroft to use in harvest this season.

Rotary Rod Weeder, manufactured in Cheney, Washington, for sale by the Moro Hardware & Implement Co.

Mr. Nunn Jr. of Wasco while working at the farm got a piece of steel in his eye which was successfully removed that evening by Dr. Wonderlick.

Ask N. W. Thompson of the Moro Hardware & Implement Co. about the guarantee on the new Rotary Rod Weeder, manufactured in Cheney, Washington.

Bart Barrell has been taking things easy this week, nursing an incipient attack of tonsillitis. The first he has had since he had an attack four years ago following recovery from the flu.

The Mt. Hood loop road is now in fine shape with the exception of a few places that need patching and the week-end travel was immense, according to C. W. Wanzer, division engineer.

J. T. Thurston, working on the E. H. Watkins farm near Wasco, fell from a load of hay Monday with resultant injuries to his back. He was taken to Wasco where Dr. Wonderlick gave him a support for his back.

Elmer Haines, working with a caterpillar on the John M. DeMoss farm north of Wasco, fell from off the machine on July 10th which resulted in injuries to his head and hip. Several stitches were needed to close the wounds.

E. H. Weld and family of Wasco were dinner guests last Sunday at the Robt. Urquhart home in this city. The occasion was the birthday of Wayland Weld on Saturday and the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Urquhart on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peterson, from Livingston, Montana, have been visiting during the week at the home of Mrs. C. H. Larson, sister of Mr. Peterson. The visitors left Wednesday for Fresno, California, by way of Portland, Eugene and Klamath.

Hyden Brisbine arrived in Moro last week from his home at North Plains, Washington, and is now busy putting the combine harvester owned by H. B. Belshee in condition for the field. He will also act as separator tender on the machine during harvest.

Al Kirtley and wife were visiting in Moro last Sunday from their home west of Wasco. While here Mr. Kirtley is reported to have said that hard federation wheat being threshed on the Wm. Burres place east of Wasco was said to be yielding close to 14 sacks to the acre.

T. W. Alley and wife left last Saturday for Portland where they are enjoying the Elks national convention this week. Before they return they will visit with their son Edgar, who is an enlisted member of the citizens military training camp at that place.

Misses Marguerette and Gwendolyn Foss returned the first of the week from Portland where they attended the national convention of Christian Endeavor. This is the second national convention of Christian Endeavor attended by Marguerette, she having been a delegate two years ago when the convention met at Des Moines, Iowa.

J. C. McKean and George Meloy took a short drive Sunday afternoon for the purpose of inspecting local wheat fields. The fields showed various degrees of maturity which were hard to estimate as to ultimate yields. In making the turn on the highway near the top of Nigger ridge their car got hung up on a concrete land between two washed out shallow furrows. A passing motorist helped them get again on firm wheeling.

A Bird in the Hand You know the saying. Its even more true that a dollar in the Bank of Moro is worth two in your pocket The dollars in your pocket are on their way out, the dollars in the Bank of Moro are earning more money to put in your pocket. We, as leading bankers of this section, are in a position to help you. Bank of Moro

MORO THEATRE MORO, OREGON TWICE-A-WEEK FEATURE INTERNATIONAL NEWS REEL "Dream Street" Friday, July 17 "Dream Street" sounds like a sort of dreamy picturesque photodrama, but when you see it in the full flower of its beauty you will say that it is altogether different than imagination pictured. "Racing Luck" Saturday, July 18 High-powered six-cylinder fun, thrills of the most exciting nature and a romance that is flavored with true love that does not run smoothly are to be found in the comedy feature production, "Racing Luck" that has Monty Banks as the star. "The Navigator" Friday, July 24 "The Navigator" is the story of a Young Feller who couldn't Make Good on Earth, but was a Big Success at the Bottom of The Ocean. "Between Friends" Saturday, July 25 A story woven around the scripture, "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." Into this theme has been woven intense action, a sculptor's studio, gay artists' frolics, a model's life and a fascinating story of action and thrills.

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