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Eureka Lodge No. 121 A. F. & M. S. 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. 70 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. Meets every Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. Theodore Johnston, N. G. A. M. Young, Secretary.

Lupine Rebecca Lodge No. 116, Moro, Oregon, meets 1st and 3d Fridays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. C. V. Belknap, N. G. Hazel Woods, Secy

OHRS 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.

J. D. Dickson and wife drove from Antelope to Moro Wednesday evening where they consulted with Dr. Froyd concerning their 9-year old son. It was quickly ascertained that the boy was suffering from gangrenous appendicitis and he was taken to The Dalles for an immediate operation.

SMALL FARM HOME FOR SALE 8 1/2 acres; 5 acres creek bottom land, 3 acres alfalfa and berries; 8-room modern house with basement, furnace, fire place, electric lights, telephone, city water, barn, garage, and chicken house. Creek Runs Through Place Cows, Chickens, Pigs, and Hay go with place. For further particulars address Owner, Box 213 Dufur, Oregon

Mutual Creamery Co. MORO, OREGON CREAM PRICE TO-DAY 56 cents W. J. Codey, Local Agent

A. M. HICKS Plumbing and Heating Sells and installs the famous Mueller pipe or pipeless furnace. Wasco, Oregon

BUY YOUR WINTER COAL NOW Summer is the time to prepare for Winter and now is the time to buy Winter Fuel. Fuel bought now is handier to store in bins and is less expensive because many people are not thoughtful enough of their pocket look to buy when railroads and mines reduce charges to help keep the wheels of industry turning at slack periods. We have a car of the Old Reliable Castle Gate Coal which is due to arrive soon. This is one of the best grades of Utah coal and is unsurpassed in uniform quality and cleanliness. Nail these boards on the coal bin now—and make arrangements to take delivery from the car. Tum-A-Lumber Co. D. E. Clark, Manager Moro, Oregon Phone Main 91

Rufus Auto Crashes When Whistle Blows

Believed to have grabbed the wheel of an automobile driven by Frank Hulery of Rufus, Al Hines, also of Rufus, suffered amputation of the right thumb at the Hamilton hospital Monday afternoon, as the result of an accident caused when the car veered over the grade of the Columbia river highway at the Great Southern railway crossing. Hulery, who escaped serious injury, is slightly deaf and Hines hearing whistling noise and fearful that a train was approaching, is believed to have taken hold of the steering wheel, turning the wheels of the car so that it left the highway and crashed to the bottom of a steep and rocky grade. What Hines heard was another automobile attempting to pass from behind. Hines denied that he had grabbed the steering wheel. Workers at the Suffer brothers' cannery, under the leadership of W. O. Hadley, district game warden, who went to the assistance of the wreck victims, said Hines' hand still grasped the wheel when the car was righted, and the thumb was mashed flat between the rim of the wheel and the windshield. Both Hulery and Hines had been thrown clear of the machine, altho the later was held prisoner by his thumb until help arrived.—Dalles Chronicle.

Tum-A-Lum Employees Climb to Top Mt. Adams

Tumalum employees in the northwest assembled at Hood River last week-end to participate in the annual outing arranged by the lumber company. This year the big idea was to climb Mt. Adams over the southern trail and as climbing conditions were said to be good and a fine easy time was expected nearly all employees of the company in this district participated in the proposed stunt. D. E. Clark, manager of the Tumalum yards at Moro, was among those present when the roll was called and start made for the top of the mountain. Sixteen persons started the climb to the top and eleven finished. Many of the climbers were affected by the altitude, which is 12,740 feet at the summit. Several who were members of the Tumalum party to reach the summit of Mt. Adams also made the climb with the American Legion up Mt. Hood a week ago Sunday. A number who made both climbs were of the opinion that Mt. Adams was the hardest to scale, the trip being much longer altho not as dangerous.

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.

R. A. Booth, wife and daughter were visiting with friends in Moro Tuesday evening on their way home to Eugene from a motor trip to Crater lake. Mr. Booth is a former state senator and also was formerly chairman of the state highway commission for several years.

Geo. B. Bourhill returned Tuesday afternoon from a 12-day steamer trip to Alaska and return. His appearance certainly speaks wonders for the benefits of such a journey and his tanned face proves the warmth of a hot sun reflected from the waters onto a person asleep in a chair upon a steamer deck. Mr. Bourhill had time to make visits at several historic places during the trip while the steamer was receiving and discharging freight.

Con Buckley from Grass Valley and Mrs. Wm. Crawford from The Dalles met in an auto collision on the Sherman highway north of Thornberry last Sunday afternoon about 2 p. m. The two were about to pass each other when Mrs. Crawford swung onto the loose gravel at the side of the road causing her car to skid across the road and into the rear of the Buckley car. Aside from slight injury to the cars no damage was reported.

W. C. Bryant suffered severe injury to his right foot at the front ankle joint last Saturday when trying to protect a young muley heifer from an older cow. Not having a stick handy to separate the two animals, Bryant kicked at the cow about the same time it was trying to horn the heifer which was partly on its back on the ground. The tip of the horn penetrated the flesh to the bone making a hole as neat as a bullet, said Mr. Bryant, who has been forced to stay at home until Tuesday when he came to his office via automobile.

A party of four local people motored to the John Day river crossing on the Columbia highway last Sunday where they enjoyed a cool swim in the John Day river. Included in the party were John Searcy, Richard Ginn and Mr. and Mrs. Coll's Moore, using two cars. Searcy and Ginn decided to return with only a shirt over their swimming togs, but the bathing beauty parade was marred by tire trouble when Gordon ridge was reached it being a comical sight to see the young men working in the hot sun fixing a tire so far from the water, reminding passing motorists of the advice of the mother to her young daughter.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Paragraphs on County and Community Events

The ordinary taxpayer isn't hard-boiled. He is merely soaked.

Truman Strong and family were luncheon guests last Sunday at Hotel Moro.

H. S. Wall and family were luncheon guests at Hotel Moro last Sunday from Wasco.

Dr. M. F. Froyd of Moro was in The Dalles last Sunday on professional business.

Mrs. Jessie Amos was expecting to leave Wasco this week for a month of rest and vacation at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Lee and son Lester were motor visitors in Moro last week-end from their new home at Portland.

Mrs. R. A. McPherson, residing southwest of Wasco, is having an infected finger treated by Dr. J. A. Wonderlick.

The usual social of the Ladies Aid for August will be held at the home of Mrs. W. C. Bryant Thursday afternoon August 6th.

Margaret Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hansen, was visiting this week in Moro from Portland, at the Roy Kunsman home.

J. A. Harden and wife and baby daughter were visitors Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Kunsman, sister of Mrs. Harden.

J. N. Landry has been harvesting on the Mowry land west of Moro this week, which is reported to have made an approximate yield of 12 sacks to the acre.

Mrs. Lotus Kenny and children and her sister, Mrs. Frances Anderson, are enjoying a vacation at Camp Sherman, using the George Hennagin summer home.

David West has finished threshing at his place west of town, known as the Martin farm, and moved last Saturday to DeMoss where he was to thresh for G. G. Thorp.

A. M. Wright and J. E. Coleman were business visitors at Maupin the first of the week. They were interested in starting a combine they had sold into that section.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Feenstra, accompanied by Mrs. Feenstra's mother, Mrs. Ella McCoy of The Dalles, left on Monday morning for a vacation at Camp Sherman.

Phillip Ruggles, son of W. A. Ruggles, cut the palm of his right hand severely last Saturday while working with a piece of tin he was attaching to his play house.

W. H. Barnes and son Donald motored to Hood River last Sunday where they visited with two of the older Barnes boys who are staying with a sister of Mr. Barnes.

Dr. C. L. Poley and family drove to Moro Monday evening. While Mrs. Poley had dental work attended to by Dr. Morgan, Robert, Rachel and Dr. Poley visited with E. H. Moore and family.

Henry Ruggles is enjoying a vacation from his work as city engineer, having motored to Camp Sherman last Saturday for a two weeks rest in the mountains. He was accompanied by Neal Ruggles, son of Starr Ruggles.

The private garage at Wasco, owned by Elin Ross was destroyed last Thursday by fire of unknown origin. The auto owned by the family was saved partly because of having been used by Mrs. Ross for a drive into the country.

S. S. Hayes drove up from Portland last Friday to see how the harvest was yielding on his land holdings east of Grass Valley. He returned to Portland Monday, satisfied that he would have a good yield to the acre of light weight grain.

News Items From Kent And Near Vicinity

No excitement in and around Kent, every body too busy.

W. D. Barnett took his wife to the Hamilton hospital Monday.

Geo. Barnett was an over night visitor from The Dalles recently.

Farmers are having trouble with their cattle bloating after being on summer fallow.

Mrs. J. U. Leonard made a hurried trip to The Dalles, returning on the stage Tuesday.

Quite a number went from Kent to attend the funeral of Mrs. L. J. Gates at The Dalles Sunday.

About all the farmers are in the field and the grain—as usual—is turning out better than expected.

Mr. Crocker who has been in the hospital the past month is having skin grafted on his foot this week.

An officer of the humane society was in Kent a few days ago. Wish he would come oftener and do more.

Dr. J. A. Wonderlick was a visitor in The Dalles last Sunday from Wasco on professional business.

Mrs. Bertha Sagawa, living in the Fairview district, took her daughter to Wasco Wednesday to have a dental x-ray examination made.

L. L. Peetz and family, accompanied by Mr. Peetz' mother, left last Friday for a further visit at their summer home at Camp Sherman.

Dorothy Sears during the week arrived at Wasco from Winlock, Washington, to be with her grandmother who is visiting at the Hayner home.

From and after this date charges for hauling will be \$1 per cord for wood; \$1 per ton for coal; other charges accordingly. C. L. Mont gomery.

Friends of M. H. Brackett, living near Rufus, will be sorry to learn that he is under the care of Dr. J. A. Wonderlick, suffering from a case of wheat poisoning.

Lawrence W. Boots, who has been under the care of Dr. J. A. Wonderlick the past week suffering from dysentery, was able to return to work at the county road camp Monday.

Dr. M. F. Froyd accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Ellsworth to The Dalles Wednesday where a hospital examination of their son Ronald confirmed Dr. Froyd's diagnosis that the boy was suffering from chronic constipation.

Mrs. Mary E. Morrissey last week shipped to Portland the fleece from off her pet lamb. This she has done the past few years, using the wool to make comforters thus being sure to have better than the average that can be bought from stores.

Mrs. Harry Kunsman is planning to return to Kunsman springs for a further vacation camp outing as soon as danger from forest fires is past. The day after her return the forest fire then threatening the camp jumped over more than 1000 acres of new forest.

Officers of ladies church societies in Sherman county are requested to make note of the effort being made by the Sherman county fair board in a new group premium offer for the coming Sherman county fair as outlined in another article in this week's Sherman County Observer.

A party of local young men made a visit to harvesting outfits near Moro on Tuesday afternoon. Included in the party were Joe Truitt, Dr. M. F. Froyd, Ira M. Peterson, and Wm. Chrisman. They visited a cat propelled outfit, a horse power machine, and a self propelled. An eastern farmer would travel many hundred miles to see three such untried methods of harvesting wheat operating within a few miles of each other. Even actual pictures of such scenes are not believed when exhibited in eastern states.

MORO CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All Denominations

Next Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the Presbyterian church Rev. Henry G. Hanson will hold a memorial service in memory of William Jennings Bryan, statesman, patriot, idealist, and prophet in America for the last 30 years, who passed away so suddenly last Sunday afternoon. Everybody should turn out and join in consideration of this great man's character and life.

On Sunday afternoon Rev. Henry G. Hanson will preach at DeMoss park at 4:30 p. m. The church organ has been taken to the park, and seats and hymn books are provided. A goodly attendance was present last Sunday and it is hoped many more will use their autos and avail themselves of these open air afternoons.

For the next two weeks the usual Sunday school service will be held each Sunday morning at the Methodist church. Because of absence of Rev. Feenstra on vacation there will be no preaching services held until further notice, all Methodist people are urged to attend the services at the Presbyterian church.

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.

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The story is filled with rare good humor, as well as pathos; there are many laughs and a perfect atmosphere. Wesley Barry makes the part of "Battling Bunyan" a very human and very lovable youth and gives to it a sincerity that reflects a fine dramatic instinct. It's a bully good picture that will be thoroughly enjoyed by every one who isn't suffering from a frost bitten heart.

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Picture Show News For The Current Week

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Sherman. In the matter of the estate of Elenor E. Nunn, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Elenor E. Nunn, deceased, has filed in the county court of Sherman County, State of Oregon, her final report and account, as such administratrix of said estate, and that Monday, the 10th day of August, 1925, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing of objections, if any, to said report and the settlement thereof.

Lillian F. Nunn, Administratrix of the estate of Elenor E. Nunn, deceased. W. C. Bryant, attorney. 5tj10a7

Westinghouse MAZDA LAMPS FOR SALE BY Sherman Electric Co.

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 "A Girl of the Limerlost" Friday, July 31 The novel "A Girl of the Limerlost," by Gene Stratton-Porter, is brimful of the most beautiful word painting of nature. The screen now brings this beauty to your very eyes. Here is one picture whose pathos and tender sentiment will endear it to all. Wesley Barry in "Battling Bunyan" Saturday, August 1 When you go to see Wesley Barry in "Battling Bunyan," go well fortified for a generous allotment of thrills, an assortment of laughs, and a tear or two that will surely trickle down your nose. TWICE-A-WEEK FEATURE INTERNATIONAL NEWS REEL "Robin Hood" Friday, August 7 "Robin Hood" is a noted English historical novel made famous by its presentation the past few years in light opera, grand opera and musical revues. In its screen showing it will be up to the same high standard of excellence. "Taming the West" Saturday, August 8 The swiftest romance that was ever put on the screen. Just one continuous whirlwind of bucking broncs, fist fights, love-making, speeding automobiles and galloping hoofs. Adapted from "The Range Dwellers" by B. M. Bowers. TWICE-A-WEEK FEATURE INTERNATIONAL NEWS REEL

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