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Eureka Lodge No. 121 A. F. & A. M. Moro, Oregon

Meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings of each month.

By order of W. M. Robt. Urquhart, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. Moro, Oregon

Regular communications each 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings of each month.

Worthy Matron Nana Barzee, Secretary.

Moro Lodge No. 113 I. O. O. F. Moro, Oregon

Meets every Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Transients and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

B. Rice, N. G. A. M. Young, Secretary

Lupine Rebecca Lodge No. 116 Moro, Oregon

Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month.

Visiting members welcome. Marie Peters, N. G. Hazel Woods, Secy

Chris Schultz Post No. 71 American Legion

Meets at I. O. O. F. hall on 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings of each month.

R. P. Briabine, Commander. Roy F. Dean, Adjutant

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

University of Oregon advertisement featuring an image of the building and text about its programs and location.

Neighborhood Items advertisement featuring an image of a fish and text about local news and events.

ACME QUALITY HOUSE PAINT advertisement featuring an image of a paint can and text about its benefits.

Tam-A-Lumber Co. advertisement featuring an image of a lumber stack and text about its products.

Picture Show News For The Current Week

"His Majesty, the American" is Fairbanks at his best. Can more be said? It tells a story that demands Fairbanks for its interpretation.

Hoot Gibson's ability and skill as a rider of horses, demonstrated in many a desperately contested competition in rodeos and round-ups, is put to a severe test in his latest starring vehicle, "The Saddle Hawk."

There is no lack of thrills and entertainment in Tod Browning's crook drama, "The Unholy Three," a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production.

While the story is not symbolic, the three crooks who are responsible for the crimes committed may be said to represent voice, mind and strength.

The cast contains such celebrities as Lon Chaney, Mae Busch, Matt Moore, Victor McLaglen, Harry Earles and Matthew Betz.

For team and dray work of all kinds call G. L. Montgomery, phone 401 Hotel Moro.

Judge Wm. Henrichs and wife returned last Saturday from a summer spent at Camp Sherman.

Mrs. Max Pluemke, Mrs. Walter Adams and Mrs. A. A. Dunlap were visitors in Moro on Thursday from Kent.

Mrs. Neal O'Leary, now a resident of Bend, was visiting with friends at Grass Valley during county fair week.

L. Barnum and wife were up from The Dalles on Friday of county fair week, visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances.

For rent or sale, the residence property in Moro, Oregon, formerly owned by Edgar Miller. Inquire of Sherman County Abstract company, Moro.

C. E. Fenner was a business visitor from Beaverton during the week at the J. L. Gentry home near Moro. Mr. Gentry and Mr. Fenner are cousins.

Owners of Ford cars having mag neto-headlight equipment are now able to have the lights on their car adjusted to meet the new state auto lighting law.

An exhibit of interest to farmers at the county fair last week was in charge of E. B. Dodd of this city who had on demonstration and display an economy weeder attachment for grain drills by the use of which the work of seeding could be materially increased at less cost.

Mrs. P. C. Axtell returned home Saturday from Oakland, California, where she was called because of the serious illness and death of her niece Miss Mary Hollenbeck. Deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbeck, were at one time residents of Moro. Mrs. Hollenbeck and Mrs. Axtell are sisters.

Honors for the best group exhibit of farm produce was divided at the county fair last week between W. L. Wilson and L. E. Langford of Rufus and Truman Strong of Moro.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS Paragraphs on County and Community Events

Geo. A. Mitchell and wife left by auto on Friday to visit Pendleton and attend the round-up.

George Hennagin Jr. is reported to be confined to his home while nursing a severe attack of mumps.

Attorney I. M. Peterson was a business visitor at Hood River part of Monday and Tuesday of this week.

B. F. Peetz and family from Bend, were visiting with friends and relatives in Sherman county during the county fair.

Kenneth Fox company received three awards on six exhibits of farm products at the county fair last week.

Wm. Walker and wife, from near Loyd in Wasco county, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King during county fair week.

Mrs. George Jack and two children from Hillsboro, were guests during county fair week at the home of Mrs. Jack's mother, Mrs. J. M. Axtell.

Seven room modern house and acre of land at Beaverton near Portland to trade for farming outfit. Phone C. E. Fenner care of J. L. Gentry, Moro.

Viola Hansen, attending Moro school, is quite proud of her first project work. She was awarded first in her divisions on canning and sewing.

The last chance to get Salaway peaches for canning. None better. Turn south at Miller's filling station west of auto park and follow signs two miles. Nob Hill Fruit Ranch, C. M. Beam.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb of Stockton, California, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Schaeffer. Mrs. Schaeffer and Mrs. Lamb are cousins. It has been more than 30 years since their last meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Peetz left by auto Thursday for Corvallis. They were accompanied by their son, Byron Peetz, and Harold Bryant, both of whom will register at O. A. C. for electrical engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Godette, from Bessemer, Michigan, drove into Moro on Wednesday evening on their way to Los Angeles. Mrs. Godette is a cousin of Robt. Urquhart. It is 25 years since their last meeting.

Geo. B. Bourhill was in Portland the first of the week. The trip was for the purpose of starting his son in school at the Benson tech school in that city where Bourhill Jr. will specialize in mechanical engineering.

J. O. Elliott has moved to Wasco from his farm in the Monkland district and at present is working with the Atwood-Williams company at Wasco. He is figuring upon the possibility of acquiring an interest in the company.

H. S. McDanel and wife were visitors in Moro from Portland during county fair week. Mr. McDanel was formerly county clerk for Sherman county several terms, but each time he returns to Sherman county he notes many changes for the better.

An electrical storm accompanied by rain visited Sherman county Monday morning. During the storm a bolt of lightning hit the power line of the Sherman Electric company near Wasco, blowing out a fuse at that place and also a fuse at Dufur. The line was out of commission less than an hour.

Mrs. VonBorstel of Kent and Mrs. C. H. Larsen of Moro divided honors on canning and preserving exhibits at the county fair last week. Mrs. VonBorstel was awarded 1st on canned fruits and preserves and Mrs. Larsen 2nd. Mrs. Larsen also was awarded three 1st awards on whole wheat bread, biscuits, and angel cake.

An exhibit of more than usual interest at the county fair last week was the pair of silver foxes exhibited by the Silver Crest Fur and Fox farm east of Grass Valley in charge of Mrs. J. J. Wiley. It was the first opportunity many had had to view these famed fur bearing animals and it was a revelation to observe how tame they could be made by judicious handling.

Moro citizens by a vote of nearly two to one voted on Monday to accept the offer of Moro Hotel company to sell the company property to the city. The amount to be paid is the actual present indebtedness against the hotel property. Total number of votes cast were 148. One ballot was mutilated and not counted by the election board. The official count was 93 in favor of the proposition and 54 against.

A horsemanship pitching contest was staged in Moro during county fair week last Saturday between Bart Burrell and B. F. Peetz, representing the Bend championship team, and Geo. A. Meloy and L. L. Peetz, representing the Moro championship team, for world championship honors. The contest was decisive with the Bend team winning six out of seven games. The contest was put on at the depot park grounds, the train remaining in Moro 15 minutes while passengers watched the game.

Health Means Much to Teachers and Parents

September is an anxious time, not only for the students but also for the teacher. In addition to her regular work, the latter is worried by the various epidemics of children's diseases which make the beginning of school exciting.

Anything which keeps children in school saves their time and the taxpayer's money. A good deal can be done to hold down the spread of catching diseases, if ordinary precautions are observed. First of all, it does no good to allow a child to remain in school until its disease is well developed.

Whenever measles exists in a community, children must be watched for signs of "cold in the head." Any child appearing with a cold, unless it has already had measles, should be sent home at once, before it has a chance to spread the disease.

It is better to keep one or two children out of school unnecessarily for a day or two than to have half the school away for weeks while they go through a siege of measles or whooping cough or mumps.

Want to trade tires for Ford car, either new or used car in good shape. H. E. Belshee, Moro, Oregon, phone 2F5.

Liberal reward will be paid for return of key ring holding car and personal keys. A. C. Kaseberg, Wasco.

J. F. Noonan and George Ellsworth are busy this week repairing the interior of the Christian Science church edifice.

Elanor Ann, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fortner is seriously ill with an attack of whooping cough and pneumonia.

Bruckert brothers have leased the Elliott farm holdings in the Monkland district and will operate the farm on a crop lease.

W. H. Helyer, who is helping his brother Willard harvest the Helyer wheat crop near Antelope, was visiting in Moro during fair week.

Fred Hennagin was in Moro on Wednesday from Wasco, having his auto lights adjusted before driving to the Pendleton round-up this Saturday.

County Commissioner A. A. Dunlap and wife passed through Moro Friday on their way by auto to the Pendleton round-up from their home at Kent.

Ethen and Lyle Woods accompanied by their grandmother, Mrs. Glass, returned last Saturday from a summer spent at their old home near Bickleton, Washington.

Wilbur Burgess, 41, one of the owners of the Burgess-Evans sawmill near Notli, 20 miles west of Eugene, was killed when he fell upon the main drive belt and was thrown against a pile of timber.

An indictment charging murder in the first degree was returned by the Polk county grand jury against W. R. Lloyd, who is alleged to have shot and killed Clinton I. Baum of Independence September 1.

Under supervision of Tom Craig, as assistant to Matt Ryckman, acting superintendent of hatcheries, 1,817,000 trout were planted last week in the McKenzie river, creeks flowing into it and nearby lakes.

Two minor accidents that needed little to have resulted seriously occurred at the county fair grounds Friday afternoon. The first was to Roy Belshee of Wasco when he tried to catch one of his string of relay horses. The horse hit Belshee with his shoulder, knocking him to the ground and then jumped over him. Belshee was badly shaken, but suffered little injury. The second accident was to A. H. Barnum during the bucking horse contest. One of the horses knocked him to the ground, then came down on four feet straddle of Barnum with one of his front feet grazing his head and causing a good sized scratch. Barnum suffered a slight accident to his ankle but was able to be on his feet the next day.

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.

Rally day will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Sunday school meets at the usual hour, the rally day program commencing at 11 a. m. A basket lunch will be served at the church. Parents and friends are invited to bring their baskets and enjoy a fellowship lunch.

The union service will be held at the Methodist church, Rev. R. A. Feenstra will preach. The subject of the evening is "The Home," and is of vital importance to the welfare of our nation namely "The Home."

The usual service will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 11:00 a. m. The Sunday school meets at 10:00. A committee is hard at work preparing a rally day program for September 27th.

Services every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the Baptist church. Every body welcome.

Dick Abel Donates Auto to Joy Riders

Dick Abel of Kent, in Moro last Saturday to attend the annual county fair, unknowingly donated the use of his auto to a couple for a joy ride that same evening. When ready to return home his car was gone.

Visions of carnival men using his auto with which to get away from Moro swept across his mind's eye. Dick quickly got in touch with Sheriff Christman, who accompanied the owner to the place where the car had been parked near the Tunalium Lumber yard. Dick said "there is where I left my car about four hours ago and it wasn't there when I wanted it 15 minutes ago." Christman looked where Dick pointed and said "You are mistaken, the car is there now." It was, but the radiator was warm and the gas tank partly empty. Whoever had had the car out for a joy ride had brought it back while Dick was gone to get in touch with the sheriff.

The Chinchilla rabbits exhibited by Richmond's Chinchilla Rabbitry of this city at the county fair last week was an eye opener to many who have been figuring on some means to earn what may be termed "side" money. These rabbits are noted for their fur bearing qualities and the excellence of the meat for table use. The profits that can be realized in raising them reach quickly in high figures. The exhibit was awarded a number of 1st premiums.

The Bridge of the Gods of legendary fame is to be replaced in the near future at Cascade Locks by a steel structure that will be started October 5th, according to the latest report. M. J. Hurlbert, county engineer of Hood River county, is now engaged on a survey to join the bridge and highway. The bridge will be a toll span of the cantilever type. The cost will be about \$250,000, that being the contract price which was let to the Union Bridge company of Portland last week. This bridge, when completed, will be the fifth to cross the Columbia, with a possibility of a sixth at Vantage, where the Spokane and Seattle trains cross the river. It will in all probability be ready by next July.

I. D. Calbreath, now a resident of sunny southern California, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. M. E. Calbreath, from The Dalles, and his two nephews, Roy and Francis Gilbreath, also from The Dalles, were visitors in Moro during county fair week. Most of the time Mrs. M. E. Calbreath was in Moro was spent with Mrs. E. J. Powell, both being old time friends dating from early days in Oregon when they lived in Prineville.

Bank of Moro advertisement featuring an image of a bird and text about its services and location.

MORO THEATRE advertisement listing various film shows and showtimes.

MAIN STREET BARBER SHOP advertisement featuring an image of a barber and text about its services.

Peerless Light Draft Rotary Rod Weeder advertisement featuring an image of the weeder and text about its features.

Ginn, Coleman & Co. advertisement featuring an image of a farm implement and text about its products.

"WANT" ad in THE MORO OBSERVER will reach more people in Sherman County than by any other medium available.

Wrigley's Juicy Fruit Chewing Gum advertisement featuring an image of the gum pack and text about its benefits.