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Moro, Oregon Meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday 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. Moro, Oregon Regular communications each 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings of each month.

Lois Barnes, Worthy Matron Nana Barnes, Secretary.

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

Meets every Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Transient 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. Brisbane, Commander. Roy F. Dean, Adjutant

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ALWAYS AT HOME

WM. H. COREY HOOD RIVER, OREGON

What's Happening in Our Town



Don't mention antiques to Mrs. Ralston

YOU see, when she began to go in for them, she decided to get rid of all her old furniture, including Horace's favorite chair. It had been in his family as long as he could remember, and he protested. "But it's so shabby," said Mrs. Ralston. "Oh, if that's all, I'll fix it." So he did it over with Acme Quality Varnolac, and she consented to let him keep it—in his den. One day she was showing a distinguished collector her new antiques. He was strangely unenthusiastic—until he happened to catch a glimpse of Horace's discreetly hidden chair. He simply pounced upon it—said it was one of the finest examples he had ever seen, and all that—offered fabulous sums for it. Horace told him the whole story, and Mrs. Ralston was speechless with shame. Now when anyone mentions antiques, Horace says: "My collection is small, but good."

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Rufus Local News Notes

TOLD BY Fay Brackett, Correspondent

Ross Guilford is driving a new sedan.

H. H. Brackett was a business visitor in The Dalles last Friday.

J. L. Brackett and wife were visitors in The Dalles last Saturday.

Ross Guilford and family were visitors in Goldendale last Sunday.

Chester Coates has been sick for the past week, not being able to attend school.

G. L. Thompson and family have moved from Rufus to a farm home owned by Bruce Millard, about four miles south-east of town.

J. G. Addington, L. E. Langford and Ralph Eaton and families were fishing on the Deschutes river last Saturday, returning late in the evening.

The Rufus school was increased last Monday by three students, Harry, Charles and Earl Lyda. The Lyda family live on the J. S. Fowler place about 2 1/2 miles south of Rufus.

East bound passenger train No. 26 out of Portland en route for Kansas City, was wrecked near Blalock, Saturday evening about 8.15. The accident was caused by a large rock hitting the track so near train time that the watchman had not time to flag the train. The fireman was killed and sixteen people were injured. The watchman said he heard the rock hit the track just as the engine passed him, but too late to stop the train.

Picture Show News For The Current Week

"The Meddler" is an exciting story of a business man who goes west and turns bandit all for the love of a girl. It contains many elements, both of comedy and heavy drama to give it broad appeal.

It is the kind of story the world will acclaim as beautiful, exciting romance. Its action appeals to every one and it pictures just the sort of thing every man feels he would like to do. It portrays the romantic desires of every woman and it has plenty of action.

The bandit, played by William Desmond, is simply trying to prove to himself and to the girl that he has courage despite the fact that it has long been dormant. Holdup after holdup terrifies and puzzles the countryside for no one can explain why the bandit never takes anything from his victims. The story is unusual and exceedingly interesting.

"Rosita" is an entirely different story from anything Mary Pickford ever before has been identified with. Its appeal will be to the grown-ups rather than to the children, and an entirely new Mary Pickford audience will be created. Men especially, and there are a few, perhaps, who have never seen Mary Pickford on the screen will see and adore her in "Rosita."

A thrilling tale of Spanish romance is unfolded in swiftly moving scenes; glimpses of carnival and palatial splendor blended into a story of dramatic intensity interspersed with human frailties, comedy intrigue, suspense and mounded on a production of gigantic proportions, abounding in melodrama and love.

As Rosita Mary Pickford appears in many scenes of dramatic intensity, and while she is seen in the role of an emotional actress, Miss Pickford has played many emotional scenes heretofore, therefore it will not in this sense be a new Mary—just a grown up Mary Pickford never fully revealed until the present.

The sensational stage success "Sun Up" is the story of cramped, uneducated, undeveloped souls, to whom the rising sun of intelligence brings peace, understanding and love. The story is enacted against one of the most magnificent backgrounds in the United States, the picturesque and little traversed mountains of western North Carolina, not far from Asheville.

Worlds Series Ball Game Returns Received at Moro by Radio

An extension wire was run from Moro radio headquarters at Foss & Co. to the Moro Trading Co. store Wednesday morning and attached to a loud speaker horn so that store employees and customers could hear radio returns of the world series ball game. The extension was tused in and found to work perfectly, but rain at Pittsburg caused the game to be postponed until Thursday. The game Thursday was the last of the series, each team having won three of the seven games to be played to decide the world's championship.

The final game was played at Pittsburg Thursday afternoon in a heavy rain. The final score gave Pittsburg the title of world's champions by 7-9. Washington had the game up to the 7th inning when, with Pittsburg at bat with two men down and one on second Pittsburg knocked a homer which the umpire called a 2-base hit. This gave Pittsburg the extra ginger needed to win the game.

Want to trade horses for Ford car, either new or used car in good repair. H. B. Belshie, Moro, Oregon, phone 275.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Paragraphs on County and Community Events

Fred Peters was in town Monday afternoon from his home south of Grass Valley.

O. N. Ruggles was in town on Wednesday from his home near Grass Valley, en route to Portland.

Joe Truitt and family returned late last week from a visit at Portland with relatives of Mr. Truitt.

P. J. Dillinger and wife and Malcolm Neal and wife made the round trip by auto Sunday to Hood River.

J. C. Freeman has had men at work this week putting a new coat of tar on the roofs of the two stores he owns.

Mrs. C. M. Ruggles was visiting in Portland Wednesday from Grass Valley at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. G. Hulse.

P. J. Dillinger has both sides of his lower jaws quite noticeably swollen, caused by copper carbonate poisoning when treating seed wheat last week.

Chris R. Belshie shipped a carload of cattle from Grass Valley on Sunday to the Portland market and, upon his return, shipped a carload of hogs on Wednesday, also from Grass Valley, to the same market.

O. L. Belshie and George Henhagin returned this week from a deer hunting trip to the Ashwood district. The two expect to leave soon for a try at china pheasant shooting near Hornstrom when the season opens for birds.

Lev. D. H. Leech and wife of Salem, who were visiting at the A. M. Wright home last week, left Saturday for Yakima, Washington, where they visited with J. H. Fraser and wife. Mr. Fraser and Mr. Leech are both brothers-in-law to A. M. Wright.

Misses Helen Idelman, Dorothy Perlins and Lucile Baker entertained at bridge Thursday evening, having as special guests Misses Frances Heritage, Pearl Pherron, Margaret Chapman, Bessie Anderson and Marguerite Foss. Refreshments were served near the evening's end.

W. A. Raymond has finished remodeling the front of the Christian Science church in this city and this is now being painted a sandstone color by C. C. Richmond Sr. The interior of the edifice was finished in grey with ivory trim some weeks ago.

Ray Hulse made the round trip by auto truck last Sunday to the farm of his brother, Roy P. Hulse near Dufur, bringing back with him 1 1/2 ton of turkey red seed wheat. Going, the Shearer bridge road was used and the California highway on the return.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Crossfield and baby, accompanied by Mrs. G. N. Crossfield, mother of Mr. Crossfield, were visiting with friends in Moro Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. G. N. Crossfield is convalescing rapidly from the effects of an operation to which she submitted at a hospital in The Dalles the last week in August.

Attorney I. M. Peterson was in Wasco Tuesday on legal business connected with the sale of the Wasco restaurant under sheriff sale attachment proceedings. W. R. Reid, former owner of the business, and client of Mr. Peterson, was suing for return of the property to him because of failure to comply with the terms of the purchase contract.

A delegation of five members of Moro lodge I. O. O. F. attended the annual district convention at Sherman, Wasco and Hood River counties held at Cascade Locks Monday afternoon and evening. Those in the party were Attorney I. M. Peterson, Dr. Jos. Sanders, S. P. Brisbane, A. M. Young and W. B. Rice. Upon their return at 7 a. m. Tuesday morning they reported a large attendance present at the convention. The next meeting will be held at The Dalles the second Monday in October, 1926.

News Items From Kent And Near Vicinity

The Reckman girls started to school here this week.

Wm. Young and G. C. Young are the owners of new Fords.

Little Charlie Bill Wilson is visiting at the Harbin home this week.

Mr. Matthes is loading a car of coal for the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co.

Mrs. T. W. Hayes of Grass Valley was seen on our streets one day last week.

Wilber Haggerty is enjoying a visit with friends of Spokane, Washington.

Wm. Mitchell was in Hood River last week looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bennett of The Dalles were visitors at the Hogue home Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Dellinger spent the week-end with her daughter Mrs. Paul Stout at Portland.

Mrs. A. L. Mottern was in Grass Valley Thursday having soon dental work done by Dr. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Walton and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crocker were visiting in Goldendale last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hoskinson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Justisen were motor visitors to Moro on Monday.

The public is enjoying the world series ball games over Dick Abel's radio at the Kent Trading company's store.

W. L. Register drove to Hood River last week-end to visit with his daughter Tana, who is attending high school at that place.

Wylene Adams who is attending high school here spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, near Antelope.

One of our young ladies got her lovely locks cut last week. This doesn't look much like bobbed hair and going out of style, not in Kent any way.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schadewitz were in The Dalles last week. Louis reports his cousin Virgil who has been in The Dalles hospital the past six weeks as doing fine and hopes to leave the hospital before long.

Miss Elsie Bourhill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Bourhill of this city, and P. M. VanSlyck, employed with the O. W. R. & N. Co. on the Spokane division, were married Wednesday afternoon, October 14th, at Vancouver, Washington. The young couple left shortly after the ceremony for Enaville, Idaho, where they will reside indefinitely.

A. E. Crosby, past president of the Oregon State Board of Pharmacy and present treasurer, has received a certificate of honorary membership in the Oklahoma state board of pharmacy. With the exception of three states, New York, Rhode Island and California, Mr. Crosby now belongs as an honorary member, on every state board in the union, including the Hawaiian Islands.

Farmers in the vicinity of Moro are well pleased with the rain storm that was general over Sherman county last Saturday evening. At this place records show .54 of an inch of rain as a consequence of the storm. Not quite as much rain fell west of Wasco as in other parts of Sherman county, but enough visited all sections to warrant farmers to begin fall seeding of wheat.

Mrs. J. M. Axtell and daughter, Mrs. Aden K. Axtell, left by auto Thursday for Portland. Both ladies make a business of raising canary birds, shipping them to dealers for retail sale. Monday last Mrs. J. M. Axtell shipped 75 birds and Thursday morning Mrs. A. K. Axtell shipped a second lot of 75 birds. Their trip is for the purpose of making final disposal of the two shipments and to arrange for a third shipment late this month of another lot of 80 birds. They will visit relatives in Hillsboro before returning.

MORO CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All Denominations

The customary services will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday, October 18th. Rev. Henry G. Hanson will preach at 11:00. The Sunday school begins its session at 10:00.

A very large audience composed of the congregations of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches greeted Mr. W. A. Sellwood, field worker of the Near East Relief, who spoke at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning. Pledges for the work of caring for some 10,000 orphans in the Near East were taken up, amounting to \$250.00. Mr. Sellwood has been making his headquarters at Hotel Moro this past week. He spoke at Kent on Wednesday evening, and has been visiting a number of schools throughout the county.

Rev. Henry G. Hanson spent last Monday in Portland attending a conference on evangelism. Plans are on foot for a large program to be carried out in all Presbyterian churches throughout the nation this coming winter. Mr. Hanson left yesterday for Pendleton to attend the regular fall meeting of Pendleton Presbytery at that place. He expects to return Friday of this week.

The Presbyterians are laying plans for a big meeting on October 25th, this being their annual benevolence Sunday. The people of the congregation are all urged to bring their dinner baskets with them and enjoy a social hour following the morning service.

At the Methodist church Sunday morning Mrs. Feenstra is going to speak on the statement from the Apostles Creed, "I believe in the communion of saints."

Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m.

The union evening service will be held at the Methodist church. Mrs. Mallet, State President of the W. C. T. U., will give the address.

You are cordially invited to these services. R. A. Feenstra, pastor.

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.

Every Sunday at 10:00 there is a Bible class at the Baptist church. Everybody welcome. Studies for this month are "The danger signals of failure in Israel's history." "Written for our admonition! Stop! Listen! Heed!"

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Peetz left Tuesday for a short stay at Camp Sherman.

Mrs. Roe White of Moro undertakes a major operation at The Dalles hospital Wednesday morning.

William Kupers and wife, from Pendleton, who have been visiting at the H. H. McIntyre home, left Tuesday for Pendleton. Mr. Kupers is Mrs. McIntyre's father.

Mrs. J. F. Foss and daughters Marguerite and Dorothy and Mrs. H. G. Hanson were motor visitors to the Hood River valley apple district Saturday where they spent part of the day at the W. F. Jackson home.

F. D. Flatt moved the piano at the Moro hotel, owned by M. W. Armstrong, to Hood River Wednesday afternoon by auto truck. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong are now at Hood River where they are in charge of the dining room at the Mount Hood hotel.

A pig litter exhibited by Glenn Ohling of Albany, route 3, attracted considerable attention at the state fair. There were 12 pigs in the litter, 6 months old, total weight 2870 pounds and he sold them for 13 1/2 cents per pound. He fed them four tons of feed at a cost of \$35, and they netted him over \$200.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wright left early Sunday morning for Yakima, Washington, where they visited with J. H. Fraser and family. The return trip was made Monday. An unusual feature of their trip was the opportunity to see the wreck of the O. W. R. & N. Co. train near Blalock as they passed there on Sunday and again on Monday when they returned.

Doctors have pronounced little Eleanor Ann, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fortner of this city to be now out of danger from further serious effects from complications of pneumonia and whooping cough from which she has been a sufferer the past several weeks. The little girl was able to be brought home this week from the hospital at The Dalles.

Sheriff Hugh Chrisman received word last Friday that Cal Ford who broke out of the county jail last spring the same night as did Lawrence Jones, was in custody of the police at Los Angeles. After consulting with County Judge McKee and District Attorney Wade, it was decided that the expense did not warrant having the county foot the expense necessary to return Ford to serve out the balance of his jail sentence.

A Bird in the Hand You know the saying. Its 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 "The Meddler" Saturday, October 17 A western Robin Hood story with William Desmond as the star backed by the cream of fastgalloping famous Ranch Riders supported with a cast that includes Claire Anderson, Albert J. Smith, Kate Lester, and Georgia Graedee. "Rosita" Sunday, October 18 "Rosita" is a Spanish romance with famous Mary Pickford in the title role with a supporting cast of well known movie players that include Holbrook Binn, Irene Rich, George Walsh, Mme. Mathilde Comont, Mme. de Bodamere, and more. Tuesday, October 20 "SUN UP" With Conrad Nagel, Pauline Starke and Lucile LaVerne in the title roles. Adapted by Edmund Goulding and Arthur Statter from the Broadway success by Lulu Vollmer. "A Slave of Fashion" Saturday, October 24 Norma Shearer in the title role supported by Lew Cody, William Haines, Mary Carr, James Corrigan, Vivia Ogdon and some other well known movie people. "A Self Made Failure" Sunday, October 25 Ben Alexander is in the title role with a supporting cast that includes such well known favorites as Lloyd Hamilton, Matt Moore, Patsy Ruth Miller, Mary Carr, and others. TWICE-A-WEEK FEATURE INTERNATIONAL NEWS REEL

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