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Kareks Lodge No. 121 A. F. & A. M.
Moro, Oregon
Meets the 1st and 3rd
Thursday evenings of
each month. Visiting
members cordially in-
vited to meet with us.
By order of W. M.
Robt. Urquhart, Secretary.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S.
Moro, Oregon
Regular communica-
tions each 2nd and 4th
Thursday evenings of
each month.
Ella Thompson
Worthy Matron
Nana Barzee, Secretary.

Moro Lodge No. 113 I. O. O. F.
Moro, Oregon
Meets every Monday
evening in the L. O. O. F.
hall. Transient and
visiting brothers are
cordially invited to
meet with us.
A. R. Kessinger, N. G.
A. M. Young, Secretary

Lupine Rebecca Lodge No. 116
Moro, Oregon
Meets 2d and 4th Tues-
days of each month.
Visiting members wel-
come.
Ora Peetz, N. G.
Jessie Henrichs, Sec.

Chris Schultz Post No. 71
American Legion
Meets at L. O. O. F. hal-
on 2nd and 4th Wednes-
day evenings of each
month.
W. H. Williams, Commander
A. M. Zevely, Adjutant

OBSERVER WANT ADS

PIANO FOR SALE \$137

Regular \$500 value used of course
but in fine condition. Terms \$50.00
monthly. Free delivery to Moro dis-
trict. \$119 and \$165 buys other fine
used pianos fully guaranteed. Write
for lists and prices, or call at once at
Big Piano Sale on for short time.
Western Piano Brokerage Co., oppo-
site Post Office, The Dalles.

Four brood sows and one pure
blood Polan China male for sale or
trade. Homer Belasche, Moro, Oregon

We can fit all kinds of people. Any
size of weight. Crippled or deformed
feet. Wernmark's Shoe Store, The
Dalles.

WANTED — Used Deering 9-foot
combine in fair condition. Must know
soon. Adolph Agidigius, route 3, The
Dalles, Oregon. m25*3t

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

For Sale — Standard make piano
in vicinity will be sacrificed. Must
sell at once. \$10 monthly. Write
Tallman Piano Store, Salem, Oregon

Range For Sale: Combination wood
and coal, hot water coils and stove
pipe included; reasonable. Marie
Amidon, Postoffice, Moro. 2tm25*

Baby Chicks for sale — \$15.00 per
hundred; Rhode Island Red, O. A. C.
strain. Write me and give your or-
der. Mrs. P. H. Thomsen, Route One,
Moro, Oregon.

For Sale — Certified Earliest of
All, Early Ohio, Nettle Gem, seed po-
tatoes. Also Swift's Commercial Fer-
tilizer. The Dalles Cooperative Grow-
ers, First and Jefferson streets, phone
388, The Dalles, Oregon.

Mrs. Elsie VanSlyck was visiting
in Moro this week as house guest of
her father, Geo. B. Bourhill.

Guaranteed Watch

—AND—

Jewelry Repairing

BY EXPERT WORKMEN

Leave Your Work with W. A.
Ruggles at Moro Confectionery

F. H. COOLIDGE

HOOD RIVER, OREGON

ROARING BUCKAROO BILL

Bill, you've ridden miles and weary;
Calm yourself; you must be "queer"
To gab with me.
Rolling plains roll on forever;
Cowboy, you can hold them never;
And that you'll see.

Through that forest glade you ride,
Our fair Sal close up beside;
Young Lechinvar.
You ride into, round and o'er me,
But you cannot yet ignore me;
I'll stand the jar.

Hist! Those names you called me,
Bill.
With your cry of battle still;
Pray, who is slaming?
My intentions in this fracas of the pen
Was defense of Little Sal from wick-
ed men.

You'd best try clammimg.
Hayseed Hank has grabbed his hoe;
Sagebrush Sal is on the go.
The news to find.
But you twist your steed of tin,
Slouch your hat and rattle in.
I know your kind.

You insist upon your ever fancied
rights;
It's the likes of you in all the careless
fights.
You're very rude.
Still, for all your Wild West Style,
And to fight, you'd ruh a mile,
You're not a Dude.

Now, this City Dude that's ranching;
Into other lines tries branching.
Best hide his pen.
Packard eight of which he screams,
Ramble only in his dreams —
But seldom then.

Now when all is said and done,
I just joined you three in fun;
With fire I've played.
Bill has jostled me for fair,
With warwhoops loud has rent the air,
I'm sore afraid.

Now, a truce I'd like to call,
Like to meet you one and all.
So, are you game?
Next weeks answer we may send,
Foes no more but each a friend.
Let's sign our names.

— Rollin' Plain

STILL AND BOOZE SEIZED

Sheriff Hugh Chrisman, Harry Se-
gar and Harry Kunsman drove to the
Vic Barr farm last Friday and walk-
ed down the old toll grade to the Har-
ris place on the Deschutes river,
where they had information that a
liquor manufacturing plant was in op-
eration.

Upon arrival they found Peter
Dohm, former saloon keeper of The
Dalles, sitting in the house; he dis-
claimed any knowledge of illegal acts.
Investigation showed a still in op-
eration, seven dozen quarts of beer, 4%
gallons of high grade moonshine and
the outfit with which to manufacture
liquor.

Dohm was placed under arrest and
brought to Moro with part of the
equipment found and some of the
liquor as evidence. The balance was
destroyed by the raiding party.

Dohm plead guilty, in Justice of
the Peace R. J. Ginn's court Satur-
day, to a charge of having moonshine
in his possession and was fined \$250
and sentenced to 90 days in jail.

SURVEY NEAR COMPLETION

A crew of men headed by John E.
LeTourneau from the Pacific Power
and Electric company have been in
the city for about a week, complet-
ing the survey for the extension of
the Sherman Electric power line to
Ione, Oregon. Other members of the
crew are Art Anderson and Glenn P.
Lewis, and all are stopping at the
Hotel Moro.

This power line when completed
will be what is technically known as
the 2-pole type of construction, hav-
ing two poles connected with a solid
timber cross arm in place of one pole.
The cross arms will carry the three
wires necessary for transmission pur-
poses by means of a wire at the out-
side of each pole and a center wire
between the poles.

When completed the line will carry
22,000 volts and transformers will be
so placed as to reduce the voltage to
any requirements of the farmers who
may choose to use the power for the
operation of any stationary machine-
ry they may have on their ranches.

Work on the extension will begin
at once after the completion of the
survey, which Mr. LeTourneau states
will be in about a month. Camp con-
struction material is already arriv-
ing.

The new power line or rather the
extension will follow the old original
base line from DeMoss to Ione.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Paragraphs on County and Community Events

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Coolidge of
Hood River were visiting with friends
at Moro and Grass Valley last Sun-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Belasche expect to
motor to Portland late this week to
spend the weekend with relatives in
that city.

Work of reconstruction of the burn-
ed elevator properties in Moro will
soon be under way with O. A. Ram-
sey in charge.

A relief truck driver, living in the
Poley residence, moved his family to
Bend this week. The man had the
run between that place and Moro.

Mrs. C. B. Brown of Grass Valley
received a broken leg in The Dalles
last Sunday when struck by an auto-
mobile as she was walking across the
street.

Judge Fred Krurow of Grass Val-
ley was a business visitor in Portland
last week. Judge Krurow is a direc-
tor of the Portland National bank of
that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nish of The Dal-
les, in company with their grandson,
Vance Nish, student at The Dalles
high school, were visiting in Moro
last Saturday.

Mrs. L. N. Huls drove up from
Portland Tuesday in company with
her father, Wm. Morrison, who has
been visiting in the Willamette valley
the last two weeks.

D. H. Wright was a visitor in town
last Friday. Dell has been sick with
the flu for the past two weeks and
that was his first day out of bed since
the inception of his sickness.

J. C. McKean and O. G. Sayrs,
when in Portland last week, conclud-
ed a purchase of 400,000 feet of lum-
ber to be used in the construction of
the new Farmers Elevator at Moro.

Theo. Johnston, C. A. Forbes, W. H.
Williams and Alex Jackson drove to
Dufur last Friday where they attend-
ed the district convention of the
American Legion held at that place.

Dr. A. S. Hisey, district superin-
tendent of the eastern district of the
Methodist church conducted confer-
ence for Moro and Grass Valley Meth-
odist churches Tuesday evening at
Grass Valley.

An order for a Kimball cultivator
has been received by The Dalles Iron
Works, patentees, from the Maynard
Research station, Bristol, England.
The farm implement, now manufac-
tured only in The Dalles, is gaining
universal recognition.

Mrs. F. E. Bennett, of Condon was
a registered arrival at Hotel Moro
last Wednesday. Mrs. Bennett is
Grand Ada of the Eastern Star, and
Deputy for the Worthy Grand Matron
of the same order, and paid the local
chapter on official visit.

Geo. B. Bourhill and W. C. Bryant
were visiting in the south part of
the county last Sunday for the pur-
pose of appraising property for ap-
plicants of soldier bonus loans. Part
of the trip had to be abandoned be-
cause of the soft road conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sachs, now re-
siding near Spokane, were visiting
with friends in Moro last Sunday on
their way to Portland by auto. Mr.
Sachs was formerly in the meat mar-
ket business in this city and many
older people will remember Mrs. Sachs
as Jennie Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barzee expect
to leave Moro the first of next week
on an auto trip to Newport, where
Mr. Barzee has recently bought prop-
erty he will use for summer resort
vacation purposes. The trip is made
to put the property in condition for
use this summer.

Mrs. J. C. McKean drove to Port-
land last Saturday in company with
Mrs. C. V. Belknap, who visited at
Vancouver, Washington, while Mrs.
McKean visited her daughter Georgia
at Monmouth. The two visited at
Woodburn before their return to Mo-
ro on Wednesday.

An audience numbering approxi-
mately 300 relatives, friends, and
schoolmates attended the presentation
of the high school play "Safety First"
at the Legion hall last Friday even-
ing. The cast of characters, stage
effects and presentation were all ex-
cellent, is the opinion of those who
attended.

Jay Salzman, state traffic officer,
was in Moro last Friday and Satur-
day on official business. While here
he held one of the Bend-Portland
trucks nearly 24 hours because of the
soft road conditions. When the truck
left, its departure was timed to allow
it to use the damaged highway near
Shaniko while the roadbed was in
frozen condition.

A committee from the Wasco coun-
ty Pamona Grange met with repre-
sentatives from The Dalles Chamber
of Commerce, the Legion, the Kiwanis
club, the Lions club and the Farm-
ers Union at The Dalles last Monday
night to discuss the establishment of
a county fair or near The Dalles.
The Pamona Grange has already gone
on record as favoring such a fair, of
Mid-Columbia scope, and asked for
the meeting to work out some means
of getting a suitable site, financing
the fair and securing suggestions for
methods of administration.

HARLAND VIEW GRANGE MEETS

At the regular meeting of Harland
View Grange held last Friday even-
ing, it was unanimously voted to
change the meeting night from Fri-
days to the second and fourth Thurs-
days of each month.

A committee of five was appointed
to act with a similar committee from
Shearer Grange to arrange for a coun-
ty picnic to be held at some place in
the county yet to be selected. June
seemed to be the favorite month for
the picnic, altho no vote was taken.

The next meeting, on April 14th,
will be an open meeting and in con-
nection with the evening's program it
will be a basket social.

An invitation was received from
Cherry Grove Grange of The Dalles
to attend a chicken dinner at their
grange hall in Thompson addition, to
be held this next Saturday at 6 p. m.

Friday afternoon the O. R. Knapp
house and contents were destroyed by
fire and a special relief session was
voted to be held at the Grange hall
last Sunday afternoon, for the pur-
pose of receiving donations for the
family.

The new quarterly refreshment
committee was appointed with Mrs.
M. G. Melzer as chairman.

An average of four new applicants
for membership is being received at
each meeting.

LOCAL BOYS HONORED

State Fire Marshal Places Names of
Two Moro Boys on State Roll
of Honor

Letters were received this week by
Austin Foss and Jimmy Noonan from
State Fire Marshal Lee thanking them
for their discovery and subsequent ex-
tinguishing of an incipient fire that
was threatening the destruction of the
Barnett building in this city. The
letter received by Austin Foss reads as
follows:

March 17, 1927

Mr. Austin Foss, Moro, Oregon
Dear friend: The commissioner of
insurance and state fire marshal read
with approval the account of your
self and Jimmy Noonan when by your
prompt action you saved loss by fire
of the Barnett building. This was a
commendable act and we take plea-
sure in having both of your names
placed on our roll of honor for "Jun-
ior Fire Marshals."

You know we are very proud of
boys of Oregon who help us reduce
fire waste and we have established
what is to be known as the junior fire
marshal organization of Oregon. Your
act has made you eligible for this
association and in due course you will
be presented with an emblem which
is a symbol of your membership.
Members of this organization are
pledged to do everything in their power
to prevent fire waste at home as
well as in our forests and we know
that you will be valuable aids for the
department.

Very truly yours,
Clare A. Lee
State Fire Marshal

WILL FILM DESCHUTES RIVER

Henry Schenck, representing the
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film producing
corporation, was in The Dalles this
week with three associates. Report
states that they are seeking a location
on the Deschutes river where a large
number of scenes will be filmed for
the "Trail of '98."

They are hunting for a swift water
stream where scenes showing the ma-
nipulation of boats, shooting rapids,
mining operations and other wilder-
ness pictures will be taken.

The company are now taking scenes
for the picture in Colorado, employ-
ing 3500 persons. Nearly all of these
will be brought to The Dalles if the
Deschutes river scenery is approved
by Mr. Schenck.

A press report in the daily paper
Thursday morning of this week stated
that two men were killed taking
scenes of an avalanche in Colorado
which had gotten away from those
engaged in the picture. A second
slide followed the first and buried
some of the members of the company.

W. C. Ross has built a window box
for the front of the Ross Confection-
ery and has planted it with pansy
plants.

Hugh Chrisman and J. C. Freeman
are having built a joint ownership
lattice fence between their residence
properties.

Mrs. Virginia Hennagin is expected
to arrive from Portland this week to
spend the weekend with her stepson,
George Hennagin and his family.

County Clerk G. C. Akers and fam-
ily have rented the Tumalum resi-
dence property recently vacated by
D. E. Clark, who has moved to Hood
River.

Moro Confectionery is having the
ceiling and side walls refinished with
calomine. The ceiling is being re-
fined in cream and the side walls
in a pearl grey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. May are here
from The Dalles, at the home of their
daughter, Mrs. A. M. Zevely, who is
confined to her home with a serious
attack of the flu.

Players to occupy more than 28
tables attended the card party spon-
sored by Mrs. D. E. Stephens and
eight other ladies given at the Legion
hall last Saturday evening.

Weather conditions in this section
of Sherman county continue moist.
Last week on Wednesday a snow
storm was in evidence and this Wed-
nesday it rained plentifully.

MORO CHURCH NEWS

Notes of Interest to All Denominations

Moro Methodist Church
Mrs. R. A. Feenstra will preach at
the usual hour at the Methodist
church next Sunday morning. Sun-
day school at 10 a. m.
You are most heartily welcome.
R. A. Feenstra, pastor.

Presbyterian Church Notices.
Rev. Wilbur of Hood River will oc-
cupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian
church next Sunday morning and
evening. A congregational meeting
will follow the morning service at
which Rev. Wilbur will preside.
All members and friends of the
church are urged to be present.
R. C. Byers, chairman pulpit com.

Grass Valley Methodist Church
Sunday school regularly at 10 a. m.
Preaching service at 11 a. m.
Epworth League at 7 p. m.
You are welcome.
R. A. Feenstra, pastor.

Mrs. May, mother of W. A. May of
this city, is visiting in Moro this
week.
Roy F. Dean and C. A. Forbes,
manager and salesman for the Sher-
man Electric Co., were in The Dalles
Wednesday on company business.

Mrs. Geo. N. Crossfield from Wasco
was visiting in Moro Wednesday
afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L.
Ireland.

N. W. Thompson, manager of the
Moro Hardware & Implement Co.,
was recently awarded a contract for
five ton of nails to be used in build-
ing the new Farmers Elevator at
Moro.

The principals of the high schools
of the county will meet at Moro this
next Saturday as an executive com-
mittee of the Sherman County Field
Meet Association to consider matters
concerning the next county field meet
to be held at Grass Valley in May.

Ellis Vanetta, Pacific Power &
Light Co. radio expert, was in Grass
Valley recently locating radio inter-
ference troubles. He found on his
arrival that the town had about 75%
to 85% interference and when he left
had reduced this to between 18% and
20%.

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys
McMillin Fuller, former resident of
Wasco who died at Bend last Sunday,
were held from the Methodist church
at Wasco Tuesday afternoon under
direction of Crandall Undertaking
company. Interment was in the Was-
co cemetery.

Attention is called to the advertis-
ment of a new shoe repair method in-
stalled by Arthur Phillips. By the
use of this method, half soiling of all
women's and men's dress shoes is
done by a patented leather cement
process that does away with the use
of all nails except two.

The Pacific Power & Light com-
pany has had an experienced meter
man working in Sherman county the
last few weeks testing and correct-
ing meters. His attention was main-
ly given to old meters converted from
direct to alternate current several
years ago and to cleaning and test-
ing power meters.

Members of the congregations of
the Methodist and Presbyterian
churches of Moro are considering a
federation of the two churches. Un-
der the contemplated plan both church-
es will continue their present entity,
but will continue with only one Sun-
day school and church services in-
stead of two as at present.

Judge and Mrs. J. T. Whalley drove
up from Portland last Friday to spend
the week end with their two daugh-
ters, Mrs. M. W. Peetz and Mrs. Car-
roll Sayrs. They drove through a
rain storm as far east as The Dalles
on the trip and Saturday, at Moro,
was the first time Mr. Whalley has
seen a sunny day for several weeks.

Newton Crossfield, manager of the
Wasco Theatre, was in town Wed-
nesday concluding final arrangements
to open a movie picture show in Moro
at the American Legion hall. The
first picture show will be given April
9th. This will be followed by a sec-
ond show on April 19th and there-
after on each Tuesday and Saturday.

The farm home of O. R. Knapp,
east of Moro was entirely destroyed
by fire together with all the house-
hold furniture, except some personal
clothing, late last Friday afternoon.
The fire was first discovered by one of
the children, who saw the roof on fire
and gave an alarm. The day was ex-
ceptionally windy and it is supposed
that the fire started from sparks fall-
ing on the roof and lodging against
the shingles.

A movement is being considered at
Moro whereby the railway company
will absorb the local dry charges on
freight and express deliveries from
Moro-railway station. At present
freight to or from Portland pays haul-
age charges at both ends to the rail-
way that in many cases exceed the de-
livery charge from the Moro station.
A regular line of freight trucks run-
ning through Moro will pick up and
drop freight at doors without any ex-
tra charge. A conference of rail-
way officials will be held at Moro in
the near future in an effort to correct
this condition.

Just Look Back Five Years



YESTERDAY — TODAY
TOMORROW

Suppose you had saved one-
quarter of what you made,
what a nice sum you would
have.

If you will but make up your
mind to live on three-quarters of your earnings and
put the other fourth in the bank the dollars will pile
up surprisingly.

THINK IT OVER

Bank of Moro

DR. B. H. FRANKLIN

Chiropractic Physician

Will Be at Hotel Moro
Thursday, Friday, Saturday
of each week
Office Hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Other Hours by Appointment

WARTS, MOLES OR
BIRTHMARKS
removed without pain or scar.
Used successfully for 20 years.

May I suggest an appointment?

Electro Therapy.
Massage.



Why Continue
to Suffer?

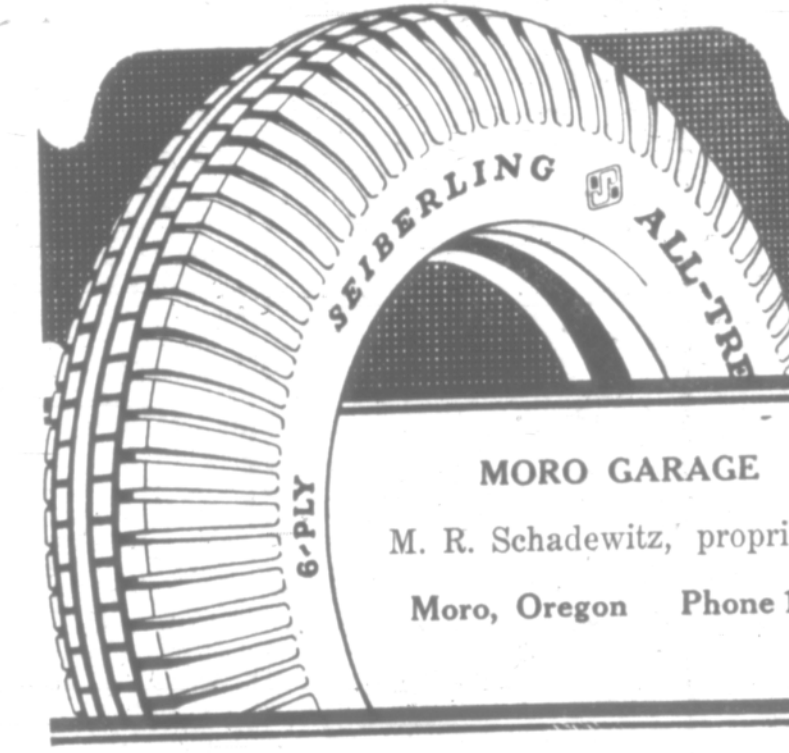
Farmers Elevator & Supply Co.

Agents for Sherman County

J. I. CASE, 14-foot cut, Hillside Type
Harvester Thresher



Notice the new enclosed straw dump. Platform running all
around the machine. All rollers running direct to top of deck.
All bearings can be oiled while machine is in operation.



MORO GARAGE

M. R. Schadewitz, proprietor
Moro, Oregon Phone 171



Lone Rock Dairy

O. R. Hulse, Proprietor
Fresh Milk and Cream
at all times.
DELIVERY TWICE DAILY
Leave orders at
Moro Pharmacy

Independent Warehouse & Milling Co.

R. H. McKean, Manager, Wasco, Oregon

DEALERS IN

Lime, Plaster, Cement, Cedar Posts,
Builders Supplies, Lumber, Wood,
Coal and Hay.

MANUFACTURERS OF
MILL FEED AND FLOUR

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

BE SURE AND SEE

Harold Lloyd

--- in ---

"KID BROTHER"

ADMISSION 10c and 50c

Friday and Saturday
April 1st and 2nd

WASCO THEATRE

Newton Crossfield, Director