

SHERMAN COUNTY OBSERVER

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Eureka 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.
Alice Conlee
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. Transient and
visiting brothers are
cordially invited to
meet with us.
Geo. McDonald, 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.
Lenora Schadevitz, N. G.
Jessie Henrichs, Sec.

Chris Schultz Post No. 71
American Legion
Meets at I. O. O. F. hall
on 2nd and 4th Wednes-
day evenings of each
month.
Fred Pickett, Commander
R. V. McEwan, Adjutant

WANT ADS

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

WE CAN fit all kinds of people. Any
size or weight. Crippled or de-
formed feet. Wernmark's Shoe
Store, The Dalles.

Gov. Pierce Visits Moro

Sherman county was honored this
week by a visit from former Governor
Walter M. Pierce, who spent parts
of three days visiting all sections of
the county in the interests of his cam-
paign for election as congressman
from the 2nd Oregon district.

Tuesday he was guest of honor at
an all-day meeting of Harland View
grange where he spoke at an open
meeting in the afternoon. Wednes-
day he visited different sections of
the county and spoke at a public
meeting in the American Legion hall
at Moro in the evening. He left Moro
early Thursday morning on a cam-
paign tour of central Oregon.

Mr. Pierce will again visit Sher-
man county next week in response to
an invitation to address the members
of the W. C. T. U. at Kent on Tues-
day, September 11.

Mr. Pierce has visited Sherman
county numerous times in past years
in his official capacity as governor of
Oregon and when campaigning for
office. He has a pleasing personality
and easily holds the attention of his
audience when making an address
such as Wednesday evening.

The reaction to the meeting held at
Moro seemed to be the thought that
time takes its toll of us all, whether
great or small, and that it would be
of greater material benefit to the
district and to the best interest of
Sherman county to have a questioner
man elected to the office in question,
one in whom the district could look
forward to grow in influence and
power and prestige through years of
service.

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

Sherman county has many entries
in the races at Goldendale this year.
Klickitat County Fair, September 5,
6, 7 and 8. Lots of fun and excite-
ment for everybody. Quick, safe
ferry service at Maryhill.

A fine piece of taxidermist work
can be seen at the Douma Bros.
market, a well mounted four pronged
specimen head of the Mule deer. The
animal was shot during the hunting
season last fall.

M. G. Melzer and family returned
last week from a three weeks auto
tour of western Oregon. Their itine-
ry included a stop of ten days at
Rockaway, a drive down the coast to
Newport following a drive along the
coast north as far as Seaside. The
drive home was by way of Sherwood
and Portland where they visited with
relatives.

BILL THE BARBER SAYS

WITH YOUR NOSE
TO THE CARBONITE
YOU KEEP FROM
STICKING IT IN
SOMEBODY ELSE'S
BUSINESS.

Observer Office Repainted

For the past 35 years the Sherman
County Observer office building has
stood in Moro with the same coat of
paint. Several times during this pe-
riod we have tried to interest painters
in the work of preserving the building
and improving its general appearance
without success. Three or four times
we have bought the material, but lack
of time was the excuse given us by
the workmen as the reason why the
work was not done.

As the years went by and the build-
ing became more exposed to the
weathering conditions of Sherman
county we had become doubtful if
paint applied in the usual manner
would be of any benefit until last
week when R. A. Smith of The Dalles,
operating an engine driven paint
spray outfit, made the editor of the
Sherman County Observer a proposi-
tion to paint the building with his air
compressor painting machine.

The offer was accepted and the
building has been given three coats
of oil and paint which, we believe,
will be of greater benefit, under the
circumstances of long exposure and
neglect, than could have been realized
by applying the paint by the old brush
method.

The Maryhill Ferry will operate
two boats during rush hours to ac-
commodate Sherman county visitors
to the Klickitat County Fair at Gol-
dendale, September 5, 6, 7 and 8.

J. C. Freeman left Moro by train
Thursday night for LaGrande where
he will attend the 2nd Oregon con-
gressional democratic committee meet-
ing held to make nomination of a can-
didate for the short term as delegate
from this county.

L. W. Amick and wife were visitors
in Moro Saturday from Kent. They
were accompanied by Albert Amick,
uncle of L. W., and his son Spence
visiting here from Santa Cruz, Cal.,
on their way to Boise where they will
visit a daughter of Albert Amick.

The unknown disease that has taken
heavy toll of farm animals in Sher-
man county this year is yet working
in this section of the state. Sunday
afternoon John Stewart lost another
cow from the same cause, the 15th
cow and 13th horse since he has tried
to cure his herd.

The shortage of water has been
serious in Moro. One man reports
that he waited at the faucet in his
home for a half hour to get a drink,
hoping it would spill a drop of water
instead of spout air. Cleaning the
city reservoirs at the beginning of
summer and watering 300 head of
cattle each day has intensified the
usual summer shortage. Residents of
the higher parts of Moro complain
that they have no water from dawn
to dark.

School Reopens Monday

The Moro grade and high schools
will reopen for the 1928-1929 school
year next Monday morning, Septem-
ber 10. The high school building
will be open all of Saturday, Septem-
ber 8, for all students who plan to
attend high school where high school
work can be taken care of before the
school hour on Monday. Geo. C.
Winters, principal of the school, states
that by so doing students can secure
their books at better advantage and
the courses and class schedules will
be easier to adjust.

Town Talk

W. A. Woods was a visitor in Moro
on Friday from Dufur.

L. W. Ross and wife visited in Moro
last weekend from Portland.

Fred Haynes was a business visitor
in Moro on Tuesday from Kent.

Tom Douma is in Wheeler county
this week on a cattle buying scout
trip.

Attorney Frank Dick of The Dalles
was in Moro Saturday on legal busi-
ness.

Miss Nellie McCown, former deputy
county clerk, was a visitor in Moro
last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Lee and son
Lester were visitors in Moro on Labor
Day from Portland.

Douma Bros. have completed build-
ing a new fence around their cattle
corral on First street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Moore and Mr.
and Mrs. E. H. Moore returned Tues-
day from a motor trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. May vis-
ited in Portland over Labor Day, re-
turning by way of the Mt. Hood loop
highway.

Attorney I. M. Peterson and wife
in company with his mother, were vis-
iting in Moro last weekend from
Springfield.

Let's go to the Fair at Goldendale,
September 5, 6, 7 and 8. Two ferry
boats during rush hours, assuring
quick service.

A late model two door Ford sedan
was delivered to Chas. Forrester at
Bourbon on the 31st by the Fred
Pickett Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruusow expect
to leave Grass Valley next week on
an extended trip to their old home in
New Brunswick, Canada.

Clifford Benson has taken over the
office work of the A. E. Page Machin-
ery Co. at Moro in place of Leonard
Marty, transferred to Pendleton.

Construction work on the new
school building at Rufus was to have
begun this week, according to H. H.
Brackett who was in Moro on Tues-
day.

W. F. Jackson and wife returned
Tuesday from an outing at Camp
Sherman. They were accompanied on
the trip by Mrs. C. E. Sheets, visiting
from Spokane.

Darwin VanGilder spent Labor Day
at The Dalles having x-ray pictures
made of his stomach in the hope of
securing medical relief from an illness
of long standing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Schadevitz re-
turned to Moro on Tuesday from a
motor trip to Portland. They were
accompanied by Mrs. O. A. Ramsey
who had been visiting in the Rose
City.

Word has been received at this of-
fice from Portland that the annual
Sherman county picnic for former
residents of this county, held each
year at Portland, will be held in
Peninsular park on the 9th.

All the best racing stock of Sher-
man county will compete in the races
at the Klickitat County Fair in Gol-
dendale, this year. Two ferry boats
in service during rush hours, so there
will be no long waits at the river.

Miss Viola Hansen returned Sun-
day from a week's outing spent at
Crater Lake Lodge as guest of the
management in company with three
other girls and boys who won special
distinction in club work at the state
fair last year.

Lost His Gas Supply

W. C. Ross drove to The Dalles last
Thursday where he parked his car in
a garage, took the train for Portland
and returned Friday by train and
auto to Moro. He put nine gallons
of gas in the tank before leaving
Moro, which should ordinarily be
plenty for several such trips. When
he got back to The Dalles and started
to crank up his car it would not go.
He knew the starter was a trifle weak
and had the garage man hook a truck
to the car and tow him a distance to
have the engine start. They towed
the car "all round the town" said
Ross, who finally thought to inspect
the gas tank. While the car was in
storage some other car driver got
cheap gas by taking "every drop"
from the car Ross had drove out of
Moro with nine gallons in its tank.

C. L. Montgomery narrowly escaped
losing all his personal property and
buildings Wednesday when a grass
fire he had started got away from him.
He managed to control the blaze, but
cut the palm of his right hand severely
in the effort.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brackett and
son Faye were visitors in Moro on
Tuesday from Rufus. At the close
of the teachers institute they drove
to Shearer grade in company with
their daughter Mary who will teach
school there this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christiansen
and son Warren from Minneapolis
were visitors last weekend at the
C. H. Larson home, leaving for their
home by way of Spokane after a two
months auto tour of the western
states. Mrs. Christiansen is a cousin
of Mrs. Larson.

A large number of Sherman county
folks drove to Goldendale on Thurs-
day to attend the Klickitat county
fair. An interesting feature of the
fair this year was the annual Indian
Conclave, held by the Indian tribes
adjacent to Goldendale and which
this year was made a part of the
county fair.

R. C. Byers is rebuilding the John
Thogerson farm home by the addition
of three rooms, a kitchen, dining room
and bathroom. A lean-to was torn
down to make space for the improve-
ment, which will cover a basement
16x32 feet. When completed the
house will be an 8-room 2-story struc-
ture all lath and plaster inside.

Former Governor Walter M. Pierce
was honored when in Moro on Wed-
nesday by a dinner given at Hotel
Moro by officers of the democratic
county central committee. Those
attending were W. F. Jackson, state
committeeman; J. C. Freeman, chair-
man; A. M. Young, secretary; J. C.
McKean, treasurer, and W. S. Powell.

Ships Large Part of Crop

Tuesday of this week marked the
day when the 100th car of new crop
wheat for this season was shipped by
the Farmers Elevator & Supply Co.
from out of its own wheat storage
houses in Sherman county. In ad-
dition to this they have also bought
and shipped some 15 cars from out
of other storage company houses in
the county this season. There is yet
more than half a million bushels of
new crop wheat on storage in their
warehouses and about sixty thousand
bushels on the waiting list to be hauled
to their Hay Canyon house as soon
as wheat now in storage can be ship-
ped to provide the room.

CHURCHES

Moro Methodist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Mrs. R. A. Feenstra will preach at
11 a. m. preceded by a short talk
about "Some practical helps I re-
ceived from the World S. S. Con-
vention." Tom Fraser will sing at
the morning service.
Evening service at 8 p. m.
Everybody cordially invited.
R. A. Feenstra, pastor.

Christian Science
Service Sunday morning at 11
o'clock and Wednesday evening at
8 o'clock. Sunday School at 10
o'clock each Sunday morning, pupils
up to the age of 20 years are received
into these classes.
The lesson-sermon topic for the
service next Sunday morning will be
"Substance."

Reading room open daily where all
authorized Christian Science litera-
ture may be read, borrowed or pur-
chased. The public is cordially in-
vited to attend the church services
and visit the reading room.

Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at the usual 10
o'clock hour.

Full Gospel Assembly
All are invited to the services of
the Full Gospel Assembly.
Bible study at 10 a. m. and preach-
ing service at 8 p. m.

County Teachers Meet

Annual Institute Held at Moro School
Auditorium This Week

The annual Sherman County Teach-
ers' Institute for 1928-9, ending Tues-
day, was great success. Last year
the teachers, answering a questionnaire
given by Supt. L. W. Rakes, asked
that the institute this year be put on
mainly by the Sherman county teach-
ers. This was granted and it made
an institute of benefit to all. The
teachers in each section took part in
the discussion and debates. Methods,
plans, discipline, book course of study,
etc. were made interesting because
they were discussed as part of each
teacher's individual system.

Ex-governor Pierce addressed the
teachers on Tuesday forenoon. Supt.
Myers from Crook county and Miss
Besley from the Oregon Tuberculosis
association also addressed the teach-
ers.

Part of the business of the institute
was the holding of a meeting of the
County Teachers Association, held on
September 4th at which time the fol-
lowing officers and delegates were
elected:

Mr. Homer Sibley, Rufus, president.
Miss Ruth Bryant, Moro, secretary.
Mr. George C. Winters, member of
board of trustees for the state at
large.

Mr. Homer Sibley, Rufus, member of
board of trustees for this district.
Mrs. Ada Grimes, Moro, elementary
school delegate to the O. S. T. A.
Miss Catherine Blood, Rufus, alter-
nate for Mrs. Grimes.

Mr. J. B. Dodson, Wasco, high school
delegate to the O. S. T. A.
Mr. A. E. Murphy, Kent, alternate
for Mr. Dodson.

Mr. S. S. Duncan, McMinnville, vice-
president of the O. S. T. A.

The following resolutions were
adopted by the association:

Whereas, it is the opinion of this
assembly that education throughout
the United States needs more unifor-
mity; and whereas, we believe that a
Secretary of Education in the Presi-
dent's Cabinet will be a step nearer
unification; Be it resolved, that this
association go on record as endorsing
the Reed-Curtis Bill.

Whereas, the small high schools
find themselves unable to participate
in many athletic sports without draw-
ing on material from the eight grade;
and whereas, the pupils feel the lack
of participation keenly; and whereas,
this added interest is needed for the
small schools; Be it resolved that this
association recommend that the rules
of the Oregon Athletic Association
be so altered as to permit pupils who
play on high school teams represent-
ing student bodies under seventy-five
pupils, five years participation rather
than the usual four.

Whereas, the association believes
that supervising principals can be
made more valuable to education in
Sherman County. Whereas, super-
visors have not had sufficient time
from their other school duties to do
their best work; Be it resolved that
this association go on record as en-
dorsing the proposal of the State
Superintendent of Public Instruction
that supervisors should be required
to pass a special examination in that
subject. Be it further resolved that
this association recommends to the
school boards of the various districts
of the county that where possible
they allow their principals time to
make supervising possible and require
supervision.

Be it further resolved, that we
extend our thanks and appreciation
to all those who helped in promoting
a successful institute, especially the
school board for use and care of the
building, and those helping with the
program, and those acting on com-
mittees. Special thanks are extended
to Superintendent Rakes and Miss
Fritts, who so ably managed the in-
stitute program.

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you sell them for what you
can get. When you harvest
your money you can sell it too!
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WHEN YOU TRAVEL

BY AUTO AND VISIT THE DALLES

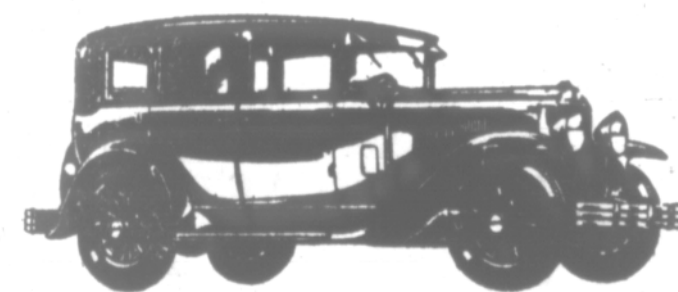
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Walther-Williams Company. Competent workmen
always ready to help you in any way they can
at least expense to you. For any service render-
ed the charge will always be reasonable.

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is the new Style



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than luxurious... a wonderful
new type of motor car beauty... a
thrilling turning point in body design

It will be imitated, of course! The
new, the fine and the beautiful
always inspire emulation. But so
great is the cost of building the
magnificent new Fisher bodies for
the Silver Anniversary Buick that
imitation will be possible only to
much costlier cars, and even these
will find difficulty in following
where Buick leads!

\$1,500,000 has been expended in
manufacturing the dies alone for
the new Buick bodies; and the
gracefully curving side panels
which form one of their distinguish-
ing characteristics represent the
most expensive steel paneling work
employed on any automobile in
the world!

But it is not in the matchless grace
and beauty of exterior design alone
that the Silver Anniversary Buick
eclipses other cars. In fact, power-
ful performance too, the world
holds no equal for the Silver Anniv-
ersary Buick with Masterpiece
Bodies by Fisher. And the motor-
public, buying in such tremendous
volume as to force the great Buick
factories to work day and night to
supply the demand, is elevating it
to the prominence of a vogue!

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PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER

No. 3

By Satterfield



1. On August 16, 1874, Herbert Clarke Hoover was born in West Branch, Iowa. He had one brother and a sister.

2. As a boy, Herbert loved all sports and outdoor pastimes. In winter he delighted in snow sports.



3. Herbert's father died when he was six, and Aunt Agnes took him on a visit to Oklahoma.

4. The boy's playmates during this visit were little Osage Indian boys, who taught him many Indian sports.