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Moro, Oregon
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Bank Board Sue Bondsmen

The state of Oregon, represented by the state banking department, will start suit against bondsmen for Frank C. Bramwell, former banking superintendent, and his deputy, O. B. Robertson, as a result of alleged misappropriation of funds in the liquidation of French & Co., defunct The Dalles bank, it was announced today.

The state will attempt to collect an amount said to be in excess of \$20,000 from bondsmen for Bramwell and Robertson. This amount is in addition to more than \$13,000 already voluntarily returned by Bramwell and by the bonding companies.

The banking department has asked permission to employ B. S. Huntington, depositor's attorney, in prosecution of the case. Depositors have agreed to pay Huntington's fees. Suit will be filed either in Portland or The Dalles.

Circuit Judge George E. Bagley of Hillsboro recently refused to accept Bramwell's report of the liquidation proceedings up to 1925.

If you want farms for rent or lease see J. J. Wiley at Moro. Also city property for sale.

More than 43 per cent of the farms of the country are located on unimproved dirt roads, according to the Oregon State Motor Association.

The greatest question confronting any people is that of gaining its means of livelihood and not whether they can get drunk, for if the chance to earn a living is denied you, you can neither eat nor drink.

More than 50 citizens of Corvallis in coveralls and old clothes, worked at the new Corvallis airport, under the direction of C. R. Briggs, Benton county agent, and legion committee member, preparing the field for the legion air derby, held last Saturday and Sunday.

The T. H. Taylor memorial statue will be in Pendleton some time during the winter, according to announcement by A. Philmaster Proctor, sculptor, who worked on the model in Rome, Italy, and Brussels, Belgium. The memorial is being put in readiness for the statue.

With almost 500 cars of onions lying in the fields, pulled, dried and ready for the topping machinery at Brooks, large crews of men, women and children have been engaged in gathering the crop into boxes ready for hauling to the dryers and to the railway station.

Committees representing various sections of Clatsop county will meet in Astoria in the near future to confer with Brigadier-General George A. White regarding the holding of a big three-day celebration in the county during the national guard encampment in Astoria next June.

The new Masonic hall, which was started this summer, will be completed about October 15. Elaborate plans are being made for the dedication. It is a two-story, fireproof building of concrete tile with a special stucco front. Its cost will be about \$15,000 completed and furnished.

Thousands of pistol ducks are dying of a mysterious disease prevalent at Tule lake, Klamath county, and an expert has been hired by the state to study and if possible prescribe a remedy for the malady, Harold Clifford, state game warden, who made an investigating trip to Klamath county, said.

W. O. Hayden, Oregon pioneer, died suddenly at the state fair grounds in Salem. He was employed as a special officer and was on duty at the time of his death. Mr. Hayden was 69 years old. He was born near Ealo, Polk county, and was the son of Judge and Mrs. Benjamin Hayden, pioneers of 1849.

Chunks of iron projected through the air by the explosion of 12 sticks of dynamite being used to break up a huge flywheel at a Bend foundry, crashed through the walls of a residence several hundred feet away, tore part of the roof off another house and damaged the iron works. No one was hurt.

A check for \$38,546.47 was received in Medford from the treasury department, Washington, D. C., as the 1928 payment to Jackson county of its share of the Oregon-California tax refund money. The check is the third received by that county and the total received from the fund to date is \$1,368,809.24.

A final decision on the Mount Hood tramway question may not be rendered by Secretary of Agriculture Jardine for a few days. It was said in Washington, D. C., recently. Conferences are being held by him with Major Stewart, chief forester, and others, with a view to early completion of the deliberations on the matter.

A large quantity of prunes have been bought by the Eugene Fruitgrowers' association at Yakima, Wash., to fill orders that could not be filled at Eugene on account of the shortage of this crop in western Oregon. The Eugene association is also unable to fill all its orders for canned pears, and several other canneries throughout the Willamette valley will help supply the demand.

But \$60 is listed as the cost of fighting fires in the Santiam forest this year, and that was for the purchase of hose, according to C. C. Hall, supervisor. Supervisor Hall said the fire loss in the Santiam forest has been thus far the lowest in the Pacific coast district. During the season there has been no timber burned. Eight fires were extinguished before they had inflicted damage. Six were caused by tourist campers and two by lightning.

Town Talk

Some furniture for sale. Call at the manse. Rev. Arthur Hicks, Moro.

W. D. Hamilton and daughter were recent weekend visitors from Portland at the C. H. Larson home.

J. J. Wiley and family have moved to the lower floor of the A. T. Holt residence, recently vacated by F. R. Fortner.

The usual Dorcas Society social for October will be at the home of Mrs. Wm. Frail next Wednesday, October 10th.

Mrs. Frances Anderson of The Dalles is visiting at Moro this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hennagin.

The first radio telephone conversation from Atlanta to Hamburg, Germany, resulted in the sale of 400 bales of cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fox of Klondike are the happy parents of a daughter, born to them in The Dalles on Saturday, September 29th.

Philip Searcy and family moved this week to the Fred Hennagin farm west of Wasco, where he will assist Mr. Hennagin with his farm work.

A number of Moro ladies, members of Moro Bridge Club, motored to Grass Valley Tuesday where they were entertained by Mrs. R. W. Blake and Mrs. J. H. Witt.

E. T. Strong drove into town late Wednesday, returning from a deer hunt in the Paulina mountains. He reports seeing a number of does and fawns but not one buck.

The world's championship Tunney-Heeney fight pictures, guaranteed to be official and authentic, will be shown at Wasco Saturday, October 6th and at Grass Valley Sunday, October 7th.

Second growth seasoned 4-foot oak wood \$10.25 f. o. b. Moro. Party shipping in carload want to sell part, suitable for range or furnace. Call or phone Sherman County Observer, Moro.

Carroll Sayrs and family in company with Mrs. F. A. Sayrs drove to Mosier last Saturday where Mrs. F. A. Sayrs was to visit a few days with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Race and family, before continuing her journey to Portland.

The final date for registering to vote in the county, state and national elections is next Saturday, October 6. Since the law does not allow swear-in voting, persons not registered by next Saturday evening will not be permitted to cast a ballot.

Fred J. Meindl, former member of Moro lodge I. O. O. F., and at present grand master of the state lodge, will make an official visit to Sherman county October 16th, meeting with all the lodges in the county at the one time as guest of Moro lodge.

Mrs. K. Schade has moved to The Dalles where she can be found at the Vogue Beauty Parlor. Mrs. Schade will be at Mrs. Urquhart's store in Moro Mondays and Tuesdays where her patrons desiring expert hair dressing will be given expert assistance.

A collection of wild animals could have been started in Moro Wednesday morning on First street. The first was a large owl, evidently killed when flying against overhead telephone wires in front of Douma Bros. The second was a young rattlesnake, killed when traveling across the street from the Ross' Confectionery to the Bank of Moro corner.

Local hunters are planning trips into the adjacent districts surrounding Sherman county since the wild duck season opened on Monday and the China pheasant opened on Wednesday. As far as known the pheasant season this year will be open on Wednesdays and Sundays only until October 31st in eastern Oregon. The season in western Oregon will open October 15th continuing daily until the 31st.

Pomona Grange Meets

A successful and well attended meeting of Sherman County Pomona Grange was held at the Klondike grange hall at Webfoot school house last Saturday morning and afternoon with basket dinner served at noon.

A literary program, discussion of the county boys and girls club project work, the admission of twenty new members, and appointment of a committee to confer with the Sherman County Fair Association board of directors and County Superintendent L. W. Rakes to secure a more equitable method of judging livestock entries made by boys and girls at the county fair occupied a large part of the business session.

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C. P. Moore and wife returned the first of the week from Eugene where they visited with friends at U. of O. during the inception of the fall term. The trip was made by way of McKenzie pass, returning through Portland.

The Moro Community Orchestra will again resume their regular Monday night practices at the high school auditorium beginning next Monday, October 8. Anyone interested in orchestra work is cordially invited to attend these practices.

Wm. Henrichs returned last week from a deer hunt expedition into the wilds south of Heppner. The party had the luck to bag one deer. A number of elk were seen by all members of the party, but the state law prevented their being shot.

Taylor Hedricks drove into Moro on Tuesday from Salem with a truck partly loaded with furniture destined for E. R. Barzee. The furniture is part of what was manufactured at the state fair by the Powers Furniture Co. when exhibiting their industrial manufacturing activity.

Farmers in this vicinity were made glad this week by two rainfall storms that apparently has broken the long continued dry spell with a total of .08 for this week ending Thursday. A total of .46 of rain fell during September just previous to opening of the county fair. It is reported that a heavy rain visited Wasco and vicinity Wednesday night.

George Hennagin returned Tuesday from a deer hunt into the mountains south of Eugene. The trip was made in company with three others, using pack horses for about twenty miles. Five deer were shot by the party, Mr. Hennagin securing two. The editor of the Sherman County Observer acknowledges the gift of a fine rib roast, evidence of Mr. Hennagin's ability to shoot straight.

C. W. Smith received a bad sprain of his right ankle Wednesday afternoon when he jumped from his truck onto the floor of a building on his farm intending to load seed to deliver to the field. His foot went into a hole in the floor causing what at first was thought to have been a broken ankle. He was taken to The Dalles by A. M. Wright where an x-ray examination disclosed no bones broken.

The citizens mass meeting held at Moro opera house on Tuesday evening to nominate candidates for city office resulted in unanimous choice of N. W. Thompson for mayor, C. V. Belknap for treasurer and J. C. McKean, Tom Douma and Walter A. May for councilmen. The first four were nominated to succeed themselves in office. Mr. May was named to succeed W. S. Powell who positively declined to serve longer on the directing board of the city.

NOTICE TO VOTERS
Remember Registration books close Saturday, October 6th. Register with J. A. Smith, Wasco, W. N. Jones, Rufus, or at County Clerk's office Moro. 4t-1405

Mr. Ford Paints a Picture



CHURCHES

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

Moro Methodist Church
This will be Rally day Sunday for the Methodist Sunday School with promotion exercises and music at the eleven o'clock service, followed by a basket dinner at noon. The public is cordially invited to attend these services and to join with us in the fellowship dinner.

Rev. John Seethoff will give the message at the evening service.
Mrs. W. C. Bryant, Supt.

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 "Unreality."
Reading room open daily where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased. The public is cordially invited to attend the church services and visit the reading room.

Full Gospel Assembly
Bible study at 10 a. m. Sunday. Evening service at 8 p. m. All are welcome.

Electricity On The Farm

National Experiment Station
Is New Project

During the past few years, the National Electric Light Association, in collaboration with governmental and farm organizations, has been conducting experiments in seventeen states for the purpose of determining to what extent and at what cost electricity can best be used on farms throughout the United States, to enable the farmer to enjoy the same conveniences as people living in the cities.

Now it has been announced that the National Electric Light Association is to conduct a five-year rural electrification experimental project in the vicinity of Washington, D. C., which is to be carried out on a far more elaborate scale than the farms selected for experimental purposes throughout the states. This undertaking is to be known as the National Rural Electric Project, and is the result of a desire on the part of farmers, the electric industry, the United States Department of Agriculture, and agricultural colleges to see electric power service extended more generally into farm districts and applied to farm, home and agricultural tasks to increase production, cut labor costs, and, in short, to electrify the farm factory the same as electricity has transformed industry.

Farm Pointers

Several years tests under commercial conditions in Oregon have shown an average increase of seven bushels of corn to the acre where the seed was treated with land plaster before planting. As little as eight pounds to the acre, costing around 6 cents, is sufficient, says the experiment station. Just why land plaster used in this way is so effective has the scientists baffled, but the results are so positive that general use is recommended.

A cow giving 10,000 pounds of milk a year requires more than 100 pounds of lime to supply her needs. Much of this is obtained through legumes, say livestock specialists of the state college. Of the necessary lime or calcium, 12 pounds goes into the milk, 85 into the body of the animal and the remainder is undigested in the food.

There are in this country 9,000 telephone companies and, in addition, over 40,000 rural lines which connect with other systems but which do not bear the designation of telephone companies.

Mrs. L. H. Martin returned to Moro the last weekend from LaGrande, her old home town, Pendleton and Baker where she has spent the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Martin was a guest of a motor party on the trip home from eastern Oregon numbering Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Harrison and his mother, Mrs. H. J. Harrison, from LaGrande, and Mrs. M. Buchanan of Pendleton. Mr. Harrison and wife returned home Tuesday, leaving the elder ladies to visit until after the coming weekend. Mr. Harrison is a nephew and Mrs. Buchanan a sister-in-law of Mrs. L. H. and Mrs. W. J. Martin.

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