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Moro, Oregon
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Moro, Oregon
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Moro People Attend District Meet at Arlington

A district missionary meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church was held in Arlington on Tuesday. Addresses were made by Rev. Herrick of Bolivia, S. A. Mr. and Mrs. James L. Ding of the Anglo-Chinese college at Foochow, and Mr. H. K. Mondol, a native of India, teacher of one of the high schools of Calcutta. In the evening Rev. E. R. Fulkerson gave a wonderful address on "World Conditions." Rev. Fulkerson recently returned from a tour of the world in which he made a special study of social conditions. Each speaker stressed the fact that only the teachings of Jesus can save the world from communism, bolshevism and another world war.

Those attending the convention from Moro were Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wright, Mrs. L. J. Cope, and Mr. R. J. Ginn.

Meier in Lead

The Meier independent candidacy that started under a full head of steam some two months ago seems to have lost no appreciable momentum. At that time even partisans of the other camps recognized that the independent movement had caught the popular fancy and it was freely admitted that if the election were held then Meier would be the next governor of Oregon. Metachan republicans felt confident of winning back enough wandering votes to insure the success of the regular nominee on November 4. Democratic leaders had the forlorn hope that if they could hold their lines intact a wide-open split in the republican party would permit Bailey to slip through to victory.

The situation now seems miraculously near what it was two months ago. Meier, away to a flying start, is still holding the lead. Neither Metachan nor Bailey have been able to arouse any particular popular enthusiasm and if one of them is to win he must stage a Garrison finish.

Word has been received by Mrs. Jessie Henrichs, secretary of Lupine Rebekah lodge, that the district convention for this district, which was to be held at Antelope on November 7, has been postponed until March on account of the serious illness of the state president, Sister Leona Thiel of Astoria, who will not be able to attend a meeting held at this time.

Members of the Keystone class of the Presbyterian Sunday School are becoming quite interested in the lesson meetings of the class since the new arrangement of having selected and different class leaders for each Sunday. Last Sunday the meeting was under the leadership of Dr. D. A. Thompson of Portland. This next Sunday will be under the leadership of Mrs. W. F. Jackson, using the "World's Temperance Lesson" as a topic.

Bethlehem chapter O. E. S. on Monday evening entertained two state officers, Mrs. Minna White, associate grand matron of Oregon, and Mrs. Bess Setters, past grand matron of Oregon. The occasion was an official visit to the local lodge by the state officers. Near the close of the evening a light lunch consisting of angel cake, jello whip and coffee was served. In honor of the occasion, the lodge rooms were tastefully decorated with cut flowers.

As a result of a heavy snow storm that reached from the Rocky mountains to New York state and north into Canada, there is an estimated one hundred million bushels of unthreshed wheat covered with six feet of snow on the Canadian wheat lands of Alberta and Saskatchewan. George H. Williams, president of the United Farmers cooperative of Canada, claims this is one third of the wheat crop for this year and that very little, if any, will ever be threshed.

Dr. D. A. Thompson of Portland, synodical executive of the Presbyterian church for Oregon, was in Moro last Sunday and occupied the Presbyterian pulpit during the morning and evening services. His visit here was under an appointment from Presbytery to visit Moro and declare the pulpit vacant. At a congregational meeting, held after the morning service, members of the church voted to continue the vacancy indefinitely until better financial conditions prevail locally.

The social meeting of the Neighbors of Woodcraft, held on Tuesday evening, was pronounced a social success by all who attended. Tables were placed for the game of 500. Harry Kunsman won first prize for men and Mrs. Lulu Hulse the first prize for the ladies; Mrs. D. J. McLachlan was awarded the consolation prize and her son Rolland McLachlan the consolation prize for the men. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches and coffee were served near the close of the evening.

Unavoidable delay on Thursday, coupled with a visit to this office of a traveling representative for the Linotype company who checked over the mechanics of our type setting machine on Wednesday and made several minor necessary adjustments and last, but not at all least, the electric power was "off" on Friday for a period that reached into the late afternoon, made a series of delay that could not be overcome to put the publication of the Sherman County Observer on schedule for this week.

Town Talk

Roy Powell was a business visitor in The Dalles on Tuesday from this city.

Eggs and country butter taken in trade at full resale value at Moro Cash Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hansen were in Portland last Saturday, attending the football contest.

Mr. L. Warnke and daughter Emma, from Albany, are visiting at the C. R. Bruckert home.

Dr. J. R. Morgan and P. C. Axtell were business visitors in The Dalles on Tuesday from Moro.

Uncle James Woods was visiting in Moro this week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. V. Moore.

O. T. Smith, Mrs. Fred Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dunlap were a motor party in Moro from Kent on Tuesday.

County Commissioner A. A. Dunlap was a visitor in Portland last Saturday, attending the inter-collegiate football game.

Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Dunn have moved from Moro to Bridle Veil, where Mr. Dunn will work with a rock crusher plant.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barzee returned the first of the week from Newport where they have been enjoying a lengthy summer vacation.

J. F. Foss and family drove to Terrebonne last Sunday accompanied by Mr. Foss' father who remained at Terrebonne to visit with a son.

Mrs. H. R. McKean returned Tuesday from Salem where she went to assist her daughter Martha begin studies at Willamette University.

Mrs. E. D. McKee of Wasco is a patient in the Mid-Columbia hospital, recovering from a fall on a store floor in Wasco that resulted in a broken hip.

C. R. Morrison was a visitor in Portland last weekend, returning Saturday evening. He varied his trip by attending the football game at the Multnomah club stadium on Saturday.

C. S. Garrett has completed the refinishing of the dining room and living room of the E. R. Barzee residence, using a six color Tiffany blend with high lights in gold as the color scheme.

Officers for the Wasco American Legion post were installed on Wednesday evening by Fred Pickett, acting for the district commander. Art Osborn was a visitor from Moro at the installation session.

Friday of this week the Moro high school football team journeyed to Goldendale to play the high school team in that city. Next Friday the Moro team plays the White Salmon team on the Moro grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Barr drove to Burns last week by way of Bend, making the return trip over the John Day highway. They were accompanied by Mr. Barr's parents, visiting in Moro from Sweethome, Oregon.

Negotiations are being made by C. S. Garrett, dance manager for Moro American Legion post, to secure Merl Miller and his Night Hawks from Hood River to play for the Thanksgiving dance to be given at Moro Legion hall.

Members of the American Legion post at Moro who attended the joint installation of officers at Kent on Thursday evening included Fred Pickett, C. S. Garrett, Vernon Platt, Marvin Miller, Floyd Platt and Richard Bruckert.

Mrs. Minna White, associate grand matron of Oregon, and Mrs. Bess Setters, past grand matron of Oregon, visited Bethlehem Chapter O. E. S. at Moro on Monday evening, coming Sunday and leaving on Tuesday. The ladies were guests of Mrs. N. W. Thompson and Mrs. E. T. Strong while in town.

A banquet meeting of the Moro Commercial Club will be held next Tuesday evening at 7:30, which will be followed by a discussion of the measures to be voted upon at the coming election in November. The executive committee has had a capable person assigned to each measure to explain its purpose.

Four state traffic officers were in Moro on Friday evening checking up the head lights on automobiles. They had put up a test board in front of the Moro hotel and stopped the cars as they came past. A number of local people took advantage of their work to have the lights on their cars tested voluntarily.

A family party at which all members of the family were present was held at the home of Mrs. C. G. Huls Thursday evening in honor of her son, Clarence Huls, 21st birthday. It was a surprise to Mr. Huls as he knew nothing of the arrangements until he came home late for supper and found the table spread for a bounteous feast in his honor.

At a joint meeting of all the local American Legion posts, with the exception of Wasco, held Thursday at Kent the elected officers of the various posts were installed by District Commander Brewster of Redmond. During the business session period, members from Moro post gave notice that they would sponsor a dance at Moro on Thanksgiving night and members of Kent gave notice that they would sponsor a dance for New Years night.

Moro Woman's Club

(Special Correspondence)

Our next meeting to be held November 7 will be spent in the modern homes of Spain. This should give us quite an insight into Spain since the foundation of a nation is always laid in its homes. A very interesting book review as well as special music will also be features of the afternoon.

"County Club Day," a feature looked forward to each year by everyone, was held last Friday, October 17. Beside entertaining members of the other clubs in the county a special welcome was extended to the Moro school teachers.

Only a brief business session was held after which our president, Mrs. Amidon, gave an address of welcome both to the teachers and the club guests. Mrs. Johnson read an appropriate poem after which Mrs. Bryant, the director of the day, took charge. She also welcomed our guests. Mrs. Alley gave a very interesting review of the last "Club Woman." A solo by Mrs. Tucker, accompanied by Miss Searcy, followed and later a piano solo by Miss Searcy.

The main entertainment of the afternoon was a one act play, "Mix Well and Stir" directed by Mrs. Bryant. It was a super comedy and caused many good laughs for the audience. After seeing it we will be tempted to search our friend's houses before indulging in any gossip about our neighbors.

The hostesses for the afternoon were: Mrs. A. Christianson, Mrs. McKean, Mrs. Cushman, Mrs. Melzer and Mrs. Davis. They are to be commended upon the hospitality which was shown and the homelike atmosphere which invaded the hall. Large bouquets of flowers made effective decoration, especially on the long white table used for serving the dainty refreshments.

A Wall Street Man

Governor Young of the Federal Reserve Board has resigned his \$12,000-a-year job to become the head of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, at \$30,000 per year. Mr. Young had not entirely pleased the New York financiers. For one thing his warnings against the speculative frenzy had been deemed pessimistic before the stock market crashed and his accuracy as a prophet had been forgotten afterwards. As old Jeremiah found out, people do not like to hear unpleasant truths.

President Hoover has announced the appointment of Eugene Meyer, Jr., to replace Mr. Young and it is said that his appointment will be pleasing to Wall Street. Some think there will be a big row in the Senate over his confirmation because the insurgent farm members do not like his attitude on agricultural measures, as reflected by his previous official acts. Yet, as the government only pays \$12,000 a year it cannot expect to secure the services of a man qualified for such financial responsibility unless that man happens to have an individual fortune of his own.

To secure the best service available and to make sure that public officials will not have private purposes to serve, the Government must expect to pay its appointees salaries commensurate with the ability required and favorably comparable to those which such men could secure in private life.

Out of Taste

Regardless of party affiliation every American should have and show a proper respect for the President of the United States. A recent happening at Baltimore illustrates exactly the thoughtless attitude which occasionally characterizes some Americans.

President Hoover had been invited to review the annual parade of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Beside him on the reviewing stand was the Governor of Maryland, Ritchie. So far, so good. Each of these men represented the sovereignty and dignity of their positions.

As almost everyone knows, Governor Ritchie is a wet, while President Hoover has been considered dry—at least he has given the wet side no open encouragement. This difference of attitude was well known to those who were in the parade and it caused a happening which should be deplored by all Americans.

After the strict military units passed the reviewing stand a New York unit of veterans came down the street singing the "Sidewalks of New York," accompanied by a little cart bearing jugs and empty gin bottles, and calling this to the attention of the President while demonstrating vociferously for Ritchie. The event was pointed enough to be out of taste.

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Usual services on Sunday.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.
Bible Study at the home of R. J. Ginn Thursday at 7:45.

A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

J. D. and Mrs. Miller, Pastors.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School 10 a. m.

Christian Science

Service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday School at 10:00 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 "Probation After Death."

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.

Methodist Church Notes.

Church School at 10 a. m.

Preaching at 11:00 and 7:30.

The theme for Sunday morning will be "Hard Times." This popular subject will be discussed in an intelligent, impressive, and comprehensive manner. Misery likes company; come to church next Sunday morning; the church service is an excellent place to cheer up, and drive away the blues.

The Ladies Aid meets Thursday afternoon at 2.

Prayer meeting and Bible study on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

You are cordially invited to all services.

The church with a cordial welcome.

F. A. Ginn, pastor.

Other Communities Are Taking Notice

The possibilities of fire prevention were demonstrated in a practical way in Corvallis, Oregon, during the past summer. This little city has one of the most efficient fire departments in the United States.

For years it has been required to answer dozens of calls to put out grass and rubbish fires each season. In order to correct this nuisance, the chief of the department prevailed upon the city council to pass an ordinance requiring permits before grass and rubbish could be burned. The result was astonishing. Calls for this class of fires were practically eliminated.

Here is an object lesson which other communities can follow and save not only the damage done by fire but also the drain on the city treasury caused by the needless use of expensive fire-fighting equipment.

Fees Not Increased

Registration fees at the University of Oregon will not be increased this fall, and will remain at \$26.25 per term, the same as in the past, it was declared here by Earl M. Pallett, executive secretary of the university. Rumors have been circulated that the university planned to raise the amount to more than \$30, and numerous queries have come into the registrar's office as a result, it is said.

Although the fee at the university is regarded as low for state institutions of a similar grade, any proposal for a increase would meet with strong objections on the part of those in charge of the institution, it was stated. It has been the hope of the present administration that a reduction may be made in the near future, rather than an increase. The present fee includes an incidental charge of \$10., a building fund of \$5., voted by the students themselves, \$3 infirmity fee, \$3. for physical education, and the Associated Students fee of \$5.25. The latter entitles the student to tickets to all athletic contests, subscription to the Emerald and other privileges.

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