

RED MEN FORM LODGE

Starts Out With Large Membership--The Officers.

The installation of Millapoo Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, was perfected last Friday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: H. H. Veatch, Prophet and D. D. S.; R. W. Veatch, Sachem; F. M. Ernest, Senior Sagamore; F. J. Bartels, Junior Sagamore; F. H. Rosenberg, Chief of Records; Geo M. Hall, Keeper of Wampum; J. Spriggs, Guard of Wigwam; F. J. Miller, Guard of Forest; R. W. Hastings, First Senapi; G. F. Garoutte, Second Senapi; O. E. Woodson, First Warrior; Second Warrior; G. C. Conley, Third Warrior; F. J. Freeland, First Beaver; Trustees, H. C. Madsen, O. E. Woodson, and G. F. Garoutte; Medicine Man, Dr. A. W. Kime.

The Improved Order of Red Men was organized in 1774 at Annapolis, Maryland, and has 3871 tribes, with a membership of over 475,000. The order has intrinsic merit as a society which teaches and exemplifies the principles of friendship and brotherly helpfulness. It especially appeals to the patriotic sentiments of the American citizen by reason of its origin. The order has been criticised in some instances because of its title and the supposed barbarism of its ceremonials; but every true, intelligent Red Man takes great delight in the fact that he is the acknowledged conservator of the history, the customs and the virtues of the original American people—a people conceded by the early travelers and writers to have been intelligent, brave and free, loyal in their friendships, generous in their hospitalities and with many traits of character worthy of emulation by the civilized race. The Improved Order of Red Men is proud to perpetuate the memory of this, the noblest type of man in his natural state that has ever been discovered.

The primary objects of the order are to promote among men the exercise and practice of the true principles of benevolence and charity, the care and protection of the widows and orphans of its members, and the cultivation of friendly relations with those who have entered its circle. The democratic influences which attended its birth, the idea that all men are equal, are the tenets of the Order; and what a man is, not what he possesses, constitutes his claim of recognition among the brotherhood.

Friendship, fraternity and hospitality are exemplified as cardinal virtues. In sickness or distress a brother is visited, comforted and assisted, and when the arrow of death has removed him from his trial on earth, he is buried by his brothers, who continue a watchful, protective care for his widow and orphans.

The Tribe meets every second and fourth Tuesday evening, and that it will grow and prosper there seems to be no question. The membership is composed largely of business and professional men, and that means something. The Red Men are after your scalp, and are likely to get it whether you are a "jiner" or not.

COTTAGE GROVE BOY WEDS.

Edwin J. Lea marries an Accomplished California Young Lady.

Erwin J. Lea, whose early years were spent at Cottage Grove and who graduated from the Oregon Agricultural College with the class of 1898, was married last week to Miss Ethel Sherman Jones, a graduate of the University of California, living at Berkeley. For some time Mr. Lea has been affiliated with the University of California, in the chemical department. At the O. A. C. Mr. Lea made chemistry his major study and after graduating he became superintendent and chief chemist at the Honolulu plantation, on the Hawaiian Islands. After holding that position a few years he tired of the hot tropical climate and went to California.

Mrs. Lea, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Jones of Berkeley, is one of the most popular and accomplished young women of the University. She has already gained much recognition as a singer, and the leading California papers paid both Mr. and Mrs. Lea many compliments in announcing their wedding, which took place on April 20.

The Oakland, Cal., Tribune, had this to say of Mrs. Lea in announcing the wedding: "The bride is a young woman of much charm of manner and beauty and is talented musically. Her vocal teacher, Miss Marie Withrow, of San Francisco, is most enthusiastic over her voice, which is a brilliant dramatic soprano with a three-octave compass. Besides possessing a remarkably beautiful voice, she is a pianist of more than ordinary ability and is endowed with unusual intellectual attainments."

Ask Better Service.

The Commercial club on Monday night discussed the train service on the Southern Pacific as regards the morning local, which leaves Creswell at

about 6:10 and which does not stop at that point for passengers. The people of Creswell complain that they cannot come to Cottage Grove for the transaction of business except on the afternoon train, which gives them but one hour here if they return home by daylight. The matter will be taken up with the officials of the road, and an endeavor made to secure satisfactory service.

WILSON TO AID HOMESEEEKERS

The Forestry Service Has Not Retarded Settlement of Country.

The Pacific northwest will be the scene of the greatest activity in the campaign inaugurated by Secretary Wilson through the forest service, to induce American homeseekers to take up homesteads within the national forests instead of rushing across the border into Canada.

Colorado and the Rocky mountain district will not be greatly affected by the campaign, Mr. Redington believes, because the supply of timber here is limited and the precipitation is not great enough to admit of destruction of forest area which might seriously endanger the water supply. Under an act of congress passed June 11, 1906, the secretary of agriculture is given authority to list for homestead entry such lands within national forests as are valuable for agricultural purposes, providing the deforestation of them does not interfere with protection of the water supply. When such lands are listed the government sells the timber on them at public auction and then turns them over to the homesteaders. The commutation clause of the regular homestead act, which permits settlers to secure title at the end of fourteen months of residence by the payment of a small sum in cash, does not apply to forest lands, however.

According to advices from Washington, Secretary Wilson has undertaken to promote settlement in the west by calling attention to the forest reserve homesteads, and with that end in view Chief Forester Graves has started on a trip throughout the west. The heavy precipitation in western Montana, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and northern California makes those states the ideal location for working out the homestead plan and it will be in that territory that all efforts will be directed. In the Rocky mountain region, Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, Nevada, eastern Montana and South Dakota some land in the forests is open for homestead entry, but not nearly so much as in the states first named.

"One impression I would like to correct," says the assistant forester, "is that the forest service has retarded settlement in the west. This impression has no foundation in fact. Since the act of June 11, 1906, was passed more than 85,000 acres in Colorado, forests alone, have been homesteaded, which means that 800 families have been brought here and given homes in the past three years. Naturally, the settlers claims are investigated before the title is given them, but there is no such mass of red tape connected with proving up on the land as seems to be the general belief. This is proven, I think, by the fact that a vast majority of the claimants in his state have secured their titles without the slightest trouble. While the secretary's present campaign does not effect this district as much as it does a great many others, we will continue to pursue the course we have always followed here—that of giving every bona fide homeseeker all the assistance within our power."

Death of Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. Mary Walker, wife of J. F. Walker of Walker Station, near Cottage Grove, died at her home late Thursday night of last week. She was one of Oregon's well-known pioneers. She was born in Andrew county, Missouri, February 16, 1839. She crossed the plains in 1852, locating in Lane county, where she married soon afterward. A few years later she and her husband moved to where Walker Station is now, and have resided there since. She leaves the following children: Mary Ann Walden, of Chester, Mont.; Robert E. Walker, of Walker Station; John William Walker, of Waldkott; Mrs. Martha Wiseman, of Idaho, and George Walker, at home. Besides Judge Chrisman, she leaves the following brothers: C. F., Peter G. and W. S. Chrisman.

Lodges Buy Property.

The Woodmen of the World and the Knights of Pythias lodges have jointly purchased the business property of J. H. McFarland on Main street, the consideration being \$4,750. The lot has a frontage of fifty feet, which shows the price paid to have been \$95 per foot. On the lot is a substantial two-story frame building, and the second floor of this will be rearranged for lodge rooms for temporary use, the intention of the orders being to later erect a handsome brick building.

Kills Big Bear.

Carey Thompson, who is looking after a ranch near Martin Rapids, the scene of construction of the Northwestern Corporation's big electrical power plant, killed a 250-pound black bear one day the latter part of the week. The animal was treed by Thompson's dogs not far from the road, and was held by them until Mr. Thompson secured a gun and killed it.

BIDS FLOCK FAREWELL

Rev. Adams Resigns Pastorate of Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Selden C. Adams, for the past year pastor of the Presbyterian church of Cottage Grove, preached his farewell sermon last Sabbath, having recently tendered his resignation to his congregation to become effective with the close of his year. During Mr. Adams' pastorate the church has prospered as never before, there having been twenty-six additions to its membership. Under his administration the Presbyterian Brotherhood, of which C. P. Jones, Jr., is president and which has an active membership of twenty-seven, was organized, as was also the Mizpah Bible Class, which has a membership of fifty adults with Mrs. H. O. Thompson as president and Mrs. A. B. Wood as teacher. A Junior Endeavor society with an enrollment of thirty has also been added to the church, and the Sunday school membership increased to 250. The other auxiliary organizations are in a flourishing condition, and the finances of the church are in a healthy state.

Selden C. Adams is a native of Mass



Rev. Adams and the Presbyterian Church.

achusetts, having been born in Millbury, a suburb of Worcester, in 1876. Thrown upon his own resources at the age of fourteen, for a time he attended the Worcester evening high school and the Y. M. C. A. evening courses. His later education was gained in the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, the Northwestern University College of Liberal Arts and the Theological school of the same university. He was ordained by the Presbyterian church in 1905. While attending the Northwestern he formed the acquaintance of Miss Iva M. Bedell, who is now Mrs. Adams, mother of Selden, junior, and Robert, aged three and twenty months respectively.

While young in the ministry the Rev. Adams' devotion to the doctrines of the Presbyterian faith and the energy he has displayed in building up the church, has made him popular among church-going people, and others with whom he came in contact. Not only has he labored diligently in the vineyard of the Master, but has been instrumental in promoting other undertakings for the public good, among which may be mentioned a Lyceum course and a free circulating library.

Mr. Adams has been offered the pastorate of two different churches, and also a position to travel in Oregon in the interest of church work, but he has accepted the Presbyterian pastorate of the Presbytery of Southern Oregon, which embraces seven counties. His duties are to look after new work of the Presbytery, and organizing on a more substantial basis.

During their residence here Mr. and Mrs. Adams have formed many warm and lasting friendships, and wherever they may cast their lot the best wishes of these, and the entire community, go with them.

ENTERS A PROTEST.

The Springfield News Objects to the Manner of Road Work.

The Springfield News, commenting on the road work between that city and Eugene, an improvement that is estimated to cost upwards of \$20,000, says the highway is being poorly constructed, and the court is making a mistake in permitting construction to proceed. It appears to be the old, old story of road building in Lane county, and yet there are people who wonder why the taxpayers of Southern Lane have tired of remaining within its jurisdiction. The News says:

"The work of mecadamizing the county road between Springfield and Eugene city limits is progressing nicely, but in the opinion of the News, it will be a poorly constructed piece of road and a useless expenditure of money. The expert who is in charge of the work has made the statement that a substantial and satisfactory road can not be made of the material that is being used and that the citizens should remonstrate against the use of river gravel. The durability of the road has been thoroughly tested and substanti-

ates our statement. Where it has been completed and vehicles allowed to travel, the round rock rolls from under the weight and its nearly as bad as the graveled roads. The rock that is being used comes from the river bed and is put through the crusher, but much of it is small and passes through the jaws without being cracked, therefore nearly two-thirds of the rock used is nothing more or less than screened gravel. We have been informed that the county court have examined the work now finished and have pronounced it satisfactory. Thousands of dollars will have been spent in the completion of the two mile strip of road and unless different methods are employed, large portions will have to be done over each year. Good roads is what Lane county needs, but we will venture to say that the county court will realize before another year, that they have made a mistake."

TERSE TOWN TOPICS

Many Minor Matters of More than Passing Moment.

F. P. Kurtz, of Taylor & Kurtz, civil engineers at Cottage Grove, made this office a pleasant call on Tuesday. Mr. Kurtz has many friends here. He is an Odd Fellow and, his business taking him to many places he has visited many lodges of that order, and he speaks very highly of the membership and work of the lodge here.—Oakland Advance.

We have a complete line of genuine Haviland China. Call and see it.—Kerr & Silsby.

Mrs. J. M. Ritchey, of Cottage Grove, has been visiting her son H. J. Ritchey near Anlauf. She accompanied home her two granddaughters, Helen and Dorothy, who had been visiting her in Cottage Grove.—Drain Nonpareil.

Mrs. Louisa Hedrick, mother of Charles Hedrick, and one of the pioneers of Drain and vicinity, has been spending a few days in Cottage Grove with her son, who is confined to his bed by an attack of rheumatism of many months duration.—Drain Nonpareil.

Contentment the only real happiness. To attain this one must love the home first of all. Did you ever think how much brighter home would be by adding a nice piano to it, and how easy you could get a reliable one of Marion Veatch?

Mr. J. C. Kem has arrived here from Lebanon and occupies the Hubbell residence on Tennessee avenue with his family. Mr. Kem recently purchased the Modern Pharmacy of Dave Griggs, and is making some betterments in the store. The Sentinel welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Kem to Cottage Grove.

Wall paper from 10 cents up. Waters, The Wall Paper Store.

The sawmill of the Star Lumber company at Star is running full time with orders ahead.

Mr. T. W. Hankins of the Star Lumber company spent Sunday in Portland.

Lard is going up, but Parker is still selling doughnuts at 10 cents per dozen.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Secrist, who have been cooking for the Booth-Kelly company near Saginaw have returned to Cottage Grove.

Metcalf & Brund have Sweet Pea seed of different varieties.

Mr. C. C. Hazleton, who has been confined to his home for several days past with acute dyspepsia, is recovering, and is now able to be about again.

Parker's Bakery bread speaks for itself. Always good.

Last Saturday was a "big day" in Cottage Grove. There were more people in town from the surrounding towns and country than have been seen here for many a long day. The merchants and business people enjoyed an exceptionally good trade, and went home smiling.

WHY SO WEEK?

Kidney Troubles May be Sapping Your Life Away. Cottage Grove People Have Learned This Fact.

When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent cause, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers backache, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, kidney weakness may be the cause of it all. Keep the kidneys well and they will keep you well. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and keep them well. Can Cottage Grove readers demand further proof than the following statement:

J. P. McCarthy, S. Stevenson St., Roseburg, Ore., says: "For a long time I had trouble from my back and kidneys and my condition gradually grew worse. I did not have much backache but the unnatural condition of the kidney secretions plainly showed that my trouble was caused by inactive kidneys. The good reports I heard concerning Doan's Kidney Pills led me to procure this remedy and give it a trial. It brought prompt relief and I am now free from kidney complaint. Doan's Kidney Pills are worthy of endorsement."

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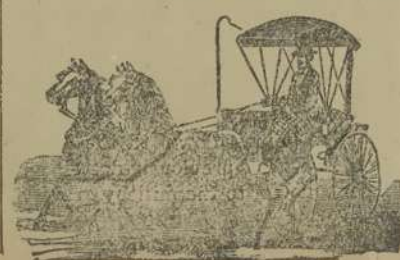
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