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SOME HARD, COLD FACTS

Of Interest to Every Loyal Redmond Man

IMPROVEMENTS ARE A NECESSITY

If Capital Locates Here Inducements Must Be Offered

As published exclusively in The Spokesman several weeks ago, the city of Redmond needs an adequate water works system, and the gravity plan of water works, as outlined by The Spokesman in the article referred to, looks to us to be the solution of the problem.

The first thing to be considered is this: Fire protection. The second is, an abundant supply of water for domestic use, and third, sufficient water pressure to be available for power purposes. A gravity water system will do all these things, do them well, and cheapen the cost of water to the consumer. Other cities have the gravity system and their water rates are extremely low.

With the present water system, while it is sufficient now for domestic purposes, it is worth nothing for fire protection, as there is not sufficient pressure.

If the city of Redmond wants to have capital locate here and make improvements the city must show this capital that the city has improvements to induce it to locate here. The first thing a capitalist will ask when he is about to locate in a city and invest his money is: What is the insurance rate, and what kind of a water system have you; what kind of improvements have you to induce me to locate here.

Redmond wants all the outside capital she can get in here, but she must do her part in so improving the public utilities of the city that capital will have no reason to complain of conditions. The Spokesman is proud of what has already been done in Redmond in the past year, and is of the opinion that much more can be done along the line of improvement.

If the city wants to keep pace with the other growing towns in the county it is an absolute necessity that a good water works plant should be obtained, and that as soon as possible. And one of the most feasible plans for this, the writer is informed, is the gravity water system.

The columns of The Spokesman are open to the citizens for a discussion of this matter.

Meeting of the Reading Circle

Twelve members of the Juniper Reading Circle attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. E. G. Sherwood on Wednesday, Dec. 28th. Mrs. C. R. McLallin read a paper in which she gave a very graphic description of the fall of Kaskaskia and Vincennes. This was followed by a partial review of "Alice of old Vincennes," by Mrs. M. E. Landes. While refreshments were served by Mrs. Sherwood and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gilbert Garvis, the members talked of Amelia Young and the Amelia palace. The Circle plans to give a literary and musical entertainment the latter part of January, under the direction of Mrs. I. L. Osborne. Proceeds will be for the benefit of the Redmond Public Library. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. A. Ke d.ill.

E. R. Thompson of Portland, arrived here last Saturday to take charge of the barber shop in the front of Wyatt's billiard and pool hall. S. T. Smith, who has been conducting the shop, will remain with Mr. Thompson.

BAND ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

D. L. Miller is President of Organization

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS ADOPTED

Band Is Now on Good Business Basis and Financial Footing

At a business meeting held by the Redmond Concert Band last week Thursday night, the resignations of officers who had been elected at the organization of the band were received. J. A. Norwood resigned as president, Wm Buckley as vice president, A. J. Haney as secretary-treasurer, E. R. Tichenor as manager, and H. H. Palmer as musical director.

These resignations were handed in so as to reorganize the band and adopt a constitution and by-laws and put the organization on a sound business basis.

Mr. Norwood and Mr. Buckley resigned on account of having too much private business that interfered with their duties as officers of the band. The new officers elected are:

President—Dave Miller.
Vice-Prest.—J. P. Doherty.
Sec.—Treas.—A. J. Haney.
Manager—E. R. Tichenor.
Director—H. H. Palmer.

A constitution and by-laws for the government of the band was adopted after careful consideration at the meeting held Monday night this week, and the organization now is on a sound business footing. The band is accumulating property and the members are taking a decided interest in the organization, and are working toward the end to make the Redmond Concert Band the best band in Central Oregon.

During the summer months it is the intention to give free open air concerts once a week in the city. By that time the band will be largely increased in membership, as a number of high class musicians have signified their intention of coming here to locate in the spring.

TOWN OF CRESCENT LOOKS GOOD TO HIM

J. J. Ellinger Says There Are Great Possibilities There

J. J. Ellinger, who recently returned from a trip to the new town of Crescent, about 80 miles south of here on the line of the Oregon Trunk Road, says there is no question but what that town will have a good future. He says it is in the midst of a vast timber belt, and on the east there are thousands of acres of good wheat land that will before long be put under irrigation. Mr. Ellinger has not lost his love for Redmond or faith in the future greatness of this city, but says Crescent is a town where the possibilities of good investments confronts capital.

Social Life in Redmond

Redmond has no lack of social amusements and entertainments this winter. All classes of social life are represented. The ladies have a reading circle—The Juniper Reading Circle. Other ladies have socials at the Commercial Club. A social dancing club has been formed and gives fortnightly dances, the Brotherhood of Owls have social sessions and dances, and the Redmond Concert Band gives a series of dances and musical entertainments. There is something doing all the time to please all classes of people.

The new city officials elected at the December election will be inducted into office at the first regular meeting night of the council—Tuesday night, Jan. 10.

Mrs. F. E. Mills left Friday night for Halfway, Oregon, called there by a wire announcing the serious illness of her sister.

The Central Oregon Irrigation Co., successors to the D. L. & P. Co., is making a number of land sales, it is understood. This means many new settlers in the Redmond District.

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Dances Draw Large Crowds

Since the winter season set in, dancing in Redmond has been one of the popular amusements, and the crowds that have attended the dances, both at the Owls entertainment and the events given by the Redmond Concert Band, have taxed the capacity of Ehret's hall, where all the dances are given. At the Christmas dance given by the band, the hall was so crowded that it inconvenienced the dancers. It is only a question of a short time before a larger hall will have to be provided to take care of the dancing parties.

Freight Long Time On the Road

Wm. Hobbs, who has built a building on south Sixth street and intends to open a bakery here, is having a hard time getting his ovens in here from Shaniko. Over a month ago the ovens were taken from Shaniko by a freighter, but for some reason were left somewhere in the vicinity of Cow Canyon, and Mr. Hobbs has been unable since to get the property here. He also had a trunk lost. Mr. Hobbs is certainly experiencing hard luck and vexatious delays.

George Knapp, who formerly freighted between here and Shaniko, has bought an interest in the Three Creeks Lumber Co. at Gist, and is managing the concern. The company has a new mill in place of the one that recently burned down. The mill is 37x100, and fully equipped with modern machinery.

C. R. McLallin & Co. is the name of a new firm that will engage in the electrical supply and plumbing business in Redmond in a short time. A complete stock has been ordered.

The Spokesman is getting out a telephone directory for the Deschutes Valley Telephone Co. of this city. The book will be ready for delivery in about two weeks.

Protracted services will begin at the M. E. Church Sunday morning and continue during the week.

Ice has frozen sufficiently thick on the slough to make pretty good skating now, and everyone in town who has a pair of ice skates is having a good time cutting figure eights and making spread eagles.

Real Estate Transfers

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Redmond Townsite Co. to Millie E Simmons. Lots 9 & 10, blk. 54, Redmond. \$200.

Notice

Getting up a costume for a mask ball is somewhat of a task, but dont you go to a great expense, for a plain costume presents just as good a character as if you were to get an elaborate one, for clothes do not make the man. No prizes awarded for the best dressed, but the character and most comical and best group. Don't forget the plank dance. No one allowed on the floor until 10:30 unless in costume.

J. H. Rederer.

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Wm. Ogg.

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