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Joint Installation.

Appomattox Post No. 34 and W. R. C. No. 12 of Cottage Grove, Ore., met in joint session Jan. 13th and installed officers for the ensuing year.

Post Com. G. W. Gardner acting as installing officer for the post. The following officers were regularly installed.

Com., G. W. McReynolds; Sr. V. Com., G. W. Kerr; Jr. V. Com., C. Fahrwald; Surgeon, D. L. Woods; Q. M., Wm. Dickey; O. of D., Wm. Harrison; Guard, J. Perkins; Adj., D. L. Woods; Chap., G. W. Gardner.

Installation of the post officers being completed installing officer E. Jennie Wood was introduced by President Fannie Godard, Miss Wood immediately proceeded to install the officers of the W. R. C. for the ensuing year.

Pres., Fannie Godard; Sr. V. Pres., Arthena Handy; Treas., Regina Hohn; Secy., Alta Spray; Chap., Clara Young; Con., Lizzie Fahrwald; Guard, Malinda Aubrey; Pat. Inst., Margaret Leum; Press Cor., Eliza McKibben; Musician, Anna Hoxie; Asst. Con., Helen Delong; Asst. G. Jenny Hayes; Col. B. No. 1, Ella Jones; Col. B. No. 2, Alicia Harrington; Col. B. No. 3, Sarah Kerr; Col. B. No. 4, Sasanna Gardner.

As many members of the post and corps were present from the country, dinner was served immediately prior to installation of officers. Members and guests to near the number of sixty partaking of a bountiful dinner.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Eliza J. McKibben,
Press Correspondent.

Death Of James Martin.

Silver Lake Leader: James Monroe Martin a pioneer of Oregon, died at his home here at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning, following an illness of more than two years. Mr. Martin was stricken with paralysis two years ago and never recovered from the stroke. He had been confined to his bed several months. Hope for recovery was abandoned last Saturday and relatives were summoned to the death watch.

Mr. Martin is survived by a widow, three children and one brother. The brother Marion Martin, resides in Canada. The children are Mrs. Ida Schroder, wife of A. B. Schroder, Mrs. Florence Dobkin and Arthur Martin. The latter is in California.

J. M. Martin was born in Cass county, Missouri, Aug. 2, 1849; crossed the plains with his parents behind an ox team to the Willamette Valley in 1850, coming to Central Oregon in 1896. Sept. 16, 1875, he married Amanda Porter and six children were born to this union. Three of them, Lena, Ethel and Floyd, are dead.

Funeral services were held today followed by interment at the local cemetery.

As a man's life is his own best eulogy, comment on the death of J. M. Martin's by one who did not know him would be meaningless. Friends speak of the dead man in highest terms.

Solves A Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters has no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at all Druggists.

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Those Streets Again

Mr. Editor: Having noticed and read the article in your paper under the heading of "Suggestion Concerning Streets," I would like to say that I heartily agree with the writer in what he said, but I am of the opinion that he did not say enough. The drainage of these streets and the town in general should be taken into consideration as well as the building of them. The town is in a very bad condition at present, so far as drainage is concerned. During and since this last storm the west and south parts as well as the south and east have to some extent been covered with water, a thing that should not exist in a town like this. If a few measurers had not been taken to stop out some of the river water we would have had more water than we have at present. I took occasion to go up and take a look at the water after the big rain and found it coming down along side the railroad track from the bridge until it came in contact with the ditch and dike that were put there to catch it and take it back to the river. The work so far up there has done its work well, but was not completed, so I have been told by good authority, on account of the kicking about such work and the high expense. But there is always kickers no difference what the project. But I am here to say that the work done up there has been of most importance to the town already, and much credit is due to the man who had the nerve to push it as far as he did. I have talked with quite a number of the citizens of the Grove since reading the article in the last issue, and so far I have only found two who are opposed to the methods set forth by "Tax Payers" for the further betterment of the streets, and they were both merchants, one of them not owning any property but his goods in stock. His excuse was that he did not feel like paying a tax to build up some one else's property, and the other had no legal reason. Claiming at the same time to be in sympathy with the poor tax payer and at the same time talking for a plan that would work a hardship upon him, and in some instances cause him to lose his property, as has been done to my knowledge in other towns, and at present there is quite a number of place for sale, that would not be if the streets were made or a system adopted that would not ruin them when the streets were completed. I think this a very serious matter. We can not afford to drive our citizens out of town on account of the building a few streets, and on the other hand the streets are a necessity and could be built and when they are built there will be no trouble about getting people to come here and settle. A good many have come here and noted the condition of our streets and drainage and have remarked, "I guess I don't want any of it," and go then away. Now I am in favor of a system that will hold all of our present citizens and induce others to come to us. I am also

A TAX PAYER

Bridges Washed Out

The Albany Democrat of the 19th says: The old Green's Ferry bridge, up the river from Jefferson, is reported to have gone out early this morning, due to the high stage of the Santiam, which is raging. The bridge was built in about 1876.

The Shindier bridge, 4 miles up the Thomas from Scio, also went out last night.

The smallest streams generally have jumped out of their banks.

Wenatchee will send a committee of fruit growers to Portland to confer with representatives of other districts of Oregon and Washington to formulate a better selling plan for the combined products of the leading fruit growing sections. It is hoped by consolidation of interests to perfect a selling agency that shall bring about a better system of distribution than has been in use heretofore.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 31st

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Immigrants to be Informed

The latest move of the Northwest Development League is to ask the federal government to collect, publish in different languages and distribute to foreigners as soon as they arrive on our shores, all the information possible about the states having vacant lands, about their products and the opportunities awaiting a family willing to work and having only small means.

To accomplish this the League is backing a bill introduced in the United States Senate by Senator Brown of Nebraska, which amends the act to regulate the admission of aliens into the United States and make it obligatory on the part of the General Immigration Commissioner to give this information to foreigners when they are admitted to the United States. The League is asking Congressman Pray of Montana to push the bill in the house and to introduce one making an appropriation to carry out the provision of the act.

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor is understood to be favorable to the proposition and willing to make a success of the campaign if the bills are passed.

Another clause in the amendment makes it lawful for agents of states and territories to have access to aliens at the ports where foreigners are admitted and gives them the privilege, under certain regulations, of presenting the claims of such states and territories either in writing or orally that the aliens may learn first hand where they can go to farm.

"Many of these immigrants were farmers in the old country and would go to farms instead of to cities if they had some information from a reliable source when they first come to the country," says the secretary of the league. The is they do not get the information until after they become acquainted in some city and are stripped of the means to start on lands. Many of them have the resources when they arrive but spend their last dollar before they discover that it would have been possible for them to have secured land. Then they are hopelessly bound to the city and it is hard for them to get again as much as they had when they arrived."

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