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The Barrier Between You and Trouble

It is a wise man who can persuade himself that there are wolves abroad in the land other than the one which dire poverty usually impersonates. "No work" may be snapping at the heels of the laboring man. "Reduction in the office force" may be snarling even now at the salaried man. "Poor Crops" occasionally prowls around the farmers' fields, and yet a little surplus in the bank is a barrier across which the wolf of "hard luck" has never been known to come. Protect your home and yourself by opening an account with this bank.

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POMONA GRANGE WILL DEDICATE ON GOOD ROADS THE NEW TEMPLE

Pass Resolutions Commending Action of Supervisors in Voting to Submit Question

The Pomona Grange last week endorsed the action of the board of supervisors in regard to the county road system and the appropriation for a farm expert as follows:

"Believing as we do that it is easier and much more pleasant to drive over good roads than poor ones; and that it would be more consistent to use state reward money in Oakland county than for Oakland county to help other counties build good roads, therefore be it resolved that we of Oakland Pomona Grange No. 5, hereby endorse the action of the board of supervisors in submitting the county road system to the voters at the next election.

"Since it is the desire of all progressive farmers to secure what knowledge they can that will be of benefit to them in their agricultural pursuits, therefore be it resolved that we of Oakland Pomona Grange No. 5 do heartily endorse the action of the board of supervisors and the efforts of the Pontiac Commercial association to secure a farm expert for this county."

McGregor Holds Seat in Senate

The contest over the seating of F. L. Covert in the state senate ended last week by the vote of the senators which allowed his opponent, McGregor, to retain the place. It is generally conceded that Covert was legally right in his contention that there was wrongful voting in the fourth ward of Ann Arbor, and that through that fact he was defeated, yet it was also decided that to unseat McGregor would deprive many of their vote.

Lincoln Banquet to be Feb. 12

Pontiac's big Lincoln banquet will be held on Feb. 12 this year and as usual a very big time is being planned. Already the program committee have secured ex-Governor Augustus E. Wilson of Kentucky and Lieut. Gov. Warren G. Harding of Ohio, two orators of national reputation for speakers. Grant Fellows will be toastmaster. Other speakers will also be secured and will be announced later.

Odd Fellows Planning a Grand Time When They Move Into Their New Home

The Odd Fellows of Farmington are making plans to dedicate their new quarters next month, and they propose to make the occasion an event to be remembered by every member of the order for years to come.

The lodge is to have its new home in the second story of the new garage just being completed and will occupy all of the upper floor, which will be subdivided to their order into lodge room, reception and dining rooms, with the necessary kitchen, property rooms, etc. The whole will be nicely furnished and equipped for lodge purposes and will be one of the finest lodge homes in the country.

The committees having the affair in charge are planning to do things up just right at the dedication ceremonies and will have some notables of the order present on the occasion.

A banquet will be one of the features and the Odd Fellow who lets this thing get away from him will be odd, indeed.

A Former Farmington Resident

The remains of Mrs. Ed. Moore were brought here for burial Wednesday afternoon. She died very suddenly while sitting at the supper table Saturday evening at her home in Wixom. Mrs. Moore was formerly a well known Farmington resident and was the daughter of Samuel Lamb, who resided with his daughter, Arthur Lamb of Farmington was a brother of the deceased.

Half Hour Service for Redford

The D. U. R. is putting in a "Y" at Redford and it is reported that this means half hourly service for the village next spring. The lack of turning facilities has prevented such service heretofore even if the company had favored the plan. The innovation will be very much appreciated by everybody on this line.

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