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BIG DAY FOR ODD FELLOWS

Dedication of New Temple and Institution of a Lodge of Rebekahs to Take Place

GRAND BALL WILL BE A SPECIAL FEATURE

Grand Lodge Officers and Degree Teams and Drill Corps from Detroit to Assist in the Work

Next Thursday bids fair to be a red letter day in Farmington and one of great importance to the Odd Fellow fraternity. The occasion will be the dedication of the new temple and the institution of a lodge of Rebekahs.

No pains or expense are being spared to make the affair one that will reflect credit on the local lodge and all who have anything to do with the arrangements.

The local lodge of Odd Fellows is gaining in membership and strength at a very rapid rate. At the time the lease was signed for the new temple there were but forty members, while now with the accessions and applicants who are waiting the roster is nearly double that number.

The new apartments in the Ely building are very attractive and its new and pleasant home is a factor that draws new members to the lodge and secures those of the better class of citizenship.

Aside from a large and fine lodge room, there is a reception parlor, a dining room, kitchen and ante room, with a property room, two toilet rooms and a ladies' lavatory. The rooms are fitted and furnished in excellent shape and have running water with fountains, steam heat and electric lights.

Grand Lodge officers will be here to take charge of the dedicatory work and the initiatory work of the Rebekah lodge. In addition Justice Rebekah lodge of Detroit, the largest in the state, will have charge of the degree work.

The institution will take place at one o'clock in the afternoon, and it will be followed at five o'clock by a supper which will be served to the visitors by the Rebekahs of the village.

Immediately after the supper the Wolverine lodge of Detroit Odd Fellows will give a military drill on the street by their drill corps and another one in the hall in connection with a program which begins at seven o'clock.

At eight o'clock the fine orchestra of seven pieces, which is a part of Diamond lodge of Odd Fellows of Detroit will strike up and the big ball will be on and we learn that it is to be a grand affair. Those who are fortunate enough to have an invitation are to be congratulated.

At midnight the hungry dancers will be fed by the Odd Fellows who are to serve supper at that time, after which dancing will be resumed.

The officers of the new Rebekah lodge are: Mrs. Jessie Ciger, N. G.; Mrs. Imogene Bicking, V. G.; Tessa Pierson, Rec. Sec.; Mrs. Pearl Sprague, Financial Sec.; Mrs. Lizzie Milroy, treasurer. The appointive officers were not selected at the time this article was written.

It was at first intended that the Odd Fellows would initiate a large class on that occasion, but it was found impracticable on account of lack of time and it has been postponed for a couple of weeks.

This is to be a gala time for Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, but it does not mean that others cannot help the matter along by decorating the streets.

MASONS ATTEND CHURCH IN A BODY

Dr. Horner Preached Two Able Sermons in the Methodist Church Last Sunday

The services at the M. E. church both morning and evening of last Sunday were unusually interesting. In the morning Dr. Horner spoke of the southern negro and of the wonderful progress of the race since their emancipation from slavery 50 years ago, and in the evening he gave the great lecture of the late Chaplain McCabe "The Bright Side of Life in Libby Prison." A large attendance was present, the Masons attending in a body. The size of the audience evidently was a great inspiration to the doctor and it was a masterful effort that he put forth, and it was hard indeed to believe that the words he gave with such fire and enthusiasm were not his own. Laughter swept the audience many times as he recounted the humorous incidents, but tears were not far behind for the "bright side" could have been seen only through the dauntless eyes of the brave, high couraged men held captive in that awful place and between the lines the listeners could read the misery and pathos of it all.

The choir rendered patriotic hymns, the congregation joining heartily. Edgell Horner sang "The Song of a Thousand Years" Chaplain McCabe's favorite song, which was never omitted when he gave this lecture. Mr. Horner has a baritone voice which has been highly trained and his solo added much to the enjoyment of the meeting. Altogether it was a service which will be long remembered by those fortunate enough to attend. Farmington is indeed fortunate in having such talent as Dr. Horner and his family have brought to it, and in appreciation the Methodist church ought to be crowded to its capacity at every service.

Stringing High Tension Wires
The Edison Electric Light company is stringing three heavy high tension copper wires this way from Detroit and it is reported that the intention is to continue on to South Lyon. The circuit will carry a voltage of 22,000, we are informed, and will be used mainly for power purposes. Another report has it that these wires are to be run to the power house at the Junction and that the dynamo will be run by power transmitted from Detroit, instead of generating it at the power house, thereby saving the coal bill which is a big expense. The Edison will, in that event, supply power to the D. U. R.

At any rate, the wire is being strung and the crew has passed Redford with the work.

Schools Have Good Reputation
Nearly a carload of non-resident pupils land in Farmington every morning to attend the high school. The reputation of the village schools draws the young people from a long distance, several coming from Redford to take advantage of the superior school facilities.

Will Open an Office

W. I. Ely expects to open an office in Farmington for the transaction of real estate and insurance business. He will also secure a notary's commission and do conveyancing. Such an office is needed in the village and we believe Mr. Ely is competent and reliable and will doubtless succeed in the undertaking.

Caucus next week Friday.

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