

DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
G.A.R. POST PROJECT FORM

PLEASE:

- Type or print, using a ballpoint pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
- Do not guess at the information. An answer of "Unknown" is more helpful.
- Include a photograph of each viewable side and label it with name & direction of view.

- Thank You

Post Information

Post Name Post Number
City/Town County State

Brief History of the G.A.R. Post (use separate document if necessary):

Post No. 210, known as McCrosky Post, was mustered September 26, 1884, in North Springfield with twenty-three charter members. William Mathie was elected post commander. Three hundred and fifty-two members have held membership in this organization. Comrade J. B. Johnson is the present commander, while the active membership (circa 1915) is forty-five.

Meeting Facility

Structure Still Exist? Yes No Unknown Type of Building: Stand-Alone Shared-Use

Identify Specific Location:

Description of Records

Do the Records Exist? Yes No Unknown The Records are: Originals Copies

What are the conditions of the records?

What do the records consist of?

See above. Info for this record taken from Jonathan Fairbanks and Clyde Edwin Tuck Past and Present of Greene County, Missouri, circa 1915. Article on GAR by W.C. Calland page 546

Location of Records

Repository Name
City/Town County State Zip

Additional Information:

Submitter Information

Submit Date Name
Camp Name Camp # City/Town State Zip
Email

Submit to Current G.A.R. Post Records Officer Listed @
<http://www.suvcwmo.org/garposts.php>

Thursday, April 2, 1891 Springfield Leader

G.A.R. CELEBRATION.

The two Posts, the W.R.C. and Sons of Veterans Participate.

Capt. Jno. Matthews' Post and McCrosky Post, G.A.R., assisted by the W.R.C. and Sons of Veterans celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the grand Army last night. The Jno. Matthews celebration was carried out at the hall on St. Louis street while the McCrosky Post enjoyed themselves in their elegantly arranged hall on Commercial street. The program before Matthews Post was excellently rendered by H.E. Havens, the Gulf Shops Sextette, Miss May Bellows, Mr. Parmenter, W.C. Noel, Miss Mamie McDonald, W.D. Hubbard and James R. Milner.

The program of McCrosky Post was equally as interesting, good music and short talks being the order of the day.

After "Marching Through Georgia" had been sang by the post, in which Mrs. A.G. Winters lead, and the invocation by Post chaplain Brink, adjutant E.A. Kennedy read a circular from the commander-in-chief giving an account of the foundation and growth of the organization.

Miss Maud King sang several selections during the evening.

Capt. Wm. Mathie, Col. Almus Harrington, Col. A.S. Prather, Dr. Edgar A. Hamilton and others made short addresses.

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Picture of McCroskey Post Ribbon found in May 2023 on E-Bay by PDC Busch



MCCROSKEY
Post, No. 210
SPRINGFIELD, MO.



HONOR THE NOBLE DEAD

