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Lodge Directory.

EAGLES—La Grande Aerie 259 F. O. E. meets every Friday night in K of P hall at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren invited to attend. C. C. Rockwell, W. P. A. S. Mayville, W. Sec. C. J. Vanderpool, Keeboe.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA—Court Mal Marion, No. 22 meets each Tuesday in RR's hall. Brothers are invited to attend. Al Helander, Chief Ranger. C. J. Vanderpool, Keeboe.

I. O. O. F.—La Grande Lodge, No. 16 meets in their hall every Saturday night. Visiting members cordially invited to attend. S. E. Klinehart, N. G. H. E. Coolidge, Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. A. C. Williams, Sec. C. D. Huffman, W. M.

EASTERN STAR O. E. S. Hope Chapter No. 13 meets on second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple. Mrs. Clara T. Lyle, W. M. Mary A. Warnick, Sec.

STARBUCK CAMPMENT No. 31, I. O. O. F. meets every first and third Thursdays in the month in Odd Fellows hall. Visiting brothers always welcome. E. Robinson, C. P. Geo. Hall, scribe.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY BUSINESS

Regular Monthly Business Transacted and Bills Allowed by the County Court,

The matter of the application of Thos. Keckritz to have taxes for 1903 cancelled, was continued for the term. The appointment of a supervisor for rd No. 36 was continued for the term. The petition to require Grande Ronde Lumber Co., to build a bridge over Starkey Creek was continued for the term. The application of C. M. Ramsdall to change location of certain roads was continued for the term. The application of Harry O'Neill for county aid was granted, and the applicant admitted to the County House. The application of Riley Bright for county aid was granted, and the applicant admitted to the County House. The application of Geo. Stoddard for credit on 1902 tax roll was granted, and Sheriff ordered to take Sheriff's credit for said tax (\$640), and to cancel same on tax roll. The matter of the appointment of a janitor for the County offices was continued. In the matter of the county road petitioned for by D. McDonald et al, motion to strike out proof denied, and the Board of county road viewers was ordered to meet at commencement of said proposed road on Dec. 28, 1904, at

10 o'clock a. m., to view and lay out said road and appraise damages. The bond of J. H. Morton, county assessor, approved by the court. The application of J. C. Walker for rebate on tax sale of 1901, was continued for the term. The application of Geo. Ball for the cancellation of tax erroneously levied, was continued for the term. The petition of the Grande Ronde Electric Company for right of way to construct, maintain, and operate telephone lines, and lines and wires for purpose of conveying electricity and electric power and energy along and over certain public highways in Union county. In the matter of publishing sale of property for delinquent taxes for 1903, the contract for this work was let to the Eastern Oregon Republican. Miscellaneous bills allowed at the September term of the County Court. J. F. Baker, defending Chas. Barnard..... \$10 00 C. C. Penington, prisoner's board for November..... 45 40 Ed Wright, work on tax rolls..... 75 01 E. Chancey, same..... 81 01 C. W. P. Ellsworth, canvassing votes November election..... 3 60 John E. Hough, same..... 3 20 B. Clay, chairman of election..... 6 00 Patrick Conlon, Judge of election..... 6 00 L. W. McDowell, same..... 6 00 C. A. Hill, clerk and messenger of election..... 10 00 Hughey Lynch, clerk of election..... 6 00 Frank Boland, same..... 6 00 James L. Woodell, same..... 6 00 S. N. Ayers, Judge of election..... 6 00 Geo. P. Childers, same..... 6 00 E. A. Wills, clerk of election..... 8 00 L. L. McKennon, same..... 6 00 W. J. Case, same..... 6 00 R. M. Duncan, Judge of election..... 6 00 T. B. Marlin, same..... 6 00 Dunham Wright, same..... 6 00 G. W. South, clerk of election..... 6 00 Andrew Melville, same..... 6 00 Jas. Noble, same..... 6 00 Sam'l G. White, Judge of election..... 6 00 Henry Chambers, same..... 6 00 Otto Eckreley, same..... 6 00 Jasper Stevens, clerk of election..... 6 00 Geo. H. Holmes, clerk and messenger of election..... 9 60 Alex. Thompson, clerk of election..... 6 00 Henry Bush, Judge and mess of election..... 14 00 J. H. Ferguson, Judge of election..... 6 00 Wm. Hughan, same..... 6 00 J. L. Corbett, clerk of election..... 6 00 B. F. Hopper, same..... 6 00 C. N. Lewis, Judge of election..... 6 00 Lee Young, Judge and mess of election..... 7 80 L. O. Wills, Judge of election..... 6 00 H. A. Shropshire, clerk of election..... 6 00 J. G. Ritz, same..... 6 00 H. P. Summers, same..... 6 00 Fred J. Holmes, Judge of election..... 6 00 Geo. E. Wills, same..... 6 00 Jas. Moss, same..... 6 00 W. L. Tucker, clerk of election..... 6 00 Andrew Van Blockland, same..... 6 00 J. A. Russell, clerk and mess of election..... 6 00 A. J. Clark, Judge of election..... 6 00 J. A. Swart, same..... 6 00 L. E. Ferguson, same..... 6 00 R. B. Cummins, clerk of election..... 6 00 F. P. Brooks, same..... 6 00 F. L. Eyre, clerk and mess of election..... 10 00 B. Logsdon, clerk of election..... 6 00 J. N. Young, Judge and mess of election..... 6 20 Wm. Rinearson, Judge of election..... 6 00 C. D. Huffman, clerk of election..... 6 00 [Continued on page 4]

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO SELL LET THE PEOPLE HEAR ABOUT IT THROUGH THIS DEPARTMENT AND YOU WILL FIND A BUYER. IF YOU WANT TO BUY EXPLAIN YOUR WANTS THROUGH THESE COLUMNS.

For Rent
 The building formerly occupied by the Salvation Army. For full particulars and rates inquire of Mrs. S. C. Zuber. Aug. 31 to 15-22

For Sale
 FOR SALE—Two organs and a sewing machine. Will be sold at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire at 403 Wagoner street. W. Dinkle. 15-22

For Sale
 FOR RENT—One six room house centrally located on Third street between Main and Park streets. Apply for particulars to W. W. Kinsey.

For Sale
 Fresh Cow guaranteed good milk. To sell cheap if sold at once. Inquire at M. H. Kirtley livery barn.

For Rent or Sale—160 acre farm well improved. Will either rent or sell. Inquire of Wm. Moss, La Grande Rural Free Delivery No. 1, 1 1/2 miles north of Island City. Dec 6—January 6.

Farm for Sale
 I desire to sell my beautiful little farm of 80 acres two miles and a half east of La Grande on the rural postal and Farmers Telephone line to suit the purchaser. M. Baker

PLAIN SEWING—Plain dressmaking and sewing. Myrtle Gates, Cedar and Adams avenue at Adna Roger's.

WANTED—Work to do either plain sewing, ironing or nursing, where trained nursing is not required. Mrs. R. Wood, Adams Avenue, opposite green house. 1 week

Office Rooms
 In Sommer building. For particulars inquire room No. 12.

Ladies
 We will make you a box coat for less money than you pay for a ready made garment and you have two hundred patterns to pick from. We also cover buttons, press clothes and clean your coats and you have a chance to win a \$40 coat with every dollar paid in our store. Al Andews, Gents furnishings. Phone No 231

Pay Up
 The public hereby notified that I have disposed of my feed store to J. W. White and I desire to thank the public generally for their liberal patronage in the past and that parties now owing me will please call and settle with me personally or they can call at the La Grande National Bank who will receipt for all bills. 11-11 to 12-1 O. O. JOHNSON.

Annual Meeting
 NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF LA GRANDE NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the La Grande National Bank will be held at their banking house, in La Grande, on Tuesday the tenth day of January A. D. 1905, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. At this meeting a board of five directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be elected and such other business will be transacted, as may properly come before said meeting. George Palmer, President of the La Grande National Bank 12, 6-19.

Rector of St. Luke's
 Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Ashburnham, Ont., April 18, 1903. I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think so be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your Cough Remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter Day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your Cough Remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a God-sent remedy. Respectfully yours, E. A. Langfield, M. A., Rector of St. Luke's Church. This remedy is for sale by All Drug-gists.

Dissolution Notice
 Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between W. O. Peach, J. S. Peach and G. W. Peach under the name of Peach Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. G. W. Peach retiring. J. S. Peach and G. W. Peach, who will continue the business, as Peach Bros., will pay all outstanding debts and collect all accounts due the old firm. Dated at La Grande Oregon this 28th day of Nov. 1904. W. G. Peach, J. S. Peach, G. W. Peach

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS
 Island City, Dec. 8 1904—The annual stockholders meeting of the La Grande City Church Association will be held in the church Monday, December 11, 1904, for the purpose of electing directors. By order of E. E. Kiddle, President. J. J. Holmes, Sec.

Estate Notice
 J. R. Kellogg deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, J. M. Church, has qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of J. R. Kellogg, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same properly verified to the undersigned at the office of J. M. Church, commencing Monday, La Grande Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated and first published October 6th 1904. J. M. Church, Executor of Estate of J. R. Kellogg, deceased. C. H. Finck, Attorney for Executor.

PUBLIC SALE
 The undersigned will sell at public sale, at the farm of M. Baker, on Tuesday, December 20, 1904, at ten o'clock a. m., the following:
 1 Mare 1 barrow 3 colts
 1 drill 3 cows 1 gang plow
 3 calves 1 mower 1 rake
 1 single harness 1 outfit
 1 set double harness 1 wagon
 1 buggy household goods
 Terms—Amount up to \$10, cash; over \$10 approved notes, on 6 months time, 6 per cent interest; 5 per cent discount on all cash sales over \$10. Ed Stringham, Auctioneer. J. F. Baker, Jr. Dec 15

Now Ready for Sale
 The people of this county are now notified that the O'Connell addition is now ready for the market and that choice lots can be had at remarkably low prices. These lots are 60 by 110 feet and are without exception the best residence lots in the city. Per-sons wishing larger tracts can secure just what they want by going a little further west in the same addition. Do not fail to see this addition and secure one of these choice selections before some one else gets the lot you want. For full description of property and quotations call upon Dr. O'Connell at La Grande Oregon. Phone Main 2141. Cor Park and Oak Streets.

FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS

Holiday Specials

The Sommer House Cafe
 Makes the Following Generous Offer for THE HOLIDAY TRADE

California Claret Wine
 25c a quart bottle, 5 bottles \$1.00

Finest California Raspberry Wine
 25c a quart bottle, 5 bottles \$1.00

Reisling Wine 35c a quart bottle, 3 bottles \$1.00

Best Bottle Beer, quart bottles,
 \$2.50 per dozen, \$1.25 per half dozen

McBrayer's Best Whiskey, eight years old,
 per quart bottle \$1.00

Old O. P. S. ten year old Whiskey,
 per quart bottle \$1.00

Old J. E. Pepper, eight year old whiskey,
 per gallon \$3.50

Old Hermitage, 15 year old Whiskey,
 per gallon \$4.00

Imported Port Wine - - 75c a quart bottle

Imported Sherry Wine - - 75c a quart bottle

Please send in your order at once. We prepay charges to your nearest freight or express office.

Sommer House Cafe
A. L. MORRIS, Proprietor.

FOR RENT, LEASE OR SALE
 Lots 17, 18, block 102, Chaplain's Addition.
 Address bids to "P" care of Observer

Script
 Gilt-edged forest reserve, approved, un-restrained, ready for immediate use anywhere. Lowest prices. F. F. & F. B. RILEY, Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Portland, Or.

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The Bulletin just issued by the United States Government, after months of careful research, shows that in the Western States, the average family purchases annually goods to the amount of **\$750**.

On this basis the 2250 families visited with each issue of the Daily and Weekly OBSERVER annually purchase merchandise to the amount of

\$1,687,500

The natural logical conclusion cannot be otherwise than that no wide-awake business man who will take the few moments necessary to convince himself of the accuracy of the above statement, can afford to miss the opportunity of placing his announcements (25,500 each month) before this army of purchasers.

An ad under such conditions, properly taken care of will most certainly bring enormous returns on the investment.

These Presentations of FACTS

Should receive the most careful consideration of every business house whose volume of business depends upon the patronage of this city and county,

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