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La Grande Lodge No. 169, W. O. W., meets every Saturday evening in K. of P. hall in the Corpe building. All visiting members welcome. M. M. MARQUIS, D. H. KEENEY, Consul Commander, Clerk.

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Stout Maid Marian No. 22 meets second and fourth Wednesday night in K. of P. hall. Brothers are invited to attend.

NERI ACKLES, C. R. G. V. HENDRICKS, F. S. Board of Trustees: Dr. G. L. Biggers, Oscar Berger and Herbert Peterson.

Brotherhood of Owls.

La Grande Nest No. 17, meets in the K. of P. hall every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

J. B. VANDERMUELEN, Executive. C. W. BAKER, Secretary.

K. of P.

Red Cross Lodge No. 27, meets every Monday evening in Castle Hall, Corpe building. A Pythian welcome to all visiting knights.

D. H. PROCTOR, C. C. R. L. LINCOLN, K. of R. & S.

O. E. S.

Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. S., hold stated communications the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Visiting members cordially invited.

MARY O. FORREST, W. M. MARY A. WARNICK, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

Star Encampment No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets every second and fourth Wednesday in the month in Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting patriarchy always welcome. D. E. COX, C. P. W. A. WORSTELL, Scribe.

Rebekahs.

Crystal Lodge No. 59, meets every Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. lodge. All visiting members are invited to attend.

LAURA STILES, N. G. JENNIE SMITH, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.

La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M., holds regular meetings first and third Saturdays at 7:30 p. m. L. H. RUSSELL, W. M. E. D. HUFFMAN, Secretary.

F. O. E.

La Grande Aerie No. 259, F. O. E., meets every Friday night in Elks hall at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren invited to attend.

D. H. PROCTOR, W. P. J. H. LEISHMAN, W. S.

M. W. A.

La Grande Camp No. 7703 meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock in Elks hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.

E. C. DAVIS, C. D. E. COX, Clerk. Relief committee: E. C. Davis, Charles Disqua, A. J. Warner and D. E. Cox.

M. B. of A.

Meets first and third Thursday eve at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting members always welcome.

J. A. ARBUCKLE, President. C. J. VANDERPOEL, Secretary.

B. P. O. E.

La Grande Lodge No. 433, meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elks hall on Adams avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

W. B. SARGENT, Exalted Ruler. G. E. McCULLY, Rec. Sec.

I. O. O. F.

La Grande Lodge No. 16, meets in their hall every Saturday night. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. Cemetery plot may be seen at Model Restaurant.

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POTATO CROP IS MOVING

The potato industry in the Grande Ronde valley is becoming a money-bringing venture on the part of farmers. This is verified in the conservative estimate of the number of carloads shipped out of here this winter. The shipment of last year's crop is in full swing, in fact has passed the zenith and although there are close to 30 carloads yet to be shipped, the end is in sight.

A Denver firm, through the Geddes Bros., has purchased 20 carloads, and five of the lot have already been shipped. Three more are being loaded and prepared for shipment today. The Denver company has paid 50 cents on this lot.

Ramsey & Oldenburg have purchased about 30 carloads so far and there are eight cars yet to be shipped. J. D. McKennon is another shipper who has been buying and shipping this winter.

A close estimate of the potato crop for last year, which by the way, was the largest and best in many years, if not in the history of the potato in the valley, gives the total shipments to out of the county points, at 100 cars. There is no doubt but that next year will see this amount doubled.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

From a Primary Law Standpoint, a Candidate Must Be Chosen.

Democrats of the First congressional district will meet in Salem tomorrow for the purpose of deciding upon a candidate for congressman from that district to be placed on the ballot in June, and to be nominated at the primary by having his name written on the primary ballots.

The meeting has been called because of the discovery of the fact that unless there is a democratic candidate for congress from the First district the party will officially cease to exist under the definition of the primary law, which provides that no party can take part in primary nominating elections unless it has cast 25 per cent of the total vote for congressman at the previous election.

Further plans for the democratic state conventions will also be discussed at the Salem meeting. The date of the state convention has been changed from June 16 to June 9, when it will be called in Portland. The delegates to the state convention will be selected by conventions held prior to June 9 in the different counties of the state. —Portland Telegram.

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PUBLICATION NOTICE.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Union county.

La Grande National Bank, plaintiff (a private corporation, vs. John Ott and Peter Bousquet, defendants. Summons.

To Peter Bousquet, Defendant Above Named:

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and action, on or before April 9th, 1903; and if you fail to so answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take the judgment of the said court against you for the sum of \$215.00 with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from and after October 19th, 1902, until paid, \$35.00 attorney fee, and costs and disbursements of this action and the sale of the property attached herein, to-wit: Lots 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, in block 143, and lots 7 and 8 in block 57, of Chaplin's addition to La Grande, Oregon.

This summons is published by order of Hon. T. H. Crawford, judge of the above entitled court, made February 14th, 1903, fixing six consecutive weeks, therefore and in the Evening Observer, published at La Grande, Oregon, the first publication hereof being February 15th, 1903.

C. H. FINN, Attorney for Plaintiff. Let Heacock repair your watch.

Stray Notice.

There came to my place at Starkey, Ore., on or about January 8, 1903, and was taken up by me, one bay mare about 7 years old, weight about 900 pounds, branded J. J. on left shoulder and circled T on right shoulder. Owner may have same by paying pasturage, and for this notice.

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