

**DIRECTORY
OF THE
FRATERNAL ORDERS
LA GRANDE, ORE.**

M. W. A.

La Grande Camp No. 7763 meets each Monday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.

M. McMURRAY, C.
CAL JORDAN, Clerk.

P. O. F.

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

C. E. HACKMAN, W. P.
GEO. ABEGB, W. S.

O. E. S.

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

RACHEL E. WORSTELL, W. M.
MARY A. WARNICK, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.—Encampment.

Star Encampment No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets every second and fourth Wednesday in the month in Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting patriarchs always welcome.

H. E. COOLIDGE, C. P.
W. A. WORSTELL, Scribe.

M. B. of A.

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

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

Woodmen of the World.

La Grande Lodge No. 165, W. O. W., meets every second and fourth Tuesday evening in K. of P. hall in the Corpe building. All visiting members welcome. NERI ACKLES, J. H. KEENEY, Consul Commander. Clerk.

I. O. O. F.—Subordinate.

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.

HUGH McCALL, N. G.
OSCAR COOLIDGE, Secretary.
W. A. WORSTELL, Fin. Sec.

Foresters of America.

Court Maid Marion No. 22 meets each Wednesday night in K. of P. hall. Brothers are invited to attend.

BEN HAISTEN, C. R.
NEO HERRING, C. S.
C. J. VANDERPOEL, F. S.

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.

R. L. LINCOLN, W. M.
A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Knights of Pythias.

Red Cross Lodge No. 27, meets every Monday evening in Castle Hall (old Elks' hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting knights.

J. F. BAKER, C. C.
R. L. LINCOLN, K. of R. & S.

Rebeksahs.

Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.

JENNIE N. SMITH, N. G.
MARTHA E. SCOTT, Secretary.

B. P. O. E.

La Grande Lodge No. 433, meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elks' club, corner Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

C. S. DUNN, Exalted Ruler.
G. E. McCULLY, Recording Sec.

GREAT SUM FOR BOOSTING

Portland, Feb. 1.—(Special correspondence.)—As an evidence that Portland people are more and more interested in the advancement of Oregon, the First National Bank and Ladd & Tilton have each notified the Oregon Development league that their subscriptions for the year 1909 would be \$200 per month instead of \$100, as in former years. This same sum is subscribed by the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, while the United States National Bank has advanced from \$50 to \$100 per month. These are larger subscriptions than are made by the financial and business interests of any other city in the United States.

An enormous amount of attention has been excited by the invitation to Chicago, extended through the ways and means committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce, to send 150 Chicago school boys and girls for a two months' trip through the western states. The commercial bodies of the whole west are joining with the Portland Commercial club to insure acceptance of the invitation. Hundreds of business men who do business with Chicago firms are asking those firms to co-operate with H. A. Wheeler, chairman of the ways and means committee, 77 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, in bringing this about. If any reader of this paper can help the cause by writing a letter, he is urged to do so.

Twenty-one hundred and ninety pounds of publicity were forwarded to the east by the Portland Commercial club last week. This was in addition to the six tons that went two weeks earlier. The printers will soon be busy in turning out one million leaflets advertising the one-way colonist rates to Oregon points, and these leaflets will go out through the boys and girls attending school, the preachers and churches, the banks, business houses, factories, hotels, and the homes of Portland, whose example in this work should be followed by every community in Oregon. People can buy their tickets to almost every rail point in the state just as cheaply as they can to Portland, but if they buy them only to Portland they will have to pay local rates from this city to their final destination.

Portland and Vancouver, Washington, are getting more and more chummy all the time, and there has been no occasion when the people of the two cities enjoyed themselves more heartily than at the launching of the new ferry boat "City of Vancouver" from the St. Johns Shipbuilding company's yards at St. Johns, last Saturday afternoon. This is a home built boat and for that reason the best.

More than 200 citizens of Spokane and the inland empire will reach Portland Saturday, February 6, en route to California. The party is under the auspices of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce. Immediately upon their arrival the Portland Commercial club will entertain the guests on a trolley ride over the city, and at a reception and dinner at night.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that Mertie Aldrich, administrator of the estate of Mary A. Aldrich, deceased, has filed in the county court of Union county, Oregon, her final account in the matter of said estate, and the county court has appointed Tuesday, the 2nd day of March, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the court house, in La Grande, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.

MERTIE ALDRICH,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary A. Aldrich, Deceased.
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Washington Once Gave Up

to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctor's failed, then "Bucklen's Arnica Salve" completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Rosqueville, Texas. For eczema, boils, burns and piles it is supreme. 25c at Newlin Drug Co.

LOST—A lady's watch and fob, on streets of this city. Fob engraved "R. G. M." Return to this office and receive reward. 2-11f.

N. K. West's Great Shoe Sale

**Monday, February 1st
For Ten Days**

**Preston's \$2,000. Stock of Shoes Secured at
a Sacrifice**

Which will be thrown to the mercy of the public. Considering the quality of this merchandise, the price we paid for it and the price at which we will sell the same, we believe that this is the most important sale of its kind ever held in La Grande. We are prepared to back up this statement with values that will amaze you. We have hundreds of pairs of shoes here in the store which will be sold at a fraction of their real value.

Now For the Annual Rummage Sale

As the result of our Annual Clearance Sale of this month, we find odd lots of merchandise here and there—but all clean fresh merchandise—to be sold beginning Monday, February 1st for ten days for a fraction of their real value. So great are the bargains a careful shopper can save more these 10 days than ever before. Come and See.

Where Quality Governs Cut Prices Count

The Evening Observer, Delivered at Your Door, 65c per Month

JOB PRINTING

THIS term includes everything from a visiting card to a full sheet poster; a leaflet to a leather bound book. THE OBSERVER JOB DEPARTMENT is equipped so thoroughly that we are able to handle "JOBS" with ease which to other offices would seem a reaburden.

COMMERCIAL PRINTING

By this term we mean Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Envelopes and Office Stationery in general. THE OBSERVER JOB DEPARTMENT is in a position to fill OFFICE WANTS promptly and satisfactorily.

ALL YOURS

We have several Advertising Ideas which we believe are good and will bring you results; if you care for them they are yours for the asking. Remember, good printing costs money and should be classed as an investment; poor printing is always an expense. Apply the trial order test and see in which class our ongs. PHONE MAIN 13, TWORINGS.

DENTIST

I came to the Grande Ronde Valley some months ago to give the people of this community the advantage of reliable dental work at reasonable prices and I have found that this determination has been appreciated. It is due every man that he get a reasonable recompense for his work and I base my practice on that principle. My patrons shall receive the same consideration that I should expect if I had occasion to employ a Dentist. Very Respectfully,

J. E. STEVENSON, D. D. S.

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