

# Star Theater

## Program

- ◆ Gambling with Death—Drama
- ◆ The Open Gate—Drama
- ◆ Brought to Terms—Drama
- ◆ Making it Pleasant for Him—Comedy
- ◆ Illustrated song—"O'Brien has No Place to go."

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### CANDIDATE DIMMICK OPPOSES ASSEMBLY.

The following from the Oregon City Enterprise of last week indicates plainly that the "pot is beginning to simmer," as stated several times recently in this paper.

"As of the candidates for governor, including Dr. Withycombe and Prof. J. H. Ackerman, have endorsed the Assembly or convention plan of nomination, and Judge Dimmick now stands as the only candidate who is in favor of the strict observance of the direct primary law in opposition to the Assembly or Convention.

"Mr. Dimmick, recently, in a public speech, gave his reasons for opposing the Assembly plan as follows:

"Under the convention system candidates who are generally nominated for state and county offices are but little acquainted with the voters, and the voters know nothing of their qualifications, while under the primary nomination law a candidate is compelled to publicly define his politics and go out among the legal voters and become acquainted with them, so that they may see the man and judge for themselves as to his qualifications.

"Prior to the adoption of the primary nomination law the Republican party was engaged in factional strife in every part of the state, and in nearly every county political factions controlled party nominations, and in fact made political machines of the courts and ruled nearly every official elected to a political office, and by reason of that conduct the legal voters of the state become convinced that the welfare of their state demanded some reform along those lines, so that men nominated and elected to office would be under obligations to the legal voters, rather than the political faction who were instrumental in securing their nomination for them.

"Since the adoption of the primary law all of the old factional strife that existed in the several counties in the state has died away, and the political factions are no more; and the men who prided themselves as being dictators of conventions, and who ruled the election of delegates in the county precincts were placed on a level with the other legal voters, and by reason of that condition of affairs the Republican party in several counties has elected a larger percentage of their candidates than they ever elected under the old convention system.

"Certain politicians inform us that it requires a political convention and a spirited contest in the primaries in order to keep the Republican party

together, but I am convinced beyond reasonable doubt that the members of a political party are kept together by reason of the principle that the party stands for rather than an Assembly or Convention."

Mr. Dimmick was born in Marion County, Oregon, in 1869, and was admitted to the bar by the Supreme Court in June 1896. He located at Oregon City in 1896, and in 1900 was elected mayor of Oregon City and thereafter for four successive terms. He was elected Presidential Elector on the Republican ticket in 1904, and was elected County Judge of Clackamas County in 1906.

# FORESTORS ELECTION

To initiate a class of 10, to elect officers and to listen to an interesting address from A. Brauer, grand secretary of the Foresters in Oregon, were some of the features of the local court's session last night. The secretary has returned to Portland. The officers elected were:

Frank Bay, Chief Ranger.  
 Cam Taylor, Sub-chief Ranger.  
 Glenn Caylor, Senior Woodard.  
 Chas. Murchison, Jun. Woodard.  
 Geo. Herr, Senior Beadle.  
 Reuben Zweifel, Jun. Beadle.  
 A. L. Biggers, Treasurer.  
 C. S. Williams, Fin. Sec.  
 C. J. Vanderpool, Lecturer.  
 H. M. Bay, Claude Mackey and Oscar Berger, Trustees.

### LADD CANYON

After two days and a night of snow and high wind the storm finally ceased last night. Although most of the snow lies in large drifts, there is still enough snow on the ground to insure good sleighing. The road between La Grande and here was blocked so badly the mail carrier was unable to get through yesterday.

L. H. Russell drove out from La Grande this morning in the interests of the Wilcox saw mill.

Mrs. Lucy Graham visited over night last Friday in La Grande with her niece, Mrs. Charles Chandler.

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

**M. W. A.**  
La Grande camp No. 7703 meets every Monday each month at I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.  
FRED B. CURRY, C.  
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**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.  
Pauline Lederlee, W. M.  
Mary E. 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, G. P.  
W. A. WORSTELL, Scribe.

La Grande Lodge No. 169, 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, Consul Commander.  
J. H. KEENEY, Clerk.

**I. O. O. F.—Subordinate.**  
La Grande Lodge No. 18, meets in their hall every Saturday night. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. Cemetery plot may be seen at the Model restaurant.  
GEORGE GROUT, N. G.  
I. R. SNOOK, Rec. Secy.  
W. A. WORSTELL, Fin. Secy.

**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. S.  
LEO HERRING, C. S.  
C. J. VANDERPOOL, 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 Elk's hall). A Pythian welcome to all visiting knights.  
J. F. BAKER, C. C.  
R. L. LINCOLN, K. of R. & S.

**B. P. O. E.**  
La Grande Lodge No. 433, meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.  
H. E. COOLIDGE, Exalted Ruler.  
HUGH McCALL, Rec. Secy.

**REBEKARS.**  
Crystal Lodge No. 50 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.  
Mrs. Cora Fitzgerald, N. G.  
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