

**Directory of the Fraternal Orders of La Grande, Oregon**

**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. Cordial welcome to all Masons. **L. M. HOYT, W. M.**  
**A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.**

**B. P. O. E.—La Grande Lodge No. 433** meets each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Elk's club, corner of Depot street and Washington avenue. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.  
**H. J. RITTER, Ex. Rul.**  
**H. E. COOLIDGE, Rec. Sec.**

**WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—La Grande Lodge No. 169** W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Saturdays at K. P. hall. All visiting members welcome.  
**D. FITZGERALD, C. C.**  
**J. H. KEENEY, Clerk.**

**M. W. A.—La Grande Camp No. 7703** meets every Monday in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.  
**I. R. SNOOK, C.**  
**D. E. COX, Clerk.**

**REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 56** meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.  
**MRS. KATIE ARBUCKLE, N. G.**  
**MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, Sec.**

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Cross Lodge No. 27** meets every Monday night in Castle hall, (old Elk's hall.) A Pythian welcome to all visiting Knights.  
**JESE PAUL, C. C.**  
**R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.**

**J. E. S.—Hope Chapter No. 13, O. E. C.** holds stated communications the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members cordially invited.  
**CARRIE B HUNTER, W. M.**  
**MARY A. WARNICK, Sec.**

**WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Grand Ronde Circle No. 47** meets every first and third Thursday evenings in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are welcome.  
**CHLOE ROBINSON, G. M.**  
**LUZZIE ELLSWORTH, Clerk.**

**TEACH FARMING BY MAIL**

**CORRESPONDENCE COURSE IS FREE TO ALL TAXPAYERS.**  
**No Stipulated Time and Student May Study at Leisure.**

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., March 23.—(Special)—The principle of making the college of direct, practical service to every taxpayer of the state of Oregon, of carrying its assistance and instruction out to those who are unable to attend the courses at Corvallis, is demonstrated in a striking manner by the Oregon Agricultural college in its new correspondence course in farm accounting and business methods, given by the school of commerce under Dean J. A. Bexell.

One advantage to the farmers, in addition to the fact that it is free to all, is that it can be taken up at any time, and carried on at the convenience of the student, without restriction as to the number of months it covers. There are already 50 students enrolled in the work, and it has so attracted the attention of the publishers of the bulletin of lesson instructions that they have evolved a plan by which Dean Bexell's course can be offered by all the different agricultural schools throughout the country adapted to each locality and its particular needs. As fast as the funds and instructional force at the college will allow, other courses will be added to the correspondence work for farmers, including a study of rural law, and agricultural economics. Unfortunately the legislature did not allow the appropriation requested for this work, so it can not at this time receive the attention and development planned for it. It is the policy of the college, however, to extend these advantages to the people of the rural communities of the state as fast as resources will permit.

**Wm. H. Turner in "Father and the Boys"**

Coming to the Steward March 27 will be W. H. Turner assisted by Edith Yeager and a most efficient company in "Father and the Boys," a modern American comedy by George Ade. Was this play written for Mr. Turner, you ask. By no means, any more than was David Harum which Mr. Turner made a laughing success for over four years. But Father, the central figure in "Father and the Boys" fits Mr. Turner and his personality to a nicety.

Father, a self-made man, has taken his two boys into partnership. One,



William H. Turner, coming to the Steward March 27 in "Father and the Boys."

a society butterfly, is enamored of a married woman with a penchant for youths of this type, while the other goes into athletics. Both like many wealthy men's sons, are not in the least interested in the business. Path decides to awaken them to a sense of their responsibilities and under the tutelage of one Bessie Brayton, a very clever young woman from the west, he does it very effectively and incidentally has the time of his life. This is in brief the story rich in mirthful scene and situation for there is never a dull moment in the jolly four acts of laughter.

**New Harriman Line in Northwest.** Spokane, Wash., March 23.—The management of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company has fixed to-

morrow as the day for the opening of the branch line recently completed between North Yakima and Walla Walla. The new road, which forms a link in the Harriman system, will assist in the development of the great Yakima valley, one of the most productive fruit districts of the Pacific northwest.

**Tribe of Ben Hur Meets.** Marshalltown, Ia., March 23.—Marshalltown is entertaining for two days the annual convention of the tribe of Ben Hur of Iowa, a fraternal organization with a large membership in this state. The opening session was held today, with M. L. Lawrence of Sioux City presiding. Oskaloosa, Marshalltown and Cedar Rapids are applicants for next year's convention.

**Colleges in Triangular Debate.** Lawrence, Kas., March 23.—Arrangements have been completed for the triangular debate tomorrow among debating teams representing the university of Oklahoma, the university of Colorado and the university of Kansas. Each university will have two teams, one to debate at home and the other abroad. The question to be debated is: "Resolved, That the short ballot should be used in all municipal, county and state elections."

**Vienna to Welcome Kaiser.** Vienna, March 23.—Vienna is putting on gala attire in anticipation of the arrival here tomorrow of the German emperor. His imperial majesty will spend two days as the guest of Emperor Francis Joseph and will then proceed to Corfu for a vacation of several weeks.

**Have You Read This Book.** A new book telling how the fearful appendicitis is caused and how you can EASILY prevent it, is being read with much interest by La Grande people. It is given away free by A. T. Hill.

**Notice of Street Improvement.** To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, on the 5th day of August, 1909, creating Improvement District No. 3 and designating Main avenue, as such district, and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said common council on the 15th day of March, 1911, whereby said council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of Main avenue, in said improvement district as hereinafter described, by laying thereon bitulithic pavement, the council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefitted by such improvement, order that said above described improvement be made; that the boundaries of said district to be so improved are as follows: All that portion of Main avenue from the west side of 4th street, to the west side of First Street.

(A) And the property affected or benefitted by said improvement is as follows: All the property between the south line of Main avenue and a line drawn from Fourth street west through the center of blocks 10 and 13 in Grandy's addition to La Grande, Oregon, to the center of block 2 in Romig's addition to the town of La Grande, Oregon, and all the property between the north line of Main avenue and a line drawn from Fourth street west through the center of blocks 1, 9 and 11 in Grandy's addition to the town of La Grande, Oregon, to the center of block 1 in Romig's addition to the town of La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefitted by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of \$12,230.00. That the council will on the 5th day of April, 1911, meet at the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and the levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment.

La Grande, Oregon, March 20th, 1911.  
**CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE OREGON.**  
By C. M. HUMPHREYS, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.  
March 20-10t

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.** Notice is hereby given that sealed

bids will be received by the council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of 10,670 square yards of bitulithic pavement on Sixth street, between Washington avenue and K avenue, together with excavation, curbing and drainage, the same to be constructed according to the plans, specifications and estimates on file in this office. All bids to be in by 8 o'clock p. m. April 5th, 1911, and each bid to be accompanied by a certified

check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Attention of all contractors is called to the agreement of Warren Brothers' company, filed with this city, in accordance with which agreement Warren Brothers company agrees to license all contractors desiring to bid for the work to lay bitulithic pavement in accordance with its patents and the terms of said agreement.  
La Grande, Oregon, March 18th, 1911.

C. M. HUMPHREYS, Recorder.  
Mch 18-29th.

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