

Directory of the Fraternal Orders of La Grande, Oregon

I. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41. I. 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.
E. E. DANIELS,
ED. HEATH, Clerk.

REBEKAHS—Crystal Lodge No. 18 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.
MRS. KATIE ARBUCKLE, M. 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.
JESS PAUL, C. C.
R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.

O. 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—Grande Ronde Circle No. 47 meets first and third Thursday evenings in the month at the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are welcome.
CARRIE ROBBS, G. M.
LIZZIE ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

SOME CHAUTAUQUA NUMBERS

Among the chautauqua numbers, commencing next Tuesday and lasting 11 days, are many of great importance. The program just issued said of some of these attractions:

DR. WM. S. SADLER'S CHAUTAUQUA COMPANY.

Dr. Sadler's Company is presented for the second year at our Chautauqua Assembly. We were not able to secure them for three days as last year being indeed extremely fortunate to be able to secure them at all. Dr. Sadler's Company was the greatest attraction of our first Assembly, and we offer no apologies in presenting this talented Company during this season. We will attempt to secure them again next year.
Dr. Sadler's Company numbers four people, Wm. S. Sadler, M. D., Lena K. Sadler, M. D., Anna B. Kellogg, registered



GABRIEL MAGUIRE
AFRICAN EXPLORER



Superfluous Verbiage.
It was Sunday evening and likewise his first call. She was entertaining him at the piano, and he was not fond of music. Of course she couldn't be expected to know that, poor girl! She was not particularly accomplished, but she didn't know what else to do, and he hadn't suggested anything. So she played on and on, occasionally skipping a few bars that she didn't remember and trusting to luck. Finally from sheer weariness and to make conversation she turned to him and said:

"Papa thinks it is wicked for me to play the piano on Sunday."
"Papa is certainly right," he replied wearily. "But why does he—er—specify Sunday?"

It is perhaps needless to record that he was never again invited to that little flat.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Absinth.

Dr. R. Herod of Lausanne in a special contribution to the Alliance Temperance Almanac points out that the absinth liquor, which is now prohibited in three European countries—Belgium, Holland and Switzerland—owes its peculiar noxiousness to the fact that it is prepared with several essences, among them wormwood, which have marked toxic properties. Added to the action of the alcohol a strong absinth contains 95 per cent these essences have a most deleterious effect on the organism, especially on the nervous system. Even small doses provoke a great irritability, which may easily lead heavy drinkers to crime. Epilepsy is more quickly developed among absinth drinkers than among the drinkers of the commoner kinds of alcoholic liquors.—Dundee Advertiser.

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nurse and Miss Sarah Mildred Willmer, reader and entertainer. The programs presented by this company are varied and extremely interesting. Many of the lectures are of the demonstration-tableau order, illustrating in the most practical manner exactly the point that the lecturer desires to emphasize. Dr. Wm. S. Sadler lectures upon Popular Health subjects, Slum and Social life, and upon Nature subjects, many of his lectures being illustrated with the stereopticon.

This remarkable company have proved themselves capable of carrying on instruction of the highest order, while at the same time making it highly entertaining and exceedingly popular. They have an almost inexhaustible repertoire, frequently returning for a third and fourth year in succession to the same Chautauqua, but they never repeat a lecture except by urgent request.

They are in fact "A whole Chautauqua except the music."

From the bogs of Old Ireland, to the heart of "Darkest Africa" is a far cry. In his famous lecture, "With an Irishman Through the Jungles of Africa," Dr. Maguire tells you all about it, the circumstances that led up to it, how he got there, what happened before he was able to get away, and what came of the experience.

Dr. Maguire bears the distinction of being the first white man to go up the Congo after Stanley came down. Fired by reading of the stirring account of that intrepid explorer's adventures, Dr. Maguire went to Africa as a missionary. During the six years that he labored in the heart of Africa he learned the language of the tribesmen, winning them at last to Christianity. A severe illness brought him back to this country and his appearance at the Christian Missionary Alliance, in Carnegie Hall, New York City, was welcomed by an audience of more than six thousand people. His address upon that occasion was one of the greatest oratorical triumphs of this generation.

In his lecture work Dr. Maguire carries with him a large collection of savage gods, snakeskins, idols and other implements of savage manufacture, among them being a necklace once worn by a witch doctor, each bead of which represents a human heart sacrificed to appease the wrath of evil spirits. Musical instruments, arrows of the pygmies, horns, gongs, spears, war clubs and savage dresses are shown and described and many personal experiences are related of the difficulty in securing such a collection.

Dr. Maguire is pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church of Cleveland, Ohio. His lecture, "With an Irishman Through the Jungles of Africa" was delivered more than one hundred times last season. Be sure to come out and hear him, brogue and all. The Doctor has kissed the Blarney Stone and you will not be allowed to forget the fact.

WILLIAM STERLING BATTIS.

William Sterling Battis stands alone in this country as an impersonator of Dickens' characters who has devoted his whole time and talent to this work only, and who has succeeded in catching the spirit of the author in the spoken word and a faithful portrait of the individual by the use of clever "make-up" and marvelous facial transformation.

Charles Dickens was not only one of the most versatile of authors, but also one of the most human of authors. His characters seem to approach more closely to the reader or the student than do those of most writers. Besides being a most minute student of character his exposition of the popular



wrongs of his day were most powerful. The description of the terrible outrages committed upon the defenseless pupils in the so called boarding schools, as related in the account of "Dotheboy's Hall" in Nicholas Nickleby, awoke all England to the nature of many of these institutions and a parliamentary inquiry was at once instituted, with the result that hundreds of private schools were abolished. In his celebrated satire, "Jarndyce and Jarndyce," the vexatious delays and dilatory tactics of the courts of England were held up to ridicule, resulting in a speedy correction of the abuses. His descriptions of the poorer quarters of London, of the desperate poverty and the savage criminality of many of the inhabitants of the poorer portions of London are surpassed by but one author,

A Quaint Inscription.

An old churchyard near London is famous for the inscriptions on its tombstones. There is one on the memorial of Susannah Barford, died 1652, aged ten years and thirteen weeks. The concluding lines beneath the skull and crossbones on her monument are: Her stage was short, her thread was quickly spun, her rawne out and cutt, got heaven, her worke was done.

When Dining Out.

"Pop!"
"Yes, my son."
"What is an ultimate consumer?"
"Why, he's the one who usually has to pay the check for the dinners, my boy."—Yonkers Statesman.

The concessions of the weak are the concessions of fear.—Burke.

The Gentle Hint.

A north country collier, anxious to pop the question to a girl whom he honestly admired, but, unable to sum up courage to ask her the question outright, adopted a method of sounding her as to her idea of matrimony.

"Jenny, ma lass," he said nervously, "Ah've insured my life."

"Has ta, lad?" said Jenny indifferently.

"Aye, and Ah'm a silly for doing so."

"How's that?"

"Why, supposin' Ah get killed 't pit, where dost t' think t' money go?"

"Why, to thy t'fther for sure."

"True enuf, an' it isn't fair; it ought to be paid to me wife."

"To thy wife! Why, tha hasn't got one."

"That's just it," said Bill; "but thou's a nice lass, Jenny, and I want thee to hev that money."

"Why couldn't tha say so at first?" cried Jenny joyfully.—The Bits.

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