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HASTENING A NEW FORM.

The meeting of the city council last evening was such that in the minds of many will have a tendency to hasten the new form of city government for La Grande.

It had always been presumed that a city council was elected to serve the people, and that any citizen was welcome to appear before that body regardless of the nature of his mission.

In the name of all that is known in freedom's land—where the stars and stripes float, where every man is considered equal—where the constitution gives equal rights to all—are we coming to this.

Has it reached a point that a municipality the size of La Grande cannot hear with respect and due reverence anything her citizens have to say?

Think it over, and you will favor a change.

DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE TO MEET

The fore part of next week will witness Astoria filled with delegations from all parts of Oregon for the purpose of attending a meeting of the Great Oregon Development League.

Oregon is yet a new state. It is

full of opportunities, or chances for men and women to make good, and the mission of this league is to spread this doctrine throughout the state and nation.

The Observer will contain complete reports of the meeting by a special representative and it will be worth anyone's while to keep posted on what is done at Astoria next week.

DR. GILLILA'S LAST SUNDAY.

Next Sunday will be the last Sunday Dr. Gillilan of the Methodist Episcopal church will preach as La Grande's regular pastor unless the conference sees fit to return him to this charge.

La Grande must not lose the old circuit rider minister. He fits this locality first rate. At times he differs from many of us, but through it all he is a manly man and we all like him.

Hardships, long travels, pathetic scenes, bitter warfare have all combined to round out the character of this man and he stands today in a class almost by himself.

The Methodist folk can not well lose the doctor and La Grande as a community would sincerely regret it.

INSURANCE OFFICE MOVED.

J. W. Oliver Moves From Abode of Many Years to North Side.

J. W. Oliver, agent for the Oregon Relief Fire Insurance company, who has had his home and office at Sixth and Washington for many years, today moved his household goods and office to 1416 Jackson avenue.

BUTTERFAT 30c at the Blue Mountain Creamery.

Old Friends and New

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FRATERNAL ORDERS OF LA GRANDE.

F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41. F. & A. M. Lodge No. 41 meets first and third Saturdays at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons. L. M. HOYT, W. M. A. C. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

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. Rui. 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. 5 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. JESS PAUL, C. C. R. L. LINCOLN, M. of R. & S.

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

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that in pursuance

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of a resolution adopted by the common council of the city of La Grande, Oregon, on the 2nd day of March, 1910, creating improvement district No. 14, and designating Fir street as such district, and in pursuance of a resolution adopted by said common council on the 28th day of June, 1911, whereby said council determined and declared its intention to improve all that portion of Fir street, in said improvement district as hereinafter described, by constructing cement walks on each side of street, the council will, ten days after the service of this notice upon the owners of the property affected and benefited 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 Fir street, from the north line of O.-W. R. & N. Co., to the south side of Monroe avenue. (A) And the property affected or benefited by said improvement is as follows: O.-W. R. N. & R. Co. and lot 1, block 121; lots 1 and 34, block 124, and lots 9 and 10, block 125, Chaplin's addition to La Grande, Oregon. Notice is hereby further given that the council will levy a special assessment on all the property affected and benefited by such improvement for the purpose of paying for such improvement. That the estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of \$1,010.00. That the council will, on the 16th day of August 1911, meet at Oregon, the council chamber at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to consider said estimated cost, and levy of said assessment, when a hearing will be granted to any person feeling aggrieved by such assessment. La Grande, Oregon, August 4th, 1911. CITY COUNCIL OF LA GRANDE, OREGON. By C. M. HUMPHREYS, Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

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