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In the light of what has been learned about the lettuce there is no longer any excuse for the pay insouciance of the poet who wrote a summer boarding house lyric in which these lines occurred:

Here, sir, is your currant pie, Alternating currant pie. First a currant, then a fly 'Neath the crust alternate lie. -Louisville Courier-Journal.

Not an Authority. There are some persons who can't take a joke, but Fogg is not one of them. One of the boys, acquainted with Fogg's frequent changes of abode, asked him which he thought was the cheaper, to move or to pay rent. "I can't tell you, my dear boy," replied Fogg. "I have always moved."

Willing to Be the Goat. "Why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" quoted the impassioned orator. Then he paused a moment to let it take effect. "Well," spoke up a half inebriated man in the audience, "I'll be the goat. Why should it?" -Chicago Tribune.

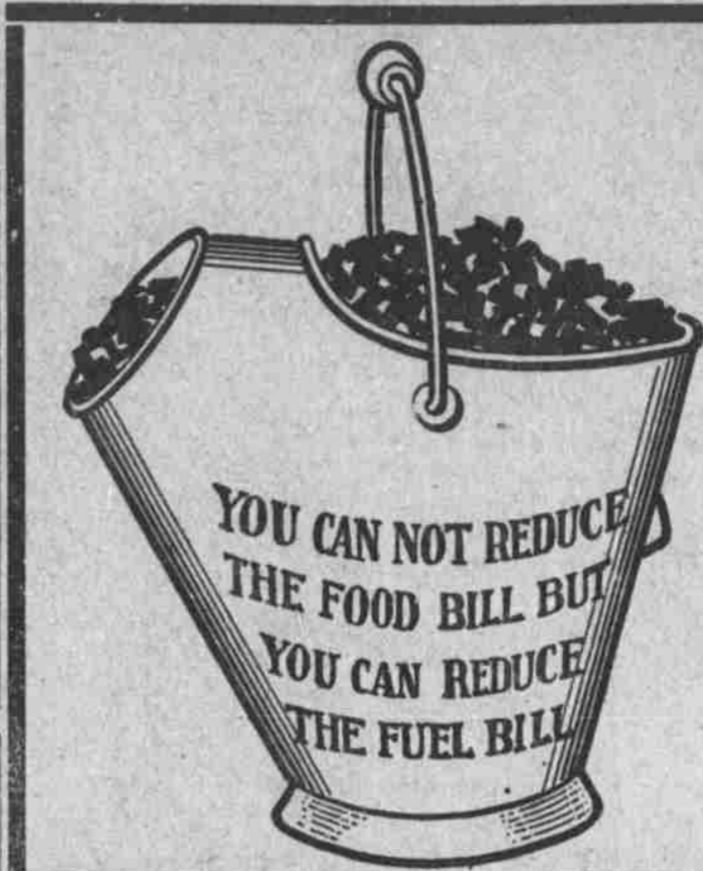
Peace is not mere tranquillity, for tranquillity may be indifference. -Duffield.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Mayor and Council of the City of La Grande, at the office of the City Recorder, until 4 o'clock, September 7, 1910, for the construction of 360 feet of cribbing and the making of a new channel for the river, according to the plans and specifications now on file at this office. Said work is to be done along the river near the foot of Fourth street.

The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and each bid must be accompanied with a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the bid.

La Grande, Oregon, August 22, 1910. F. L. MEYERS, Mayor. D. E. COX, Recorder Aug 22-Sept 1



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SUGAR--Cash Price--Sugar, \$6.75; beet sugar \$6.55. VEGETABLES--New city onions 4c lb; green onions three bunches for 10 c, tomatoes 10c lb; new potatoes, 10 for 25c; cabbage 4c; green corn 20c; string beans, 10c lb; green peppers, 15c lb. FRUIT--Oranges, 50c per dozen; lemons, 45c per dozen; bananas, 40c per doz; Blackberries 2 boxes, 25c; water-melons 2 1-2c lb; cantalope 10 & 15c; peaches 10c lb; plums, 2c lb. Grapes, 2 lbs for 25c. MEATS--Hogs, live weight, well finished, \$9 cwt; cows, 3 1-2 to 4c; veal 4 to 4 1-2c; mutton 4 to 5; chickens, 13c; fries, 20c.

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Women of Woodcraft

Grande Ronde Circle No. 47 meets every first and third Thursday evening in the month at the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members welcome. CHLOE ROBINSON, G. M. LIZZIE ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

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. JOHN C. HODGIN, 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. DR. G. L. BIGGERS, Ex. Ruler. HUGH McCALL, Rec. Sec.

Mechanics

Crystal Lodge No. 10 meets every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All visiting members are invited to attend.

MISS ANNA ALEXANDER, N. G. MRS. JENNIE M. SMITH, 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.

ED. WRIGHT, 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.

MARY A. WARNICK, Sec. PAULINE LEDERLEE, W. M.

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