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A HOME GROWN DINNER.

The Commercial club contemplates soon to have a dinner of Home products grown and manufactured in the Grande Ronde valley.

It is a good idea.

Few people realize how much is produced in the valley and how little one has to buy outside of home made articles in order to live and live well.

From the soup to the nuts served at the final course the valley will be in evidence. Not a course of a good, well planned dinner need be omitted.

A few such dinners will awaken the home pride; increase the sales of home made products and keep more money in the valley where it will circulate from one to another and do a lot more good than to have it sent to the outside cities.

Let us have more encouragement for the home goods.

PENDER MAY BE INNOCENT.

The more light that is turned on the Pender murder case the more it would seem that Pender may be an innocent man, and that he is the victim of an unfortunate circumstance.

After following the case to the present time one is forced to the conclusion that Pender has some bitter enemies who do not purpose giving him any chance at clearing himself if they can avoid it, and unfortunately some that hold to that position are officials of the law who took part in his prosecution and conviction.

It happens that this case is far reaching because of Pender's service in the Spanish-American war. He is well known to thousands of the boys who served in the Philippines with him and no soldier whom we have heard speak of him says anything but good. His record in the army, his record before he entered the army stands almost without blemish. In fact it is above the ordinary record regardless of the attempt made by his enemies to establish him as a moral pervert. This charge is without foundation according to the veterans in La Grande who served with Pender. They say he was a clean, first-class soldier and was never in any mixup that reflected discredit upon him.

The war veterans at Portland have taken up his case and have made a complete investigation, finding many things of an irregular nature in the trial and proceedings which should give Pender a new trial at least.

Oregon, as a state, cannot afford to put this man behind prison bars for life, without a second hearing. It is a case where justice is calling for further proof of guilt or exoneration of the crime.

Governor Withycombe cannot be

commended too strongly for instituting a searching investigation in this case.

Right now there is an over supply of sentiment being exhibited because the legislature refuses to stand for the girl's reformatory appropriation. Dr. A. C. Smith of Portland, suggests putting the girls in the church and charitable institutions but that does not suit Lola Baldwin and ex-Governor West. They want a separate and distinct institution carrying large appropriations and more employees.

A few days of rain like the present and there will be no bottom to the roads of the valley. But we can do without roads for sixty days in order to insure another bumper wheat crop.

The legislature seems to have ground that ax until it has a razor edge.

DOCTOR HAS ANTIDOTE FOR BICHLORIDE OF MERCURY.



The medical world has become interested in the claim of Dr. J. H. Wilms of Cincinnati that he has discovered an antidote for bichloride of mercury poisoning. In explaining his discovery the doctor said:

"Chemists have long known that sulphur forms an insoluble compound with mercury, but it had never been used universally as an antidote to mercurial poisoning. I have used calcium sulphide in one-tenth to one one-hundredth grain doses, repeated every hour, in mercurial poisoning such as we frequently meet with. In giving mercury for diseased conditions requiring large doses internally, when salivation would follow in these cases relief followed almost immediately.

"In bichloride poisoning we have almost the same condition as from mercury distributed to the various tissues and organs. This condition requires some drug that will form an insoluble compound. This is what the calcium sulphide does. Bichloride of mercury is one of the most valuable drugs and antiseptics in use, and its universal use makes it all the more important that its antidote should be known."

COVE BIRTHS NUMEROUS

SEVERAL FAMILIES VISITED BY THE STORK.

Personal Mention and News Items From Cove Vicinity.

Cove, Oregon, Feb. 1.—(Special)—S. W. Koger and wife, of La Grande, visited in this neighborhood this week. It is like "coming home" to them as they just moved from here last fall. A baby boy was born to Dr. and Mrs. A. C. McCown Monday, January 25. The child died and the mother's life was despaired of for several days but is now on the road to rapid recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson are the proud parents of a 6 1-4 pound daughter, born Wednesday, January 27. Both mother and child are doing fine. President Wilson is no prouder of his grandson than T. B. Johnson is of his grand-daughter, but Mr. Johnson is beginning to feel awful old now that he is "granda."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arney of this city, a son, January 25. The Arney family recently came here from North Powder.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker Friday, January 29th. Both mother and child are doing nicely.

Dr. McCown, of Vancouver, Wash., is visiting his son, Dr. A. C. McCown, of this city.

Miss Clarice Fine was so unfortunate as to sprain her ankle while coasting. She was unable to take charge of her school the fore part of the week. Miss Dena Lund taught three days for her.

Among the Mt. Fannie grangers who attended the meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. building at La Grande Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark, M. L. Carter, Miss Mary Carter and Mrs. J. L. Chadwick. They report a fine time.

N. Daron made a business trip to La Grande Saturday.

Cove Dancing club gave a dancing party at the Maccabee hall Friday night. It was an invitation affair and the patrons were Mr. and Mrs. Forstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Stackland, Mr. and Mrs. Dean and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reese.

The eighth grade pupils gave a party in the Maccabee hall Thursday. It was enjoyed by all present.

There are several cases of chicken-pox and whooping cough in the vicinity of Cove.

T. B. Johnson shipped a car of fat hogs to Portland Saturday.

Rev. Trueblood of the M. E. church held services at Frosty school house at 3 o'clock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gasset and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chambers.

C. H. Gasset went to La Grande Saturday to serve as jurymen on Monday.

L. J. Chadwick and wife were guests of G. M. Gray, of Lower Cove, Sunday.

Everything looks and feels like Spring. Water has begun to raise and we are enjoying the warm days.

Rance Stacey is out from Wallowa looking after business matters.

Mrs. Elmer Fulp has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. L. Brazille visited her daughter

Mrs. Fred Myers, of Hot Lake, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Becker made a business trip to La Grande Wednesday. Ray Comstock has rented the J. M. Gasset farm five miles north of Cove. He will move there about March 1st. L. A. Gasset, who now lives there will move to La Grande for two or three months and will then go to his home-stand in Crook county.

T. B. Johnson visited Imbler, Alice and other points in the valley this week.

Mt. Glen Items.

Mrs. Geo. Evans, who has been seriously ill for some time is greatly improved at this writing.

Haukins Mitchell has just finished installing the Farmers Cooperative Telephone. Mr. Mitchell says now he can call up the neighbors and ask how the whooping cough and mumps are.

Mrs. Bessie Leak and daughter Gladys are able to be around again. W. W. Rogers says he is the busiest man in Mt. Glen. He has been steadily employed as carpenter all winter.

Archib Mitchell has been logging for some time to Feik's mill.

Mrs. M. J. Feik has completely recovered from a siege of La Grippe.

Whooping cough and mumps are running riot in Mt. Glen.

There is one dog less in this neighborhood, Wednesday noon a stray dog came to A. J. Feik's place attacking his sheep, chewing one of them very badly about the head, before a gun could be had.

The stark visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Waite, leaving a baby boy.

Mrs. Ella Smalley of Walla Walla, is visiting with her parents W. M. Evans of this place.

Logging is in full swing at the Feik's saw mill.

Peter Allen is greatly improved after a prolonged illness.

Joe and Fred Leak are cutting cord wood for Plumer Carlton.

Yamhill Bar Has Objections.

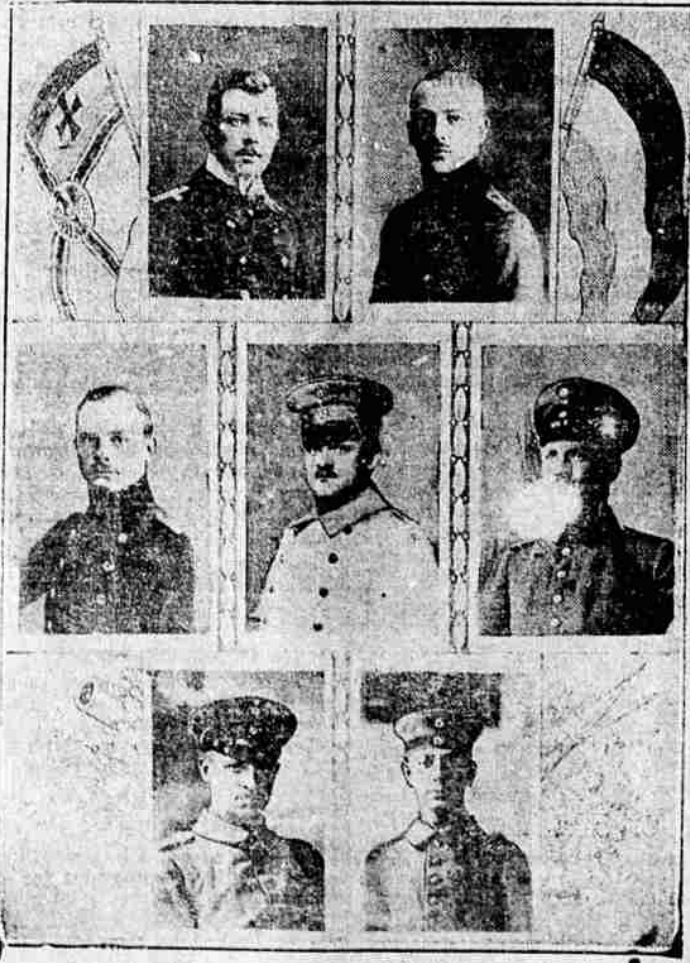
That the proposed bill reorganizing the judiciary of the state is attracting much attention from the bar is evident from resolutions from various counties. Last week, Baker attorneys passed a resolution condemning the bill, which would lose to Baker its county judge and transfer his duties to the circuit judge, and which would also create a new court out of circuit judges, called a court of appeal, with limited jurisdiction in appealed cases. Yamhill attorneys have come forward with objections to being attached on to Tillamook and with others, but approve the bill otherwise. The resolution says:

At a meeting of the McMinnville bar for the consideration of senate bill number 73 for the reorganization of the judiciary, resolutions were adopted setting forth that Yamhill county is of sufficient importance judicially to be given a circuit judge of her own without being grouped to other counties, advocating the salary of all circuit judges to be \$3000, except those in Multnomah county, which should be \$3600; recommending that only one court of appeals be created and that it be located in Portland, and composed of five circuit judges selected from the circuit judges of the state by the chief justice of the supreme court from time to time.

He's 57 Today.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, today celebrated his 57th birthday anniversary.

SEVEN KOHLERS GONE TO THE WAR.



This exact reproduction of a German photograph illustrates as much as any that has come from Germany the reason for the tremendous power the fatherland has shown in the war. Here are seven brothers, every one of whom is in the army. They have various ranks and have had varying fortunes, but they were all sent forth

by Herr Kohler, their father, to fight for Germany. It shows the spirit of many Germans who have been willing to sacrifice all for their country. In England every agency has been used to persuade young men to enlist, but the Kaiser would not have found it possible to raise his immense army without backing by the people, as is shown by what this photo represents.

Professional Directory

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. holds regular meetings first and third Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all Masons.
J. J. BROUGHTON, W. M.
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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 cordially invited to attend.

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F. O. E.—La Grande Aerie No. 259 on each and every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in top floor of New Foley building. Visiting members cordially welcomed.

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