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Washington June 23.—The Government buildings at the St. Louis and Oark Exposition will be located on the Peninsula site.

This conclusion was reached by the Government this evening after giving a hearing to Director General Goode and considering the report of Special Agent Roberts. The board is assured this site is safe.

Married

OLIVER KNAPP.—In this city at the Residence of Elder Jacob Devine, June 22, 1904, Jobo W Oliver and Mrs Almira Knapp, Elder Devine officiating.

The contracting parties are both well and favorably known in this city and county and their many friends join with the Observer in offering congratulations and wishing them a long and prosperous matrimonial life.

GIRL WHO SHOT

BETRAYER EXONERATED

La Junta, Colo., June 23.—Lulu Adams, who shot and killed Patrick H King, Jr., last February, has been discharged by the jury, the latter holding that the shooting was justifiable. On the stand the defendant testified that King had betrayed her under promise of marriage and then refused to carry out his promise. She also swore that she was insane at the time she fired the shot that killed King.

13,682 Miles

The steamship, Nabrakian, after a journey of 55 days and a voyage of 13,682 miles from New York round Cape Horn, touching at San Francisco, reached Portland Oregon on Tuesday morning. For fuel this ship used oil during the entire trip. She brought 2,200 tons of cargo to San Francisco and 2,000 tons of general merchandise for Portland. She will take cargo to Hawaii from Portland.

Miner Returns

Baker City June 23.—Mr L O Nelson son of L W Nelson the original owner of the celebrated Nelson Placer Mines seven miles west of Baker City after an absence of a number of years has returned to Baker City and is quite enthusiastic over the prospects of the big placers at Sanger some thirty miles east of Baker City which is virgin ground now being opened by the Oregon Grant Gold Mining Company of which Mr Nelson is vice-president and manager.

Still Leads

Washington, June 23.—The navy department today awarded the battleship Oregon the trophy for excellence in gunnery in the last annual target practice for which the ships of the navy have been in competition.

From Hawaii.

Mrs C B Wade arrived on the early morning Portland train from Hawaii. She is in good health, but Mr Wade, who is in Honolulu, is by no means enjoying good health, but is yet very frail. She is a guest of her son Guy while in the city.

Professor Caniner, the new Oregon composer of music has accepted a chair in the Pacific College is rapidly coming known as one of the leading institutions of learning in the state.

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THE MARKETS

(June 21)

Liverpool—July wheat 6 s 2 1-4 d, New York—Silver 55 1-2; Union Pacific 87 1-2; Pfd 91 1-2.
Chicago—July wheat opened 84 3-8 to 3-4; closed 84 1-8; barley 43 5-8; flax 101; Northern 107 1-2.
San Francisco—Wheat 126 1-4; Portland—Wheat Walla Walla 60; Bluestem 77; Valley 78; cattle best steers 3 50; medium 3 25; cow 3 00.
Tacoma—Wheat Bluestem 80; Club 70.

Special Excursion to the World's Fair.

The Denver and Rio Grande, in connection with the Missouri Pacific, will run a series of personally conducted excursions to the World's fair during June. These excursions will run through to St. Louis without change of cars, making short stops at principal points enroute. The first of these excursions will leave Portland June 7, and the second June 17. The rate from La Grande will be \$20 to St. Louis and return. Excursionists going via the Denver & Rio Grande have the privilege of returning by a different route. This is the most pleasant way, as well as the most delightful route to cross the continent. The stops arranged give an opportunity of visiting in and about Kansas City. If you wish to accompany one of these excursions write at once to W C Mc Bride, 124 Third street, Portland, for Sleeping car reservations.



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Not Unanimous

The ex-confederates and their northern sympathizers persistently assume that the south during the slaveholders rebellion of 1861-5 were unanimous in their sentiment and active in support of the confederacy. This is done for the purpose of stifling sympathy in the north for union men down there by making them believe the loyal people down there are all black. There were thousands and tens of thousands of white union people in the South during the rebellion as is manifest from statistics recently collected by Mr C G Lee said to be authority on Civil war statistics. He gives out the following figures. There were 6,000,000 men in the confederate armies and the same time there were 316,424 men from the south, serving in the Union armies. The fact that more than half as many southern men served in the Union armies as in the confederate armies effectually refutes the idea of unanimity of rebel sentiment down in Dixie.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS

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Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the La Grande Irrigation Company at the Company's office 1110 Adams Avenue, on Friday July 22nd, 1904 at 7:30 o'clock P. M. of said day for the purpose of electing a board of Directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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NO. 1 5:50 a. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Portland, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane and 3 1/2 via Spokane.	NO. 4 8:30 a. m.
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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Wm A Spiekemire, of Alsea, Oregon, claims to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Monday, the 29th day of August, 1904. He names as witnesses: John Baldwin and Joseph Foust of Alsea, Oregon; Judson Trimmer and George Richards of La Grande, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of August, 1904.

E. W. Davis, Register.

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