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after conduct the same.

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THE MARKETS

(July 19) Liverpool-July wheat 6 s 9d,

New York-Silver 58 3-8; Union Pa cific; Pfd 93 1-2. Chicago—July wheat opened 87 1-2

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FRIDAY EVENING JULY 22, 1904

FOUNDER OF NEW JAPAN.

American residents in Tokyo, acting with a large number of native Japanese connected with the government of the empire, have inaugrated a movement looking to the erection of a suitable monument to Commodore old Japan fifty years ago and public opinion that sheltered made new Japan possible. New York is responding. Within wo weeks the sum of \$6,550 has has been paid over to Secretary Charles C. Jackson, of the American branch of the committee, and other cities ought to

It is probable Commodore Perry knocked rather loudly at the doors of old Japan-at any rate he knocked with a force that opened them and paved the way to the negotiation and ratification of a treaty which secured advantageous commercial relations with the empire, with not one shred of the humiliating conditions to which the Hollander had submitted in his anxiety for preferences in trade relations The Japanese are grateful for the knocking at their doors, and are enthusiastic over the proposition to commemorate the great work of the strenuous American knocker. Without him Japan would be today something as China was before Japan trounced her, and something very much on the order of Korea, with the Russian clutching at her throat and the Japanese government, with the shadow away. for Koreans only. The name of Perry deserves well of Amerirightful appreciation of the work of Perry fifty years ago

The La Grande Commercial Club should take up the matter of good roads leading in to La Grande. We need the farming people to make this town grow as it should and there is no better way to get them to come to a town than to have good roads thereto. The winter is not the time to build roads Roads can only be made when the weather is such that men and teams can work to advantage. Let the Club take this matter up at once

The thunder shower last evenng was not general over the If you do not receive your Observer valley and therefore there was very little loss to the farmers. It valley for there is a great quantity of bay down and the loss to the farmers would have If you are lauquid, depressed and been considerable. The beet incapable for work, at indicates that growers can congratulate them-your liner is out of order. Herbine will assist nature to throw off headaches, rheumatism and ailments akin the beet fields were begining to ainly been an ideal season for

When you are writing to your It friends in the east who you chills and fever." 50cts a bottle. Lewis and Clark fair do not forget to invite them to stop off a few days in L. Grande. We have a splendid valley and want them to know exactly how good a valley we realy have. There is but one way to impress upon a 90, Barley 42 50; Northwestern 115 them the richness and beauty of this valley and that is to show it to them.

> The patrons of the Electric light Company are to be congratulated upon the spleudid

Since the reconstruction work has been commenced there has been a vast improvement in the quality and quantity of the light furnished. Let the good work go on.

Bob Fitzsımmons was arrested at Coney Island last Sundey and neither fought the cop with fists or jaw. The latter being the extraordinary feature.

Judge Parker is so popular in the neighborhood of Esopus that the whole State will refuse to tear him away.

LAW AND ORDER.

The people of Oregon are from onvictions, a law atiding and law respecting people. There over was a time in the history of Oregon when there was a law breakers. Like all other states the people have found uncongenial and distastefuly laws upon their Statute books but the over-whelmning public sentiment of the people has ever been to enforce the laws that are on the statutes, and get rid of NOTICE OF STREET
IMPROVEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that at a regular to pronounce on the wisdom of laws, and by Judicial phrases, and refusals to act set at naught statutes. The legislature enacts laws, and it is the swarn duty of the courts to enforce them, but our state constitution no where gives to courts county or municoiple officers the option as to what laws they will enforce.

Mr. Davis and his check book may work over time but it will take something more to carry West Virginia. The Mountain State has views of her own.

France recognizes the fact that Hay isn't a man of straw.

Maybe Japan hasent time to send out figures of Russian losses. Just keeps peggin's away.

FOLLEY'S

NOTICE OF STREET
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Notice is hereby given, that at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oregon, held on the sith day of July A D., 1904, 1814 that a regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande Union County, Oregon. bad laws by repealing them. Our people do not beleive that

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Notice is 'ereby given that at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of La Grande, Oragon, held on the 6th day of July A D, 1904, O Street in the City of La -randa, Oragon was ordered improved by the construction of a seven (7) foot side-walk along the south side of O street between Fourth and Cedar Streets, said side-walk to be constructed by the abbutting property owners on or before the 7th day of September A D 1904 and to be constructed as follows, to—wit: The top of the walk shall consist of plank, one and one half inches by eight inches, of pine wood, seven feet long. pine wood, seven feet long.
The top of the walk shall be supported by not less than four stringers of tamerack or fir wood and shall not be less than two inches by si luches, and shall be laid upon sills of tamerack or fir wood not less than four lands or fir wood not less than four

tamarack or fir wood not less than four inches by four inches; said sills shall not be more than eight feet spart. The outside stringers shall not be more than three inches from outside of the walk, and shall join end to end; all other stringers shall lap; and all shall be solidly sailed together with not less that 20d, wire nails; covering shall be put on and solidly nailed to the stringers with two 20d, nails in each board on each stringer.

Notice is hereby further, given that unless said side-walk is constructed by the abutting property owners in the marner aforesaid, on or before, the 7th day of September, A. D., 1904 that the same will be constructed by the City of La Grande, Oregon and alien taken against the abutting property for the expenses of constructing the same.

Dated at La-Graude, Oregon, this oth day of July A. D., 1904.

Chester P. Newlin Recorder of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

IN THE COUNTY COURT, FOR THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF OREGON. In the matter of the estate of Citation

To William H. Wood and Percy M. Wood, GREETING.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia Br., Evanaville, ind., wrees: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Poley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gavs me great reliet, and after taking the second bottle I was said all the first bottle gavs me great reliet, and after taking the second bottle I was said all cared."

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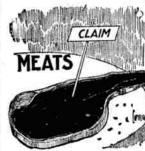
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