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Communication

To the Editor of the Observer:—
I wish through the columns of your paper to call attention to an injustice which is being perpetrated upon the stock owners of this valley. Under the present system of impounding stock, there is absolutely no protection granted to the non-resident stock owner. Under the method now in force of taking up and disposing of impounded stock, the valley stock man may lose his stock and never receive an intimation of where his stock has gone, or how it has disappeared. I am fully aware of the necessity of enforcing the ordinances regulating the running of stock within the city limits, but I do protest against the taking up of range stock which may happen to drift through this city and selling them without due and proper notice. It is a fact which we must admit that there are many head of range cattle which are annually taken through this city to the range in the hills, and it is a well known fact that many of these cattle and horses after being taken to the hills become dissatisfied and return to their valley pastures. In order for them to return to their winter homes they must pass through the city of La Grande. This class of stock does not belong in this city and if allowed to pass through unmolested they will not remain in the city long, but will drift on through and soon be at their original home. Now I do not think it fair to the stock men of this valley to stop transient stock and impound them and sell them with the limited notice which has heretofore been given. If they must be sold it seems to me that in justice to the non-resident owner, that the notice of sale containing a good and sufficient description should be published in a newspaper. Only the other day I saw two range animals sold by the city authorities, which, had the owners known they were in the city pound would have been taken out and taken back to the range. I can see no justice in taking up range stock which is only passing through the city in order to get home, and I believe if absolute justice was to be done the non-resident stock man, the poundmaster would be instructed to drive this transient stock out of the city and allow them to drift on to their proper place, instead of taking them up and after holding them a given number of days, and after posting a small notice, sell them to the highest bidder. To the stock man this looks very much as if the city of La Grande was taking an unfair if not a mean advantage.

Yours very respectfully
G. W. THOMAS.

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Budapest July 18—Prince Luos Esterhazy, who has enormous possessions in Transylvania, is about to erect a church on his estates which will be a model of King Solomon's temple. Prince Esterhazy is a mystic reclus, and for years has been engaged in the study of ancient oriental architecture. He made a special study of the biblical account of the building of Solomon's temple, and while he does not intend to lavish an expenditure on cedar, gold and ivory as marked the venture of the Hebrew king his church will be an exact copy of the original.

Peary Has Sailed

New York July 18—Lieutenant Robert E. Peary Sunday started on his long journey in quest of the north pole. His ship, the Roosevelt, which had been lying in the North river opposite Thirtieth street since Saturday night, a week ago, weighed anchor and got under way ten minutes after 3 p. m.

On board the vessel besides the explorer's party were a number of guests and newspaper men who accompanied the ship as far as Sandy Hook, where they were taken off by a navy yard tug sent out by Admiral Conshlin.

A launch bearing a party of excursionists attempted to run in alongside of the ship when she was under way and nearly collided with her.

The Roosevelt was saluted by all manner of steam and sailing craft on her way to sea. She passed out the Narrows at 4:45 p. m.

Spoiled Her Beauty

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th st., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Rucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at Newlin Drug Co drug store.

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