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Of New York.

The deeper Germany gets into the mire over her Chinese policy the more will the American nation congratulate itself upon its wise and conservative leaders.

The spectacle of the British government shaping its foreign policy upon lines laid down by the United States never was seen in the good old Democratic days.

Canada is to receive an influx of seven thousand subjects of the peace-loving czar, who have been driven from Russia by persecution on account of their religious views.

The policy of demanding from China the surrender of her citizens to foreign powers for punishment will set a dangerous precedent likely to recoil at some future time upon the nation which now presents it.

No one believes that Mr. Bryan favored the brutal assault of the mob of Colorado Democrats upon Governor Roosevelt. It was too striking an example of the result of the good old Democratic doctrine of the righteousness of popular disregard and disrespect for law and order.

The last issue of Finance contains an instructive article by J. A. Joseph on the financial status of our country. It shows how since the close of the civil war and the "crime of 73"—of which we hear so little during the present campaign—our position has been entirely reversed. Then we were a great debtor nation, and our bonds had been selling at London for fifty cents on the dollar. Now we are the creditor nation of the world, and the richest people in existence, and the movement during the present administration has been steadily upward. Mr. Joseph paints a glowing picture of the outlook for the future, incidentally remarking that "only the game of politics keeps the bed of speculation under a wet blanket." The danger of a reversal of the present upward financial tendency by a return to the party rule and policies of the Democracy cannot be too often reiterated and impressed upon the mind of every voter. The real issue is the issue of prosperity. We know we enjoy prosperity, we know how we got it and we know how we can keep it. Shall we or shall we not render futile that knowledge for the sake of placing Aguinaldo in a position to massacre all the Filipinos who have shown themselves friendly to us?

TRUSTS FROM THE STANDPOINT OF LABOR.

D. F. Kennedy, organizer of the American Federation of Labor, has issued in pamphlet form a thoughtful paper upon the trusts as viewed from the standpoint of organized labor. Mr. Bryan and other office-seeking champions of the oppressed would do well to show an array of argument against the trusts which could compare with their defense by Mr. Kennedy, either in cogency of reasoning or accuracy of statement.

Mr. Kennedy believes that the trust is the inevitable result of industrial evolution and, like all other forms of progress, is destined to bless the race. While all progress brings destruction of the weak and inefficient who stick to the ancient ruts, the greater good to the many is the paramount consideration.

He does not contend that trusts are organized from philanthropic motives, any more than were the inventions of Edison put upon the market for any other purpose than his own advantage, but that the higher law which governs all makes even the selfishness of individuals contribute to the public weal.

The trust brings about scientific production, or the maximum of product from the minimum of effort and expense. It arrives at the goal for which competition, so much lauded, strives comparatively in vain—the cheap production and sale of goods. Mr. Kennedy considers competition "most relentless and heartless," the cause of many a cut in wages and of the closing of many a factory and consequent idleness of its employes. He says, furthermore:

"Competitive production has always resulted in glutted markets at one time with losses to those that handle the goods during the slump in prices. At other times there is a shortage in production. Then the consumer suffers as a result of high prices. What is needed most is fair prices and stability. These can not be had through competitive production. We must all concede that trust production and distribution can maintain a low price and make that price uniform and stable."

As an example of the possibilities of aggregate production, Mr. Kennedy cites the much-defamed Standard Oil trust. While in many branches of competitive industry wages have been lowered, this great organization, through its very immensity, has been enabled to recently raise the wages of its army of employes ten per cent, has improved the quality of its oil and reduced the wholesale price from 23 to 8 cents per gallon in eighteen years.

Mr. Kennedy concludes that "trusts and tradee unions are the best example of the triumph of mind over its environment," and that the kind of legislation required in dealing with the trust question is regulative and not restrictive.

"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. Jas. Forest, of Cheppewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

It is always considered unlucky to get married on Friday—or usually on any other day.

A good many consumptives would be cured and the worst cases comforted and relieved by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Suggest it to those afflicted. You should do this as a friend. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The man who goes about wishing he was never born is not the only man who regrets it.

Ulcers, open or obstinate sores, scalds and piles, quickly cured by Banner Salve, the most healing medicine in the world. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

When we know the weakness of eminent persons, it consoles us for our inferiority.

Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy Foley's Kidney Cure," while J. A. Spero, of Helmer, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age." CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

An ounce of prevention is not worth a pound of cure in the pork-packing business.

HOW BRIGHT'S DISEASE STARTS.

Indigestion, biliousness, blood poisoned with urea and uric acid (which should have been excreted by the kidneys), rheumatic pains in nerves and joints, causing irritation of the kidneys, then pains over the small of the back, mark sure approach of Bright's disease. Do not delay taking Foley's Kidney Cure, for it makes the kidneys right. Take no substitute. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Time works wonders. So would men if they put in twenty-four hours a day as Time does.

HALF THE WORLD IN DARKNESS

as to the cause of their ill health. If they would start to treat their kidneys with Foley's Kidney Cure, the weariness of body and mind, backache, headache and rheumatic pains would disappear. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Thirteen is an unlucky number to have at table—if there is only dinner for twelve.

NO RELIEF FOR 20 YEARS.

"I had bronchitis for twenty years," said Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., "and at times have been bedfast. I never got relief until I had taken Foley's Honey and Tar. It is pleasant and gives quick relief, and is a sure cure for throat and lung disease." Take nothing else. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Commercial Street from West line of 10th to West line of 8th Street.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2541 of the City of Astoria, Oregon, entitled "An ordinance confirming 'Special Assessment Roll No. 34' for the improvement of Commercial Street from the West line of 10th Street to the West line of 8th Street" approved Sept. 14, 1900, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the City Treasurer on Sept. 27th, 1900, and if not so paid at said time the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same.

The assessment is as follows:

BADOLLET, JOHN PAUL	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 5 block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	$ 13.90
BADOLLET, JOHN PAUL	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 6, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
BADOLLET, JOHN PAUL	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	4.64
BADOLLET, JOHN PAUL	Undivided quarter of west 14 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	1.30
BADOLLET, DORA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 5, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
BADOLLET, DORA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 6, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
BADOLLET, DORA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	4.64
DEMENT, JOHN C	Lot 1, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	74.12
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of Lot 5, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of Lot 6, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of Lot 7, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of Lot 8, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of lot 3, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of Lot 4, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	37.06
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of north half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	27.79
FLAVEL, MARY C	Undivided half of north half and east 36 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	34.46
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 5, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 6, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 7, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 8, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 3, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 4, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of north half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	9.26
FLAVEL, G. C	Undivided one-sixth of north half and east 36 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	11.49
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 5, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 6, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 7, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 8, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 3, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 4, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of north half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	9.26
FLAVEL, NELLIE	Undivided one-sixth of north half and east 36 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	11.49
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 5, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 6, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 7, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 8, block 25, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 3, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of Lot 4, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	12.35
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of north half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	9.26
FLAVEL, KATIE	Undivided one-sixth of north half and east 36 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	11.49
HAMILTON, J. F	Lot 2, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	74.12
HOWELL, JENNIE	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 5, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
HOWELL, JENNIE	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 6, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
HOWELL, JENNIE	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	4.64
HOWELL, JENNIE	Undivided quarter of west 14 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	1.30
MASONIC B. & L. ASSOCIATION	North half of Lot 3, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	65.59
MASONIC B. & L. ASSOCIATION	North half of Lot 4, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	65.59
SPELLMIER, H	South half of Lot 3, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	18.53
SPELLMIER, H	South half of Lot 4, block 27, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	18.53
TRULLINGER, GEORGIA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 5, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
TRULLINGER, GEORGIA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 6, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	13.90
TRULLINGER, GEORGIA	Undivided quarter of south half of Lot 1, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	4.64
TRULLINGER, GEORGIA	Undivided quarter of west 14 feet of south half of Lot 2, block 26, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	1.30
WISE, MORRIS	North half of Lot 5, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	18.53
WISE, MORRIS	North half of Lot 6, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	18.53
WRIGHT, MARGARET J	Lot 7, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	74.12
WRIGHT, MARGARET J	Lot 8, block 24, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	74.12

By order of the Common Council of Astoria, Oregon.
Attest:
H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon.
Astoria, Oregon, Sept. 15, 1900.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Seventh Street from North line of Bond Street to South line of Astor Street.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by ordinance No. 2542, of the City of Astoria, Oregon, entitled: "An ordinance confirming 'Special Assessment Roll No. 35' for the improvement of Seventh Street from the North line of Bond Street to the South line of Astor Street" approved Sept. 14, 1900, will be due and payable in United States gold coin at the office of the City Treasurer on Sept. 27, 1900, and if not so paid at said time the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection of the same.

The assessment is as follows:

ERICKSON, AUGUST	Lot 4, block 11, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	$125.04
FORD, HUGH	Lot 3, block 11, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	41.68
HYLAND, MARTHA E	Lot 6, block 11, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	41.68
HACKLEMAN, A	Undivided half of Lot 1, block 10, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	62.52
MONTEITH, IMA H	Undivided half of Lot 1, block 10, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	62.52
PATTON, FRANK (Trustee)	Lot 8, block 10, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	125.04
YOUNG, BENJAMIN	Lot 2, block 10, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	41.68

The following is payable in installments, the first installment due Sept. 27, 1900.

BERGMAN, ISAAC	Lot 7, block 10, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	41.68
PROGRESSIVE BUILDING AND LAND ASSOCIATION	Lot 5, block 11, City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure	125.04

By order of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Oregon.
Attest:
H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Oregon.
Astoria, Oregon, Sept. 15, 1900.

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NOTICE FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve or repair all that portion of 12th street in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, from the south line of Commercial street to the north line of Franklin avenue, excepting the crossing at the intersection of 12th street with Exchange street; by replanking said portion of said street from curb to curb with covering plank 4 inches in thickness by 12 inches wide on the present established grade thereof and on the present existing stringers and removing the old planking therefrom.

Said repairs shall be made in conformity with the specifications therefor to be filed with the auditor and police judge by the city surveyor.

That the costs and expenses of said repairs or improvement shall be defrayed by special assessments upon the lots, land and premises benefited by the making of said repairs or improvement which said lots, lands and premises are hereby included within a special assessment district to be assessed pro-rata to defray the costs and expenses of making said repairs, which said district is as follows, to-wit; Commencing at the northwest corner of lot number five (5) in block number sixty-one (61) and running thence south and parallel with the east line of blocks 61, 64 and 65 to the southwest corner of lot 10 in block sixty-five (65), thence east along the south line of blocks 65 and 67 to the east line of said town of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, thence north along said east line of said McClure's Astoria to the northeast corner of lot four (4) in block sixty-two (62), thence west along the north line of blocks 61 and 62 to the place of beginning, and containing all of blocks 62, 66 and 67 and lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in each of blocks 61, 64 and 65, all in the town (now city) of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney and generally known as McClure's Astoria.

That the city surveyor of said city has been directed to forthwith prepare and file with the auditor and police judge of said city estimates of the costs and expenses of making said repairs or improvement and specifications for said proposed repairs or work.

This notice is published in the Morning Astorian for eight days in pursuance to a resolution of the Common Council directing the same, duly adopted on Monday, the 17th day of Sept. 1900, the first publication of this notice being on the 22nd day of Sept., 1900.

H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve Commercial street, in the City of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, in Clatsop county, State of Oregon, from the west line of Seventh street to the east line of Third street, by grading the same to the established grade throughout the entire width thereof and planking the same from curb to curb from the west line of Seventh street to the east line of Sixth street, and planking the same to the width of sixteen feet through the center thereof from the west line of Sixth street to the east line of Third street, and the construction of side walks on both sides of said portion of

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said street eight feet wide from Third street to Seventh street, and the construction of gutters on each side of said portion of said street from Third street to the west line of Sixth street, which gutters shall be connected with a catch basin to be placed in the sewer at the northwest corner of the crossing of Sixth street with said Commercial street. The planking of the street to be twelve inches wide by four inches in thickness; and all material used shall be of good, sound red or yellow fir lumber. Said improvement in matters of detail shall be made in conformity with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1901, entitled "An ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets," except as herein otherwise provided.

That the costs and expenses of making said improvement shall be defrayed by special assessment upon the lots, lands and premises specially benefited by said improvement, which said lots, lands and premises are hereby included within a special assessment district to be assessed pro-rata to defray the costs and expenses of making said improvement, which said district is as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of lot five (5) in block twenty-two (22), and running thence west through the middle of blocks 22, 21 and 20 and 19, to the northwest corner of lot eight (8), in block 19, thence south to the southwest corner of lot number one (1) in block thirty-two (32), thence east through the middle of blocks 32, 31, 29 and 29 to the southeast corner of lot four (4) in block twenty-nine (29), thence north to the place of beginning and containing lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, in each of blocks 19, 20, 21 and 22, and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, in each of blocks 29, 30, 31 and 32, all in the town (now city) of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure, and which said district includes all lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement.

That the city surveyor of said city has been directed to forthwith prepare and deposit with the auditor and police judge of said city specifications for said proposed improvement and estimates of the costs and expenses thereof.

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H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Astoria does intend to improve and has declared its intention to improve 17th street in the city of Astoria, in Clatsop county, Oreg., as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively from the south line of Commercial street to the north line of Franklin avenue in the following manner, to-wit:

From the south line of Commercial street to the north line of Exchange street, said street is to be improved by removing all planking, caps and underpinning, inclusive of sidewalks and underpinning, and putting in new underpinning and planking the street upon the established grade thereof throughout the full width thereof between sidewalks and constructing sidewalks 10 feet wide on the sides of the street and from the north line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue by grading said street to the established grade throughout the width thereof and planking the same to a width of 20 feet through the center thereof and constructing on the sides thereof sidewalks planked 8 feet in width and with the curbs thereof two feet toward the center of the

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street from the edge of the sidewalk planking and placing or constructing gutters along the curbs of the sidewalks. The planking for the street is to be 4 inches thick and 12 inches wide as to all parts to be improved and at the crossings the street is to be planked throughout the entire width thereof.

That the costs and expenses of said improvement (except the crossings) shall be defrayed by special assessment upon lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement within the special assessment district hereinafter designated, which said special assessment district includes all lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement and is described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot three in block one hundred and thirty-three (133) in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively, and running thence southerly in a straight line to the southwest corner of lot ten in block one hundred and thirteen and running thence easterly on a straight line to the southeast corner of lot nine in block one hundred and twelve and running thence northerly on a straight line to the northeast corner of lot four in block one hundred and thirty-two and running thence westerly on a straight line to the point of beginning, all of said district being in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by J. M. Shively.

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H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve 10th street in the city of Astoria as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Grand avenue, excepting the crossing of said portion of 10th street with Franklin avenue, by grading that portion thereof from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Franklin avenue to the established grade from the curb of the sidewalk on the west side of said portion of said street to the east line thereof, and by grading that portion thereof from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue to the established grade throughout the entire width thereof; and by planking said portion of said street from the south line of Exchange street to the north line of Grand avenue to the width of twenty feet through the center thereof with plank 12 inches wide by 4 inches in thickness and 20 feet long, and by the construction of a sidewalk eight feet wide on the east side of said portion of said street from Exchange street to Grand avenue and a sidewalk eight feet wide on the west side of said portion of said street from the south line of Franklin avenue to the north line of Grand avenue, with the construction of gutters on both sides of said portion of said street. The material to be used in said improvement shall be good, sound red or yellow fir lumber and said improvement shall be made in matters of detail except as herein otherwise provided according to the provisions of Ordinance No. 1901, entitled "An Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets" and the plans and specifications therefor to be filed with the auditor and police judge by the city surveyor.

That the costs and expenses of said improvement shall be defrayed by special assessment upon the lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement within the special assessment district hereinafter designated which said special assessment district includes all lots, lands and premises benefited by said improvement and which is described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of lot two (2) in block number forty-five (45), and running thence south through the middle of blocks 45 and 71 to the southeast corner of lot seven (7), in block seventy-one (71), thence west along the south line of blocks 71 and 72 to the southwest corner of lot number six (6) in block seventy-two (72), thence north through the middle of blocks 72 and 46 to the northwest corner of lot three (3), in block forty-six, thence east in a straight line to the place of beginning, and containing the east one-half of blocks 72 and 46 and the west one-half of blocks 71 and 45, all in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, as laid out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Olney, generally known as McClure's Astoria.

That the city surveyor of the city of Astoria has been directed to forthwith prepare and file with the auditor and police judge of said city estimates of the costs and expenses of said improvement and specifications for said proposed work or improvement.

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H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that a certificate of the completion of the improvement of Ninth street from the north line of Bond street to the south line of Astor street, under ordinance No. 2528, of the City of Astoria, relating to the improvement of said street; by J. K. Wirt, the contractor, has been filed in the office of the auditor and police judge of said city, by the superintendent of streets, city surveyor and committee on streets and public ways, and that unless objections are made to the acceptance of said street, the same will be accepted at the next meeting of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, to-wit, on Monday, the 1st day of October, 1900.

H. E. NELSON,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.

THE LOUVRE

Strangers visiting in the city will find the Louvre an attractive resort wherein to spend the evening. The Amme Sisters Ladies' Orchestra is still on the bills and presents nightly a musical program of exceptional merit. Handsome pool and billiard rooms are a feature in connection with the house. Palatable lunches will be served at all hours