

ALDER STREET PROTEST IN COURT

CITY OFFICIALS SAY THE UNWANTING PROTEST OF PROPERTY OWNERS MAY NOT DEFEAT THE REPORT OF THE VIEWERS BEING ADOPTED—COURTS AMBITIOUS...

If any of the Alder street residents are laboring under the impression that any amount of protest against the report of the viewers who reported in favor of paying \$16,000 in damages will in itself secure the defeat of the report...

But it transpires that the report of the viewers is on a different question and a different method of procedure must be taken to defeat the proposal...

"It will not in itself, if every property owner on the street should object to it would make no difference so far as the adoption of the viewers' report is concerned. The proper mode of procedure in such cases is an appeal to the courts."

Mayor Williams was of the opinion that the council would not approve the report of the viewers and considered it likely that the residents of Alder street would not have to take the question to the courts.

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OMAHA MAY ASK COURT'S MERCY

MRS. KATE JAMES TO TELL JUDGE HER REASONS THAT SHE TOOK CLAIMS ILLEGALLY IN THE LA GRANDE DISTRICT—FIGURES IN CUNNINGHAM CASE.

In all likelihood a conference which has been on all day today between attorneys representing people suspected of complicity in the Cunningham land frauds in the La Grande district, on one side, and United States District Attorney Hall, on the other side, will result in a woman well past middle life appearing before Judge Belonger at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, pleading guilty and asking the court for mercy.

The woman referred to is Mrs. Kate James of Pendleton. While the news of her attorney, J. T. Hinkle, of Pendleton, arrived at the Hotel Perkins this morning from Pendleton, Attorney Hinkle immediately sought the United States attorney, and asked the latter if he would be willing that Mrs. James be shown mercy by the court, on condition of her past good record and the fact that she would save the government the costs of a long and expensive prosecution suit in the courts.

According to the story being told by Attorney Hinkle, Mrs. James took the fraudulent claim when her son-in-law had convinced her that other people were doing the same thing, and that no harm was being done.

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WAR DEPARTMENT WILL BUY FORAGE

LOCAL DISTRIBUTING QUARTERMASTER REQUESTS BIDS ON HAY AND GRAIN TO BE SHIPPED TO MARINA—BIDS OPENED JUNE 4.

More oats and hay are needed by Uncle Sam in the Philippines. Colonel Jesse M. Baker, local disbursing quartermaster, received a telegram this morning from Quartermaster General Humphrey of Washington, D. C. requesting him to advertise for bids on 3,876 tons of hay and 5,313 tons of oats for shipment to Manila.

Seattle and San Francisco firms were awarded the contracts for furnishing the last government grain and forage advertised for, although the Portland bidders were close competitors. It is believed that the latter will make extra efforts to capture the business this time.

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