WEDNESDAY _____ APRIL 15, 18:5 IMPROVING THE COLUMBIA.

Ar a recent meeting of the Portland board of trade the following res-

olutions were adopted: WHEBBAS, The vast extent of countwo hundred thousand square miles of valuable lands, is entitled to every aid that the national government can extend towards the improvement of its waterways, and the increase of such facilities for the navigation of its lakes and rivers as may cheapen the carriage of its products to the seaboard and to foreign countries. There-

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the chair to consider and report upon the advisability of calling a convention of delegates from commercial bodies and municipalities throughout such parts of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Mon-tana, as are drained by the Columbia river and its tributaries, to concert measures for obtaining from the national government such treatment of the subject as its importance merits and demands:

Resolved, That in the selection of the committee the chair be not restricted to members of this board.

will meet with hearty co-operation in this section of country. The difficulties in the way are great, but the greater the obstacles to success the greater the incentive to overcome them. Unity of effort is essential and determination will win.

THE RIGHT POLICY.

YESTERDAY'S Washington Post prints an interview between Captain Couch, leader of the Oklahoma boomers, and the secretary of the interior, in regard to Oklahoma. Secretary Lamar said:

"What is it you wish?" "I want to know what course the

administration has determined to pursue with refrence to Oklahoma and the settlers," replied Captain Conch. "Well, sir, I will state to you the

policy of this administration with regard to this Oklahoma country," said the secretary. "It considers the Oklahoma territory, on which the persons you represent are proposing to make settlements, as within the part of Indian territory. The administration regards it as not a part of the public domain, open to entry and settlement and acquisition of titles under the laws of the United States. Being Indian country-that is territory acquired and reserved for Indian occupancy-the government is pledged to the protection of the Indians from intruders. No white persons have a right to go there and reside without a permit, and when they go they are intruders, who are there illegally and wrongfully. The policy of the president is to execute the pledge of the governof Cuspop County and is now prepared to
ment, and to protect this territory
Title to any Real Estate in the County, at from intrusion of white persons who reasonable rates. claim they have a right to enter upon it, and that it was public domain, subject to preemption and homestead settlement."

"Is that the final decision?" asked Capt. Couch.

"It is, and it will be enforced," replied Mr. Lamar.

In reply to further questions, Secretary Lamar said the administration was determined there should be no more cattle men on the reservation. They will not be permitted to graze cattle within the limits of that territory. He repeated this declara- 3-Months-old Bull Calves at \$15. tion with emphasis.

THE register and the receiver of the United States land office at Walla Walla have received a telegram from Commissioner Sparks, revoking the order of Acting Commissioner Harri- Gum Boots, Overalls, Shirts, Etc. son, dated March 20, changing the terminal limits of the Northern Paeific railroad in this vicinity. It is believed that the revocation of the Next door to Fourd & Stokes' store, is headorder has been secured by misrepresentation. Great indignation and unea inces are everywhere manifest, Settlers who have purchased railroad lands, who feel that their homes are imperiled, are flocking in and discov. ering various means of protecting GOODS for sale at their rights, and some even swear they will hang or shoot the first man or land-shark who tries to jump their lands. It was the settlers in the first place who demanded the change, and not the railroad company.

THE prospect of an English-Russo Lumber at Reduced Prices. war has already elicited comments regarding the position the two nations assumed when we had our little difficulty. Then England sided with the south, sneered at our generals, eulogized the confederacy, prophesied dissolution, fitted out war vessels, which preyed upon our commerce, and did all she could to aid the south. Russia sent a fleet with instructions to the admiral in command to report at New York and tender his services to President Lin-

coln. England overstepped the conrtesy of nations in gleeful effort to destroy this country. Russia stood by the Union and cheered with comfort and counsel the men who wore the blue.

THERE was a meeting of dairymen in Portland last Monday to form a dairymen's association. The organization was completed by the election of J. B. Knapp as president, H. B. tw dramed by the Columbia river Hathaway as secretary and Plympton a d its tributaries, embracing nearly Kelly treasurer. Much interest was manifested in the subject of the meeting and the dairy interests of Oregon and Washington.

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I am instructed to sell, at my Anction Rooms to the highest bidder, the staunch Sloop Scow "Tillie,"

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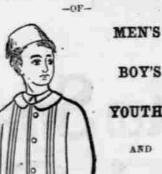
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Astoria, April 14th, 1885.

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE cember 1883, day appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon or the County of Clatsop, ad-aintstrator of the estate of Joseph Duncan, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly verified to me at my residence near Skipanon, Oregon, within six months from this date.

SILAND SMITT

SILAS B. SMITH, Skipanon, Or., March 20th, 1885

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned was on the 5th day of January, 1885, duly appointed by the County of Clatsop, administrator of the estate of than Plenning, deceased: All persons having claims against said estate a e hereby notified to present the same properly verified to me at my office at the Union camery, in Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date.

PETER F. JOHNSON

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Andrew Anderson, plantiff, vs. Beret M.
Anderson, defendant—Divor e.
State of Oregon, County of Claisop, ss.
To Beret M. Anderson, defendant.
In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the compliant filed against you in the above entitled suit by the first day of the next term of said court, to wit: the third Monday, the 18th day of May, 1885, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for a dissibility of the marriage contract between plaintiff and yourself and for such other and further relief as plaintiff may be entitled to.

Service of this summons upon you is made by publication pu suant to an order d dy made by Hou. P. J. Taylor, judge of Said circuit court, dated the 22d day of February, 1885.

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To the above named defendant. Thomas Collins:
In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required? appear and answer plaintiffs complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 18th day of May 1885, that being the first day of the next regular term of sale court to be begun and held in said county at the court house in Astoria, Oregon And you are notified that if you hall to answer said complaint as herein required the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to wit: For a decree of said court desolving the bonds of matrimony now existing netween plaintiff and defendant and for judgment against plaintiff for costs of this suit.

sorth & Johns, Plaintiff's es. F. P. Hennessy Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, to the above named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the compaint of the above named plaintiffs field against you in the above entitled court and action, on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to wit: the 18th day of May, 1885, and if you fail so to do the plaintiffs will take judgment against you for the sum of \$1.105.69 and costs and disbursements, and for the sale under execution of certain personal property attached in this action consisting of carpenter's tools, hardware and building materials. This summons is published by virtue of an order made by the Hon, F. J. Taylor, judge of said court at chambers, on the 1st day of April, 1885.

FULTO'N BROS...

Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Notice of Administratrix Sale.

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Notice Is Hereby Given that by virtue of an order made on the 7th day of April, 1885, by the County Court of Classop County, State of Oregon, I will on the 11th day of May, 1885, at the Court house door of said county, at the hour of two o'clock in the afterneon sell at gubble anction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said court, all the 1tile and interest of the estate of J. W. Robb, deceased, in and to the following described real estate situate in said county, to-wit; Lot No. 5 of block No. 120, and lot No. 6 of block No. 120, in the town of Astoria as 1.4d out and recorded by John McClure and extended by Cyrus Oilney, and lot No. 6 of block No. 55, of the town of Astoria as 1.4d out and recorded by John McClure.

Administratrix of the estate of J. W. Robb.

Administratrix of the estate of J. W. Robb, deceased.

Notice of Administratrix Sale. Notice of Administratrix Sale.

Notice Is Herfey Given that By virtue of an order made by the County Court of Claisop County, State of Oregon, on the 7th day of April, 185, I will on the 11th day of May, 185, at the Court house door in said county, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day sell at public austion to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said court, the following described real estate, to-wit Lot numbered one (1) of block numbered 113, and the east ren feet of lot numbered two (2) of said block, all in the town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John M. Shively in said county.

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Summons.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE stoff Oregon, I r Clatsop County:
J. O. Bozorth and A. F. Johns, partners doing business under the firm name of Bazorth & Johns, Plaintiff's ex. F. P. Hennessy Defendant.
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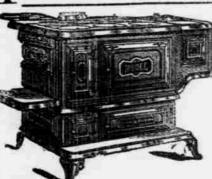
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