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Portland, Oregon,  
April, 16, 1885.

To the Honorable Board of Fire  
Commissioners of Portland.

Gentlemen:

I beg leave of  
you to grant me permission to  
repair a dwelling house on  
lot East half of 8, block 4<sup>9</sup> <sup>Alder St.</sup>  
as follows: To lower the floor and  
build a frontage for store pur-  
poses, as it stands, now it  
is not fit for dwelling or store,  
when it is remodeled it will  
be an improvement for the street  
as well as <sup>for</sup> myself. I would rather  
spend several hundred dollars  
in improving it, than rent it to  
Chinese tenants. I hope you will  
grant me the above statement.

Yours Respectfully,  
Annie Marks.

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W. E. Seely