## DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Dec. 26.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 49; minimum temperature, 40; river reading at 11 A. M., 6.9 feet; change in the past 24 hours, 1.0 foot; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.05 inch; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 14.46 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 18.02 inches; deficiency, 3.56 inches; total sunshine Dec. 25, 0:00; possible sunshine Dec. 25, 8:36.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

| STATIONS. | Max. temp. | Precipitation last 12 hours. | Wind. Velocity. | Wind. Direction. | State of weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Astoria | 50 | 0.08 | 6 | NW | Cloudy |
| Baker City | 42 | ** | 10 | NW | Pt. cloudy |
| Bismarck | 26 | 0.00 | 8 | S | Cloudy |
| Boise | 44 | ** | 6 | NW | Pt. cloudy |
| Eureka | 50 | 0.06 | 20 | N | Clear |
| Helena | 40 | 0.10 | 14 | W | Cloudy |
| Pocatello | 38 | ** | 20 | SW | Pt. cloudy |
| Portland | 49 | 0.03 | 20 | W | Pt. cloudy |
| Red Bluff | 62 | 0.00 | * | SW | Clear |
| Roseburg | 46 | 0.04 | * | NW | Clear |
| Sacramento | 58 | 0.00 | * | NW | Pt. cloudy |
| Salt Lake | 44 | 0.04 | 28 | N | Snow |
| San Francisco | 60 | 0.00 | * | W | Clear |
| Spokane | 42 | 0.00 | 12 | W | Pt. cloudy |
| Seattle | 48 | 0.00 | * | SE | Pt. cloudy |
| Walla Walla | 56 | 0.00 | 14 | SW | Pt. cloudy |

*Light. **Trace.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The storm central yesterday evening over Western British Columbia moved rapidly eastward during the last 24 hours, and now overlies the Rocky Mountain slope. The pressure is highest this evening over Southwestern Oregon.

Light to moderately heavy rains have occurred today in Western Oregon and along the Washington coast. Elsewhere no precipitation of consequence has fallen.

High winds are reported this evening as follows: Astoria, 36 miles, northwest; Spokane, 38, southwest; Walla Walla, 36, southwest; Pocatello, 36, southwest; Kalispell, 36, southwest; Baker City, 34, southwest, and Portland, 32 miles, southwest.

The indications are for cloudy weather in this district Friday, with probably occasional rains west of the Cascades.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Friday, December 27:

Portland and vicinity—Cloudy to partly cloudy, with occasional rains; variable winds.

Oregon—Cloudy to partly cloudy, with probably occasional rain in northwest portion; cooler in southwest portion; south to west winds.

Washington—Probably occasional rain in the west, generally fair in the east portion; cooler in the east portion; south to west winds.

Idaho—Generally fair weather; cooler in the north portion; south to west winds.

A. B. WOLLABER,
Acting Forecast Official.

## AMUSEMENTS.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—
CALVIN HEILIG, Manager
Friday and Saturday nights, Dec. 27-28, Popular Ladies' and Children's Matinee Saturday at 2:15 o'clock, with RESERVED SEATS.
"FOGG'S FERRY."
Evening prices—Lower floor, except last 3 rows, $1; last 3 rows, 75c. Balcony, first 6 rows, 75c; last 6 rows, 50c. Gallery, first 2 rows, 35c; all seats in rear, 25c. Boxes and loges, $7.50. Popular Matinee prices with RESERVED SEATS. Adults, 50c; children under 12 years of age, 25c to any part of the theater. Seats now selling.

CORDRAY'S THEATER—
ONE WEEK, COMMENCING SUNDAY, DEC. 22.
ARTHUR C. AISTON'S NEW YORK COMPANY, representing the latest success,
"AT THE OLD CROSS ROADS,"
"AT THE OLD CROSS ROADS,"
"AT THE OLD CROSS ROADS,"
"AT THE OLD CROSS ROADS,"
By Hal Reid.
MATINEES CHRISTMAS AND SATURDAY.

CORDRAY'S THEATER—
ONE WEEK, COMMENCING SUNDAY, DEC. 29. MATINEES NEW YEAR'S AND SATURDAY.
HARRY BERESFORD,
Under sole management of J. J. Coleman, in Geo. H. Broadhurst's
BEST FARCICAL COMEDY,
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
A CONTINUOUS LAUGH.

THE BAKER THEATER—
GEO. L. BAKER, Mgr.
Phones—Oregon North 1076, Columbia 506. Just three more performances of the ever-popular and long-lived
"OLE OLSON."
"OLE OLSON,"
"OLE OLSON,"
The most successful Swedish comedy-drama ever written—tonight, Saturday Matinee and night. Evening prices—15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Matinee prices—10c, 15c, 25c. Next week, starting Sunday Matinee, "The Irish Pawnbroker."

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SEVENTH AND ALDER STREETS
DE CAPRIO'S ORCHESTRA.
FLYNN'S LONDON GAIETY GIRLS,
in Burlesque.
Armless Wonder.
HUBER.

## AUCTION SALES TODAY.

At 10 A. M., at 182 First st. J. T. Wilson, auctioneer.

At Gilman's auction rooms, 411 Washington st., at 10 A. M. S. L. N. Gilman, auctioneer.

## MEETING NOTICES.

HARMONY LODGE, NO. 12, A. F. & A. M.—Special communication tonight, Dec. 27, at 7:30 o'clock. Joint installation of officers Harmony and Portland Lodges. By order W. M.
E. TAGGART, Sec.

GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT, NO. 28, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening, 8 o'clock, Odd Fellows' Hall, East Side. Patriarchal degree. Visiting Patriarchs welcome.
A. C. SINKS, Scribe.

HAWTHORNE LODGE, NO. 111, A. F. & A. M., will meet in stated communication this (Friday) evening, in conjunction with Washington Lodge, for the purpose of installation of officers. All Master Masons invited. By order of the W. M. F. GLAFKE, JR., Sec.

MOUNT TABOR LODGE, NO. 42, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communication this (Friday) evening at 7:30. Installation of officers. By order of the W. M. W. W. MINAR, Sec.

WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 46, AND HAWTHORNE LODGE, NO. 111, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting this (Friday) evening, Dec. 27, at 7:30 o'clock. Joint installation of officers. All Master Masons cordially invited. By order of the W. M.s.
J. A. NEWELL,
F. GLAFKE, JR., Secy's.

PORTLAND LODGE, NO. 55, A. F. & A. M.—Special meeting this (Friday) evening, 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers for ensuing Masonic year. By order of W. M. Visiting M. M. welcome. I. W. PRATT, Sec.

MYRTLE CHAPTER, NO. 15, O. E. S.—Regular communication this (Friday) evening, in Masonic Temple, at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers. By order W. M.
JENNIE B. PETERSON, Sec.

HASSALO LODGE, NO. 15, I. O. O. F.—Members, as many as can, will meet at the temple at 1:30 P. M. this day (Friday), to attend the funeral of Mrs. Emily Smith, deceased wife of our brother, Dr. E. O. Smith. Funeral from residence, 286 14th st., at 2 o'clock.
HENRY BROWN, Sec.

## DIED.

OLSEN—At St. Vincent's Hospital, Thursday morning, Dec. 26, Harry Olsen, of Goble, aged 16 years.

## FUNERAL NOTICES.

SMITH—The funeral services of the late Mrs. Dr. E. O. Smith will be held at the family residence, 286 14th st., today at 2 P. M. Friends invited. Interment at Riverview cemetery. Services at grave private.

POWER—At St. Vincent's Hospital, Dec. 26, 1901, Miss Margaret Power, aged 21 years, 7 months and 3 days; daughter of Michael Power. Funeral from residence, 902 Missouri ave., Sunday, Dec. 29, at 1 P. M., thence to Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, cor. Williams ave. and Stanton st., at 1:30. Friends invited.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 41h and Yamhill sts. Rena Stinson, lady assistant. Both phones No. 507.

Finley, Kimball & Co., Undertakers. Lady assistant. 275 Third st. Tel. B.

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Fresh ranch eggs, at 30c
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HOUSE, 8 ROOMS; VERY DESIRABLE AND strictly modern; just being completed; A1 location, West Side; for sale at a bargain. Apply to owner, 107 Sherlock building.

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SNAP—VACANT LOT, 16TH AND HALL, $1800. Phone Main 44.

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168 ACRES, 120 ACRES IN CULTIVATION, balance pasture, under good fence, soil rich black loam, good buildings, 4 miles to railroad station, Polk County, a special bargain; $30 per acre. I have other farms for sale ranging in size from 40 acres to 830, and in price from $6.50 to $35. W. O. Waddel, 205½ Morrison st.

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## WANTED—REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—TO LEASE 5 OR 10 ACRES SUITable for poultry raising, within 10 miles of the city. C 55, care Oregonian.

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WILL TRADE SEATTLE AND CHEHALIS property and cash for stock of merchandise. Wm. Murphy, Chehalis, Wash.

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KEEP WARM THESE COLD NIGHTS AND order your coal from Western Feed & Fuel Co., 154 Fifth st. north. Both phones. All kinds coal. Prompt delivery.

New TYPEWRITERS, all makes, RENTED and SOLD. Expert repairing. Office supplies. Const Agency Co., 209½ Stark st.

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Upright pianos, $165, cost $300 3 months ago; Kimball, $250; Estey organ, $35. 104½ First.

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BOOKS BOUGHT, SOLD AND EXCHANGED at the Old Book Store, 229 Yamhill.

## HELP WANTED—MALE.

R. R. SHOVELERS, $2; TEAMSTERS, $2; fallers; buckers; barkers; swampers; buckers, 50c per M.; planer and sticker man, $3; 2 mill carpenters, $2.50; yard men, $1.75; 6 men and teams, R. R., $4; 4, city, $4; one haul wood, 50c cord; machinists and patternmakers, $3 to $3.50; land clearers, $60 acre; woodchoppers, 80c to $1; farm hands and milkers, $20 to $25. Canadian Employment Co., 220½ Morrison. Branches, 247 Burnside and 51 North Third.

WE want men in this city and throughout the state who have had experience as solicitors in life insurance or kindred lines, with references and records as producers; to such we give liberal contract; large income assured to workers; mornings. American Investment Co., Inc.; branch office, 2 Chamber of Com.

WANTED—AGENTS ALL OVER OREGON and Idaho for those elegant American and Standard vapor gas lamps; latest and best; 100 candle-power 3 hours for 1 cent; just the thing for Christmas presents. Pacific Specialty & Gas Lamp Co., 345 Morrison st.

Men to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required. Positions guaranteed. Tools donated. Wages earned while learning. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, San Francisco.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN; TRAVELING POsition; experience unnecessary; salary $60 month and expenses. Plough-Williams Co., Manhattan building, Chicago.

TWO MEN, WITH EXPERIENCE IN SOLiciting life insurance, for old-line company; state references. P 58, care Oregonian.

HEADQUARTERS FOR COOKS, WAITERS and bartenders. California Wine Depot, 146 Fourth, Peter Lowitz, proprietor.

GOOD HUSTLERS WANTED TO WORK either in city or country. Inquire 205 Marquam building, Portland.

BANK DESIRES SERVICES OF TWO HUSTling men to solicit savings accounts. 68 Third, room 4.

WANTED—MAN FOR CARE OF HORSE, cow, garden and general work. B 55, care Oregonian.

FIRST-CLASS PANTSMAKER WANTED AT Borquist & Redling's, Labbe building.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

IMMEDIATELY—COMPETENT SECOND girls, cooks and housekeepers. St. Louis Agency, 230½ Yamhill. Phone Black 2881.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY THAT ATTENDS school to assist in light housework for her board and lodging. Call 80 West Park.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL, COOKING and general housework; three in family; good wages. Apply 95 20th st., cor. Flanders.

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THOSE IN NEED OF WORK CALL AT THE Girls' Club, Mrs. Porter, President, room 15 Russel building, Fourth and Morrison.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER, WITH SMALL child; good home; light wages. St. Louis, 230½ Yamhill. Phone Black 2881.

GOOD GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL housework and cooking. Inquire 128 East Sixth, near East Morrison.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

COOKS, CITY AND COUNTRY; WAITresses, hotels and R.-H.; second girls; chambermaids and 150 housework, $12 to $25. Canadian Parlors, 226½ Morrison.

WANTED—GIRL FOR SECOND WORK AND sewing; also one for cooking and general housework. Apply in morning, 332 16th; cor. Market.

WANTED—COMPETENT COOK; NONE OTHer need apply; references required. 180 King street.

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ACME EMP. BUREAU, 185 MORRISON. Help free to employers. Phone North 2381. Col. 287.

AMATEUR SINGER WANTED; SALARY $25 week. Newman's Theat. Agency, 7th & Alder.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply 871 Corbett st.

COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply to 369 10th st.

WANTED—GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK. 405 First st., flat L.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 365 12th.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—BY TRAVELING SALESMAN, well acquainted with trade in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, two or three good lines; salary or commission. F 55, care Oregonian.

WANTED—BOOKS CLOSED AND OPENED and posting for evenings, by competent and trustworthy accountant. Address L 55, care Oregonian.

WANTED—WORK, BY BRIGHT YOUNG man, well acquainted in city and good city reference. Y 55, care Oregonian.

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## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

### Bookkeepers and Stenographers.

COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER AND BOOKkeeper open for engagement, January 1; 8 years' experience. A 52, Oregonian.

### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—100 LADIES TO WEAR THE "Ultra" $3.50 shoe. "It's comfortable" and fit for a Queen. M. Billings, 229 Morrison st., between First and Second.

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PROFITABLE WORK OFFERED AGENTS in every town to secure subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal and the Saturday Evening Post. We want agents who will work thoroughly and with business system to cover each section with our illustrated little booklets and other advertising matter, and to look sharply after renewals from old subscribers. Permanent work and at the end of the season $20,000 will be given the best workers as extra prizes for good work. How well some of our agents have succeeded is told in a little booklet we would like to send you—portraits of some of our best agents, with the story of how they made it pay. The Curtis Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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WANTED—BY DESIRABLE TENANTS, house or flat, 4 or 5 rooms; cheap. H 54, care Oregonian.

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WANTED—TO BUY A GOOD PAIR OF DRIVing horses; must be good size, well bred, well broken, have some speed and good endurance; will pay a good price for the right kind of a team. Any one having such a team please communicate with Wisconsin Log & Lumber Co., Moscow, Idaho.

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THE PALMER HOUSE, S. E. COR. PARK and Alder sts., formerly the Spalding; under new management; the most complete apartment-house in the Northwest; steam heat, gas, porcelain baths, every modern convenience; rates 75c per day and upward. Furnished housekeeping suites a specialty.

PORTLAND WOMEN'S UNION; 14TH YEAR; rooms, with board; use of sewing-room; use of library; Woman's Exchange; Industrial School. Address Mrs. C. E. George, superintendent, 510 Flanders st.

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403 SECOND—FRONT PARLOR AND BEDroom, en suite, elegantly furnished; private family; all modern conveniences; references.

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NEWLY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM; SUITable for two young men; porcelain bath, gas. Apply afternoons, 32½ 16th st. north.

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COMFORTABLY FURNISHED SINGLE AND large rooms, second and third floor; low rent. 320½ Front-Clay.

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MANHATTAN COURT; NEW BRICK BUILDing, steam heat, new furniture. 311½ Stark.

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### Rooms With Board.

THE COLONIAL, SELECT FAMILY HOTEL, 195 10th st.—Suite, second floor, front; also single room; table and service first class.

COMFORTABLE ROOMS AND GOOD BOARD; terms reasonable; permanent boarders wanted. 215 12th st., cor. Salmon.

FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND ROOM, REASONable, at The Bellingham, Sixth and East Morrison sts.

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HOUSEKEEPING—TWO SUITES, 3 ROOMS each, unfurnished, ground floor; 3 rooms, furnished, second floor; low rent. 320½ Front, cor. Clay.

247 HALL—VERY DESIRABLE ROOMS, completely furnished; modern conveniences; very pleasant location; reasonable rent.

CHEAPEST FURNISHED AND UNFURnished housekeeping rooms in city. 204½ Washington, and 301½ Water St.

THREE NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, on first floor; bath, phone. 265 Fifth, opposite City Hall.

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FOR RENT—NEW HOUSE, HOYT STREET, near 23d; 8 rooms and reception hall; bath, cement cellar and all modern improvements; lot 60x100; rent $40. Inquire 331 Morrison st.

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MONEY TO LOAN, 6 AND 7 PER CENT, ON city property and improved Valley farms. W. A. Shaw & Co., 248 Stark st.

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LOANS ON chattels, salaries; low rates. See us first. Mann & Co., 604 Dekum building.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE BUSINESS IN the heart of a rich mining and stock district; large and profitable trade; present owners retiring.

First-class grocery store; established trade; low rent. Ames Mercantile Agency, 205 Abington bldg.

WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS MAN, WITH more than average ability, to manage the business of an Oregon corporation on salary; applicants expected to meet the stated requirements and become a stockholder for $2500 or more. A 55, Oregonian.

OPPORTUNITY TO ENGAGE IN THORoughly established and profitable business enterprises in this city; reliable information furnished parties seeking locations. Ames Mercantile Agency, 205 Abington building.

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WANTED—FIVE PARTIES WITH $150 EACH to invest in safe proposition. L. Y. Keasy & Co., 327 Failing building.

WANTED—CAPITALIST WILLING TO RISK $500 in taking out a patent. M. A. Larson, Hotel Rheinplatz.

ROOMING-HOUSE, 22 ROOMS, VERY NICEly furnished; bargain, if sold by January 1. C 53, Oregonian.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

### Proposals Invited.

PROPOSALS FOR IMPROVEMENT BONDS, City of Portland, Or.—Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at the office of the Auditor of the City of Portland, Or., until Monday, December 30, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the sale, at not less than par value and accrued interest, of improvement bonds of the City of Portland, Or., as the same shall be authorized to be issued for the whole or any part of $50,000. Said bonds will be issued in denominations of $500 each, to be dated when authorized, payable 10 years from date, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. Interest and principal payable in United States gold coin, at the office of the City Treasurer, Portland, Or. Said bonds are issued under authority of an act of the Legislature of the State of Oregon, passed February 14, 1893, entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for the improvement of streets and laying of sewers in incorporated cities, and for the payment of the cost of such improvements and laying of sewers by installments," as amended by an act of the Legislature of the State of Oregon, approved February 28, 1901, entitled: "An act to amend sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of an act entitled: 'An act to provide for the issuance of bonds for the improvement of streets and laying of sewers in incorporated cities, and for the payment of the cost of such improvements and laying of sewers by installments,' filed in the office of the Secretary of State, February 22, 1893," and the proceeds thereof are to be used for the payment in part for the improvement of streets or construction of sewers as the said improvements shall be duly authorized and completed. The validity of the act of the Legislature aforesaid has been affirmed by the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon. Said bonds will be issued and delivered as the Common Council shall direct. Bidders will be required to submit a flat bid, without conditions, except as to the regularity of each issue of bonds, and to submit with their bids a certified check on a bank in the City of Portland, Or., equal to 2 per cent of the aggregate amount of their bid, payable to the Mayor of the City of Portland, as liquidated damages in case such bidder withdraws his bid or fails or neglects to enter into contract to take and pay for said bonds according to the terms of his bid and this notice. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bids should be addressed to the Committee on Ways and Means of the Common Council, care of Thomas C. Devlin, Auditor, Portland, Or. By order of the Common Council.

W. T. BRANCH,
W. Y. MASTERS,
F. W. MULKEY,
Committee on Ways and Means.
Portland, Or., December 19, 1901.

PROPOSALS—U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGriculture, Office of the Secretary, Washington, D. C., December 4, 1901.—Sealed proposals will be received by the Secretary of Agriculture until noon, Wednesday, January 15, 1902, for the erection of buildings for the Weather Bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, at each of the following places, viz.: North Head, Fort Crescent, and Tatoosh Island, Wash., in accordance with plans and specifications which may be obtained at the Weather Bureau office at Portland, Or., and at the office of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, or to waive any defect or informality in any bid, should it be deemed in the interest of the Government to do so. Separate proposals for each building must be submitted, and must be inclosed in envelopes, sealed and marked "Proposal for the erection of a Weather Bureau building at one of the points named," and addressed to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. All proposals received after the time stated for opening will be returned to the bidders. Bidders are, therefore, requested to allow ample time for the transmission of their bids by mail. JAMES WILSON, Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR OATS—DEPOT QUARTERmaster's Office, 56 New Montgomery St., San Francisco, Cal., December 24, 1901.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., January 8, 1902, Pacific standard time, and then opened, for furnishing 4000 tons oats, subject to increase of 50 per cent if desired by this department. Preference will be given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of price and quality being equal (including in the price of foreign production and manufacture the duty thereon), and such preference will be given to articles of American production and manufacture produced on the Pacific Coast to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information and blanks for proposals will be furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals will be indorsed "Proposals for Oats," and addressed MAJOR C. F