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Portland, Dec. 13 .- Western Oregon and Washington-Rain. Eastern Oregon and Eastern Washington-Partly cloudy with probable

less a personage than Andrew Carhimself would have been requested public. to put up some measure of collateral The work of Mme. Humbert in France -where she is now sojourning in a penitentiary as the guest of the Frenca republic-was as nothing to the work

Atlanta. The principal showing of the strange

the national banking system can hope criticising them for not appearing, and

Institution of great value and useful-

one essential in the government of such

to guard the public against the wiles Comptroller of the Currency Ridgeley insisted on directors who would direct. ly necessary. But the lesson of the its run for a day and furnish a theme for moralizing for a week.

There will continue to be adventurcan be done in the line of punishment miliate them, with an intimation that will not destroy the breed while the they were implicated in the scandal. speculation is abroad in the land.

COAL OIL TANKS.

George C. Flanders, representing the Standard Oil Company, appeared before the common council Monday night School Clerk E. Z. Ferguson yestermade certain statements that the As- the board of directors of school dis- them. torian proposes to refute. In his state- trict No. 1. which will be acted upon tanks was less than upon cannerles. 543.53, while the disbursements were and he criticised certain statements which sum \$17,000 is due to the Chase time. published in the Astorian relative to a National bank of New York and \$54.- After supper the inmates retired to an attendant for each of the blind infire that occurred in Portland a year 000 to the state of Oregon. The float- the sitting rooms, where a pleasant mates, and others assist in sawing or two ago. He stated that at the fire ing debt is \$2386.90, or \$3149.49 less hour was spent. The daily papers and wood and general light work. The in East Portland when the Wolf & than the amount of cash on hand. The several monthly magazines were on file farm has its own transportation, a Zwicker shops were destroyed by fire, estimate of receipts for 1905 is as fol- and other diversions were indulged in good wagon and a buggy, and three and a large amount of property was lows: County school funds, \$14.000; besides reading. Every inmate is al- good horses, used by the inmates in destroyed, that the tanks of the Stand- state apportionment, \$5400; special lowed a pound of tobacco per month, hauling wood and other articles to the ard Oil Company remained intact, and levy of 8 mills, \$14,887; tuition, \$150; smoking or chewing, as he prefers, and farm. their loss was only nominal.

property than on the Standard Oil tures for 1965 is: Teachers' salaries, lished. tanks, the Astorian takes issue. Sev- \$20,000; janitors' salaries, \$2575; water, American-born people have just is charged up in like manner, and at mas presents for anyone. All popular eral insurance agents were interviewed \$400; clerk, \$500; bond interest, \$3720; yesterday and the following rates, interest, \$100; fuel. \$1200; supplies, Pierce county poor farm. Fully 95 per mitted to the county commissioners, quality. Read: Silver novelties in established by the underwriters and \$800; repairs, \$3000; expenses, \$200; cent of those who have been sent there The cost per capita for the mainten- numerous different patterns, handsome which are as follows: On canneries, elections, \$20; insurance, \$200; total, are foreigners by birth. Only a small ance of the farm during the first four cut glass pieces, sterling sliverware, 2.69; on Standard Oil tanks, 3.59, Evi- \$32,815. The estimate for 1904 was percentage of poor house patients in years of the present superintendent's ebony goods in brushes, glasses and dently Mr. Flanders is mistaken, or is \$26,960, while the amount paid out thus the United States are natives of this administration was 24 cents. It has tollet sets, fancy umbrellas and canes. ignorant as to insurance rates. No far has been \$28,270.04. The annual country. It is a tribute to American not increased very much, if any, since match boxes, tableware, fine chains, one desires to accuse him of prevari- meeting of the taxpayers will be held enterprise, persistence, application and then, despite the fact that the cost of chaing dishes, carving sets, special cation in the statement, it is simply December 15 at 7:30 p. m., at Shively courage and, to be quite fair, perhaps living has increased materially. ignorance of the facts.

The East Portland fire is familiar 8 mill levy. At the present time tae American pluck. to every member of the council, or salaries of the teachers amount to \$1.-ought to be. At the time of the fire 926 a month, or \$19,260 for a school year. an imposing structure. It resembles county poor. A poor farm is no exon the east side, the Standard Oil tanks The apportionment of \$20,000 will al- the home of a wealthy rancher rather pense to the county, when once estabwere in close proximity to the fire. In low for one extra teacher, with which than an eleemosynary institution. order to avoid a more serious confla- the board hopes to be able to get along. Eighty acres of land belong to the the institutions of the county.

The summary of the state of the second states

intimate they are implicated in the ness, and today is one of the best con- an institution. The rules provide, reason, and the only reason why this

redound to the credit of the democratic press or the imported attorneys.

School Report.

of the adventurer or of the adven-turess. In his latest public address Comptroller of the Currency Ridgeley thing about the matter knows that it is a political job. It is a well-known fact tals have passed hundreds of men and keep themselves clean, their clothing in that Senator Mitchell was opposed to not a few women, and every name in- order, and to take a bath at least once He might have added that certifiers the employment of the San Francisco scribed on the records of the farm tells a week: all patients must be in their attorney, alleging that he himself had a tale of sorrow and suffering—some rooms at 9 o'clock at night; positively been mixed up in land frauds and did tragic, some romantic, with a spring- no smoking allowed in bed; patients ly necessary. But the lesson of the think he was a suitable person to rep-case of Mrs. Chadwick will only have think he was a suitable person to rep-its run for a day and furnish a theme resent the government. This is the a record of a human failure. There their boots or shoes on, and will be are 35 inmates at the farm today, ven- required to keep their rooms in a neat imported attorney desires to competer are so inmates at the fairly today, vent and clean condition; Tuesdays and the attendance of Senator Mitchell and of years upon them, abandoned by Saturdays are special cleaning days. ers and adventuress and complaisant. or foolish, directors. The best that Congressman Herman, in order to hu-friends, forgotten by relatives, all de-and every patient able to do so must pendent on public charity for support. help, not only in keping his or her own In the face of cold facts sympathy room clean, but the entire house: Monwill not destroy the breed while the Such contemptible methods will not and sentiment crowd out censure and day is washing day, and all articles for protest in a discussion of what brought the laundry must be in early Sunday these people to the door of poverty and evening; no patient will be allowed

made them knock at the door of char- leave the boundaries of the farm with ity as paupers. Aged, infirm, some of out permission from the superinter them blind, all senile, their condition ent; every patient able to do light we challenges the observer to halt and will be required to wait on those ne in the interests of his company. He day submitted his annual report to think before passing judgment on ing attention, work in the farm gard

That there can be happiness and con- do so by the superintendent. ment, he said, that oil tanks did not by the directors at the annual meeting tentment under such conditions will be And so it goes. Every rule a good jepordize surrounding property. That Thursday night. The report shows the admitted after a visit to the Pierce one, and perfect discipline the result. the insurance rates on Standard Oil receipts for the year to have been \$32.- county poor farm. The home is com- Two men peel the potatoes, two men modious, the rules and regulations gov- wash the dishes after each meal, one That they had never had a fire in \$28,270.04. The balance on hand is erning the conduct of the inmates are man sweeps out the dining room, two which any of the property belonging \$5536.49. The report shows that the not severe, the food is wholesome and men set the table, two men clear it, to the company had been destroyed, bonded indebtedness is \$71,000, of there is plenty to eat at the proper one man sweeps the back varanda, one

total, \$23,567. Receipts for 1964 have from an involce produced by the su-As to the first proposition relative to been \$31.949.58, while for 1903 they perintendent of the farm ' the good with every inmate. Whenever he issues insurance being higher on cannery were \$28,164. The estimate of expendi- brand of the weed was fully estab- clothing it is charged up against the

> cause for pride in the statistics of the the month end a statement is sub- and stylish, cheap in price, but high in school. The board will recommend an a little American luck, but certainly

man sweeps the front veranda, there is

opening day the girl students of the

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school cooked the opening luncheon in the cooking school.

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