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WEATHER TODAY.

Portland, Nov. 2.—Western Oregon, Western Washington: Friday, cloudy with rain. Eastern Washington: Increasing cloudiness probably followed by showers.

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS.

A city differs notably from an individual when it comes to a matter of debt. The obligations outstanding are even more imperative, for the credit of the municipality is more conspicuous and cannot bear the burden of dubious inquiry nor the reproach of a discounted dollar.

Astoria has a charter limit of public indebtedness. She has exceeded it. She must retrench and bring herself back to conditions measurable with her charted confines and the sum of debt her property and credit stands for.

It does not matter who created the dept, so much as who shall reduce and finally pay it; and this suggests the thought that the present administration is making no brilliant record at reducing anything except the annual revenues.

SOME RECORD FIGURES.

When the Republican party, as such, laid down the reins of government in this city on December 31, 1892, the net debt of the City of Astoria was \$86,487. That same net obligation on the 30th day of September, 1905, after thirty-three years of "Citizens" reform government was actually \$225,325, less a bogus resource of \$10,683.

POOR RUSSIA.

The gift of freedom to the Russian seems but to have augmented the fury of the race in the lateness of its coming. The nation is ravaged to its heart by the tremendous reaction, and no power may fix the scope of the vicious mania.

THE LONG KISS.

"A kiss in itself is not dangerous, unless one of the kissers coughs in the other's face or there is some other violent exhalation produced. There is no danger from the mere moisture of the lips. The dangerous germ comes from the lungs and bronchial tubes.

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WE'RE NOT IN IT.

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It now transpires that the Sultan of Sulu did not offer a share of his heart and throne to Miss Roosevelt. A "yellow correspondent" got among the brown fellows, it seems. We can't lose him.

The Charleston "News and Courier" is waiting for some one to suggest that "the insurance business appears to be the Philadelphia of our financial world."

Emperor William was about right when he said: "There are Germans and Americans, but no German-Americans." That is an idea that has prevailed here, also, among the more discriminating, for some time.

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