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Local weather for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., yesterday, furnished by the U. S. department of agriculture, weather bureau: Maximum temperature, 53 degrees. Minimum temperature, 35 degrees. Precipitation, none.

This paper has the largest circulation on the Columbia river.

An honest and complete telegraphic report gives a newspaper a right and title to the name. The news of the world, fresh every morning at your breakfast table, is what you can find in the Astorian.

A well-known resident of this city has taken the trouble to send to the San Francisco Examiner a long-winded series of statements all purporting to show why it is that Astoria has not as yet any railroad connections.

The question of subsidy arises. At once these people see themselves poor, innocent victims of railroad corporations whose only idea is to rob and despoil them of property.

If by some merciful dispensation of providence these blind fools can be enabled to see more than three yards beyond their noses, there may be some hope for a railroad.

The "green goods" industry has not been attended with any fatality, as far as any records go, since Holland, the little Texan, shot and killed Tom Davis, the big crook, and alleged counterfeit money dealer, some years ago in New York, until the incident of Pokepele, in which George Appo, the half-breed Chinese crook, who attempted to swindle two South Carolina rustlers, was shot by one of them.

A curious feature of these swindlers is that the would-be purchaser of alleged counterfeit money, "which it is impossible to tell from genuine," comes from the South and Southwest.

graceful scrape, which exposes their names and identity to the public, and very frequently loses their money and other personal property, in their little ventures.

Perhaps they come from regions where the newspaper does not circulate, and so are ignorant of what a hopeless quest they are on.

Since these poor fools never read the papers, cannot some means be taken to warn them of the folly, as well as the criminality, of their attempts to get rich by taking unfair advantage of their neighbors?

In the mean time the oftener the disappointed seeker after illicit wealth shoots his tempter even to the death, the better it will be.

Parties visiting in Portland can get The Daily Astorian at Handley & Haas' news stand, 150 First street.

We knew it. We felt it in our bones. The Portland Telegram no sooner gets on top of the heap than it begins, with all its majesty and power at its back, to trample the life out of the republican party.

"There is no use in denying the feeling so generally prevalent that the republican party, as a power dies today. This is not a democratic claim, a partisan shout of victory, but a sincere expression of truth that is asserting itself on all sides.

"Ex-President Harrison," sounds too long and too awkward. Henceforth when we refer to him he should be known as "General" Harrison.

The Roseburg Review, after a silly trade against the repeal of the mortgage tax law, says in another portion of its editorial columns:

"Roseburg needs a board of trade or chamber of commerce very badly." We should say so.

Ex-Mayor Grant, of New York, has become president of an accident insurance company. His experience as a member of Tammany should have made him an expert on accidents.

The late General Beauregard left a fortune of \$2,000,000, but the ineffable lottery stain is on it all.

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[From the Boston Post.] While the walks in the Public Garden were crowded yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock, people near the entrance gates at the corner of Beacon and Charles streets were horrified to see a man suddenly plunge a knife repeatedly into his throat and fall to the ground.

While waiting for a conveyance an officer questioned the would-be suicide, who was about 50 years of age, as to his name, address, and reason for wishing to end his life, but the man steadfastly refused to give any information regarding himself.

The above is the familiar but terrible story of the results of mental derangement caused by overstrain of the nervous system. People who have dizziness, headaches or backache, or who are troubled with melancholy or despondent feelings, are already well on the road which leads to insanity and suicide.

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