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TODAY'S WEATHER. TODAY'S WEATHER. Portland, Or., March 9.—For Western Oregon and Washington: Rain.

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, 45 degrees. Minimum temperature, 34 degrees. Precipitation, .02 inch.

This is from the Portland Telegram: "A Medford subscriber in renewing his subscription says: 'A person may do without bread, but cannot do without the Telegram.' That is the universal endorsement of the Telegram readers. It becoming a necessity to all newspaper readers who like fresh, live news and impartial discussion of current questions. The Telegram is the Tribune of the people, and the people stay by their own."

Answers to our list of questions are coming in thick and fast from the public schools. Students will please note that the first contest will close at noon today. The result will be announced tomorrow.

Along the Wharves. The British bark Beemah laden with wheat, from this port, arrived at Queenstown March 4th. The steamer Polar Bear went down to Nehalem yesterday.

NOTICE TO VOTERS. To the Electors of the Astoria School District: The undersigned citizens and property owners of this city, respectfully call attention of qualified voters that, at the earnest solicitation of a large number of friends they have allowed their names to be used as candidates for the office of school director of this district.

There are a number of plates un-called for left by those who sent refreshments to the Colonial Levee. They can be had by calling at the Y. M. C. A. in the small room at the right of the hall.

ABOUT THE CITY. Still raining. Steamer day tomorrow. Railroad men are in town again. Circuit court meets at 9 this morning.

The social meeting of the Presbyterian church this evening, is in charge of the young married people. A musical and literary program with refreshments has been prepared, and all are cordially invited.

At a special meeting of the Y. M. C. A., held last evening, for the election of a new board of directors, the following were elected: Mr. Charles Addis, Episcopalian church; Mr. L. H. Pederson, Methodist church; Mr. C. A. Hanson, Presbyterian church; Mr. E. J. Liddicoat, Methodist church; Mr. C. H. Proske, Presbyterian church; Mr. J. E. Higgins, Baptist church; Mr. Will Levings, Christian church; Rev. Daniel Staver, Congregational church, and Mr. C. H. Johanson, Lutheran church.

Personal Notices. E. L. Dwyer is in the city. Col. John Adair has returned from New York. L. B. Seeley came down from Portland yesterday.

SCHOOL ELECTION. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the school district, comprising the city of Astoria, that there will be an election of school directors on the second Monday in March, being the 13th day of March, 1893.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Bids will be received at the office of the school clerk of District No. 9 for the building of a schoolhouse. Plans may be seen and specifications had at the office of E. Ferguson, architect.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Chinik Bay Company will be held at the office of the Fishermen's Packing Company, Alderbrook, Astoria, Or., on Tuesday, March 14, 1893, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Attempt at Suicide. While the walks in the Public Garden were crowded yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock, people near the entrance gates 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.

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