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TODAY'S WEATHER. Portland, Or., March 10.—For Oregon and Washington: General rain, except snow or rain east of the Cascades.

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 legislature cannot do a more popular thing than to pass the Roscoe cigarette bill that is now pending. There has not been a single valid objection yet raised to it.

We thought for a while Georgia was prosperous. The farmers, we were aware, needed relief; but we thought that the fault of the railroads. Now it is said in the "Atlanta Constitution" that:

"The railroads of this State are certainly in need of some kind of assistance. The fact is that nearly all are in the hands of receivers."

It is possible that the Princess Kaulani may produce a very favorable impression on the new Administration. While she has a slight visible mixture of tropical blood, there is no previous condition of servitude to prejudice her case; and the Southern experts in the Cabinet could tell at a glance that her ancestral aristocrats were not African, but Asiatic or Oceanic.

Sure Shot Jones was in town yesterday. Ex-Governor Grover was in town yesterday. Harold Pickington, the Portland attorney, was in town yesterday.

ABOUT THE CITY. Water rates are delinquent today. The case of the state vs. Robert Caruthers comes up in court today. Astoria Lodge No. 50, A. O. U. W., met last night and initiated three new members.

The winning answers to the first series of questions will be published Tuesday morning. Sheriff Smith left for Salem last night with William Michaelson, who has been adjudged insane. George H. Pegrum, D. K. Warren, G. W. Lounsbury, L. B. Seely, and E. L. Dwyer paid a visit to the jetty yesterday.

Fred Busey will make the collections today for Mr. Rannels, the Astorian's route agent. Mr. Rannels is still confined to his bed. Judge McBride commented yesterday on the tardiness of witnesses subpoenaed to attend the court, and intimated that in future bench warrants would be issued if witnesses were not in attendance.

The W. C. T. U. will provide the program at the Rescue club tonight. No admission fee will be charged, but a collection will be taken up and it is hoped that the sum donated will be a generous one. Rev. Landen in introducing Rev. J. R. Colley to the audience at the Methodist church last night said: "You have the privilege of seeing the 'long and short of Methodism tonight,' but though Mr. Colley is short, still he is a big man. It developed as he told about 'that girl' that he was indeed a big man. He held the attention of the large audience from beginning to end. Mr. Colley is a happy speaker, and very much at home on the platform. He showed by his masterly handling of his subject that he spoke from experience. The young men of Astoria would do well to heed the advice given. It is hoped the people of Astoria may have another opportunity to hear him lecture."

In the case of Israel Gragg, charged with the crime of rape on Florence Birchard, the defense moved yesterday in the circuit court for a new trial on the ground of errors of law committed during the trial and which they claimed created an impression in the minds of the jury prejudicial to the defendant. The judge, without hearing any argument on the other side, speedily disposed of the objections of the counsel and called up the prisoner to receive sentence. In passing sentence the judge said that from the verdict of the jury he could not do otherwise than suppose the prisoner guilty, and if he was guilty it was of a crime committed in a most atrocious manner on the person of a child of the tender age of eleven years. The crime was next to murder, the worst known to the law, and as it was committed under such revolting circumstances, he did not think the punishment provided by law was any too strong and he therefore sentenced him to the full penalty of twenty years imprisonment. Columbia Tender Company No. 3, will give a bal April 8th, at Columbia amnery. All invited.

SCHOOL ELECTION. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the school district, comprising the city of Astoria, that there will be held in the said district an election on the second Monday in March, being the 13th day of March 1911. Polls will be kept open from 2 o'clock p. m. till 8 o'clock p. m., of said day. This election is called for the purpose of electing three directors to serve said district. Polling place in First Ward, Engine house of Rescue Engine Company No. 1. Judges: John Hobson, C. S. Wright, J. H. Stockton, Clerk, B. S. Worsley. Polling place in Second Ward, Engine house of Engine Company No. 3. Judges: J. H. D. Gray, J. C. Dement, D. H. Welch, Clerk, P. C. Cook. Polling place in Third Ward, at the office of the Astoria Box Company. Judges: T. S. Cornelius, W. F. McGregor, John Enberg, Clerk, G. A. Nelson. By order of the board of directors of School District No. 1. C. W. FULTON, Chairman, H. B. FERGUSON, Clerk.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 25th day of February, A. D. 1911. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. SCHOOL TAXES DUE. School taxes are due in district No. 2, comprising Adair's Astoria, West of Jordan Avenue, W. F. McGregor, District Clerk. Office 223 Third street, Upper Astoria. Ryan & Co. 237 Third street, have just received a full line of 1893 patterns in wall paper, and comprising all the latest designs and shades, at the lowest prices. Call and see them.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Chignik Bay Company will be held at the office of the Fishermen's Packing Company, Aldebrook, Astoria, Or., on Tuesday, March 14, 1911, at 4 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the question of dissolving the Corporation. G. A. NELSON, Secretary. Astoria, Or., March 3, 1911. A Sure Cure for Piles. Itching Piles are known by moisture like perspiration, causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as Blind, bleeding or protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50c. Druggist or mail. Dr. Bosanko, 229 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by J. W. Conn.

Attempt at Suicide. It Might Have Been Prevented. [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. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital and surgical attendance given him. Although weak from loss of blood it is probable he will recover. About 9 o'clock last night a hospital attendant got a little information from him. He said his name was Samuel D., and that he came some weeks ago from New Brunswick. The last few days his head has felt queer, and he has been wandering about the city, not knowing which way to turn. What impelled him to commit his rash act he was unable to say. 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, headache or backache, or who are troubled with melancholy or dependent feelings, are already well on the road which leads to insanity and suicide. "Dr. Miles Medical Co. I cannot find language in which to express my appreciation of the great benefit I have derived from the use of your Restorative Nervine. When life became a burden I would use the Nervine to soothe my weakened nerves, and to calm my exhausted and irritable brain." —Mrs. H. Brown, Rochester, N. Y. "Dr. Miles Restorative Nervine has no equal in curing Nervous Diseases. It contains no opiates or dangerous drugs. Sold on a positive guarantee by all druggists and Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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