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TODAY'S WEATHER.

Washington, light rain, followed by fair weather.

For Western Oregon, fair weather. For Eastern Washington and East ern Oregon, showers, followed by fair

Local weather for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., yesterday furnished by the U.S. Department of Ariculture, weather bureau.

Maximum temperature, 58 degrees Minimum temperature, 48 degrees

Precipitation, .33 inch. Total precipitation from July 1st, 1893 to date, 81.40 Inches.

Excess of precipitation from July 1st, 1892, to date, 9.14.

The doubts of Captain Myers of the Danube as to the cause of death having been small-pox in the case of the Chinaman on whose account the steamer was quarantined, seem to be well-founded. It is a fact acknowledged by all reputable physicians that it is a most unusual occurrence for a small-pox sufupon what symptoms Dr. Wheeler declared the case to be one of small-pox. Physicians as well as others are fallible, and whilst there might have been an error in diagnosis so far as this was concerned, it is but just that the facts should be known with regard to the symptoms. This being so, it is now in order for Dr. Wheeler to declare upon what grounds he determined the case

The politicians are not scrambling for the vacant police commissionership, partly for the reason that there are no accompanying emoluments, and in a large measure owing to the fact that the retiring member had been elected for the short term, which expires at the close of the present year. The only names "prominently mentioned" thus far are those of John Kopp, Fred Saiz, Pete Brach and Chris Veiens. Othe names have, as a matter of course been casually mentioned in this connecessary qualifications were possessed by those included in the latter category. Mr. Crosby can doubtless be depended upon to nominate a man fitted in every respect for the position,

This is surely an age of rapid transit. It may soon be possible to make the journey from Astoria to Queenstown in ten days. At present the trip from The run from Chicago to New York takes nineteen hours. From New York to Queenstown in the Campania occupies five days, seventeen hours and forty-two minutes. The actual traveling time, as thus outlined, is not many hours in excess of the ten

The ups and downs of Astoria in railroad matters are nothing to those which befell Duluth, which was designated by congress and better still, by Jay Cook, as the eastern terminus of the Northern Pacific railroad, but was bamboozled out of that distinction by St. Paul. Duluth, however, triumphed over adversity and has now more wheat than was ever warehoused in any city. In a like manner shall Astoria shine out in due season.

retreat of Murphy and Markley. Mr. ity.

Murphy's prospects of being United States district attorney are also proba bly blighted.

If floods continue to disturb the busness district of Portland, the best thing the merchants could do would be to pull up stakes and come to Astoria, ... 15 cts where they would enjoy the amplest facilities for domestic and foreign where they would enjoy the amplest trade, with no liability to have the lower stores of their warehouses sub-

The Northern Pacific is in a fair way to fund its entire floating debt and have \$5,000,000 to spare for contingencies. The readiness with which Mr. Portland. May 22. - For Western Rockefeller and others have sub scribed for \$7,000,000 of the proposed issue speaks well for the company's

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. W. H. Smith came up from Fort Clatsop yesterday.

Mr. M. J. Bischof, of Pittsburg, ar rived in town yesterday.

Mr. R. Valentine, of Mason City In., is visiting in this city.

Mr. J. L. Stout of Seavlew, came across the bay yesterday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crosfield, of Port-

land, are registered at the Occident. Mr. A. M. Glidden, a New York newspaper man, was in the city yester

Col. John Adair, of the Portland & Astoria railroad, was in town yester-

Among the arrivals in this city yesterday was Mr. J. D. Douglas, of Ta Mr. J. F. Hart, of Tacoma, was

among those registered at the Occident Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Cole and Miss

Lillie Cole, of Oak Point, Ills., are vis-Mr. J. R. Goulter, secretary of the

I. R. & N. Co., came over from Ilwaco vesterday afternoon. Mrs. H. C. Stanton, Mrs. Lathrop. and Miss Lucy M. Stanton, of Rose

burg, Or., are guests at the Occident. Judge Whalley, of Portland, the mcdern rival of Socrates and Aristotle has been in town for a couple of days

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