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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

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, 46 degrees. Minimum temperature, 40 degrees. Precipitation, .72 inch.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Portland, Dec. 12.—For Washington and Western Oregon, rain, slightly warmer. For Eastern Oregon, fair weather.

President Cleveland is said to still adhere firmly to his belief in the correctness of Blount's report.

Peffer, with his whiskers, is again in Washington, ready to relieve the people by "coining" money to any extent.

Even the Boston Herald says "Every man can lift his hat to Governor McKinley." The people have done more than that and are not through with it, either.

If Europe wants to establish a monarchy in Brazil she can sail right in. Uncle Sam's administration is engaged in the same kind of a job, and won't have a word to say in protest.

Many little messages are on the sea from the state department to Mr. Willis, telling him what to do or not to do, but the American people are expected to receive their information by way of Australia, England, or Canada.

An exchange remarks "that the president is perplexed about the appointment of an ambassador to Italy. Why is not Mr. Whitney the next man? He is not afraid to open a cold, big bottle of champagne occasionally. But Dr. McGlynn is the real man for the place."

Georgia wants state banks right away. The first thing congress should do to meet the demands of the Southern states is the removal of the tax on circulation. The Chicago platform contains a solemn promise that the state sovereigns are to be released from federal interference with state currency.

The president should apply his intense feeling of responsibility to telling the people what he has been doing for them at Honolulu. The president is rather too utter. His judgment that the country rests upon his shoulders is a mistake. He has done one good turn in getting the purchase of silver stopped. That is a neat achievement, but the evidence accumulates that there are several things he does not know.

The battery of the Aquidaban consists of four nine-inch, twenty-ton Armstrong guns, and four seventy-pounders, with a number of small rapid-fire and machine guns. Her armor varies in thickness from two to ten inches. The probability is that her nine-inch, twenty-ton Armstrongs will make short work of the job of sinking the improvised warships fitted out in New York. It was supposed the muntineer warship was harbor-locked, and then on smooth water there was a possibility of using the dynamite guns and torpedoes effectually. A fight on the high seas is another matter.

In New York there is an odd little postoffice fight in progress—that is, a fight for a sub-station—and the pure and reformed administration is about to take away the sub-station from a banker who does business with the Italian residents who largely inhabit the district, and give it to a liquor dealer, who also does business with the same element, though, perhaps, not with the same individuals. The banker gave postoffice room free, and the li-

quor dealer is to get rent. The simple reason appears to be that the banker, Mr. La Mada, is a republican, and the liquor dealer, Mr. Acconcia, is a democrat.

The president is in favor of an income tax—only, however, a very "little" one—a small tax upon incomes derived from certain corporate investments. This "small tax" is evidently meant to gratify the populists, who will think it a fine start for class legislation; and then it is to assist in turning a corner. It is not expected to touch the incomes of congressmen, and presidents, ambassadors and postmasters. In a word, it is a futility.

A few years ago the laying of a telegraph cable across the ocean was an event which caused unbounded interest on two continents. Now the fact that the Commercial Company is to lay a new cable between Ireland and Nova Scotia in the spring, that it will be 2,200 miles in length, and that this will make three cables between the same points owned by the company, is only deemed worthy of a brief paragraph in the daily prints. The world moves.

A GOOD WORD.

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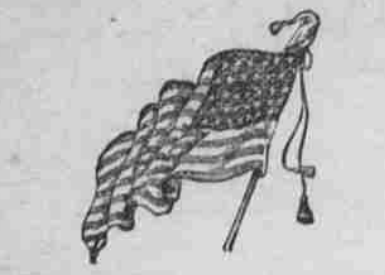
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Masonic Land and Building Association of Astoria, will be held on Wednesday, December 20, 1893, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the usual place, for the purpose of electing five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

S. T. McKEAN, Secretary. Astoria, Or., Nov. 18, 1893.

CITIZENS' TICKET

For the City Election to be Held December 13.

- Mayor, ALFRED KINNEY. Auditor and Police Judge, K. OSBURN. City Attorney, JOHN H. SMITH. City Treasurer, J. W. CONN. City Surveyor, RICHARD HARRY. Street Superintendent, WILLIAM CHADWICK. Police Commissioner, JOHN KOPP. Harbor Master, GEORGE BELL. Councilman—First Ward, ISAAC BERGMAN. Councilman—Second Ward, A. SCHERNECKAU. Councilman—Third Ward, BENJAMIN YOUNG.



REPUBLICAN TICKET

For the City Election to be Held December 13.

- For Mayor, M. C. CROSBY. For Auditor and Police Judge, JOHN BRYCE. For Treasurer, A. S. REED. For City Attorney, J. A. EAKIN. For City Surveyor, W. T. BEVERIDGE. For Superintendent of Streets, CHARLES GODDARD. For Police Commissioner, J. O. HANTHORN. For Harbor Master, PHIL JOHNSON. For Councilman—First Ward, JOHN T. HAY. For Councilman—Second Ward, CHARLES LARSON. For Councilman—Third Ward, GEO. A. NELSON.

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 give 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 had felt queer, and he had 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 family, 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 weakness or despondent feelings, are already well on the road which leads to insanity and suicide.

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