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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, 45 degrees. Minimum temperature, 35 degrees.

Precipitation, none.

Total precipitation from July 1st, 1893 to date, 42.53 inches.

Excess of precipitation from July 1st, 1892, to date, 10.44 inches.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Portland, Dec. 26.—For Oregon and Washington, fair weather.

The famous Harter, a professional democrat from John Sherman's congressional district, is on the rampage again. It seems as though he never would let his democratic brethren alone, to have a little personal comfort in paying their debts in cheap money.

A New York man discovered the other night, upon leaving his place of business, that he was bleeding at the chin, although there was no scratch or abrasion there, and bleeding so freely that whenever the blood was washed off it came again.

The New York Sun gives the United States steamship New York an excellent character; says that she is "a better vessel than either the Blake or the Blenheim, of the British navy, and is worthy of the city whose name she bears."

A few years ago there were millions of buffalo on the Western plains. Today the discovery of a small herd in an isolated part of Colorado attracts a great deal of attention, as it is reported in various papers.

The famous Monson trial is over at Edinburgh, with the verdict of "not proven." That finding saves Monson's neck, but it will make it impossible that he can collect the insurance from any of the companies in which Hambrough's life was heavily insured.

In Britain for a century. There were over 100 witnesses and an immense number of exhibits. Yet a decision has been reached within a fortnight.

Women practice economy in small things more than men do. There is one exception to this rule, and that is in the purchase and use of postage stamps.

The way some things are going in some parts of the country there will be war of a deadly character soon between the farmers and tramps. A farmer cannot stand it to have his barn infested with vagrants.

The anarchists are flocking to England from the continent and may be expected in the United States—fugitives from despotism! They are coming especially from Germany, where they are remorselessly run in by the police.

THE CONSPIRACY TRIAL.

Comment Regarding It and the Evidence of Blum.

Hon. C. W. Fulton, who conducted the defense in the Chinese conspiracy trial in Portland, was interviewed yesterday regarding the case, but while not disposed to give any opinion as to the ultimate outcome, had no hesitation in expressing himself freely on Nat. Blum's course.

SPEAK TO THE CARRIER!

Subscribers to the Daily Astorian wish to procure the "Life of James G. Blaine," at an expense of \$1.00 (worth \$3.00) should inquire of Mr. Rannels, the route agent, who will give the desired information.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—F. E. NELSON ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the circuit court of Clatsop county, Oregon, made on the 4th day of December, 1893, I will on the 8th day of January, 1894, sell at the courthouse door, in said county, at the hour of 11 o'clock, forenoon, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title, and interest that F. E. Nelson in his lifetime had in the southwest quarter section 18, and part of the southeast quarter same section, lying west of west bank of Gnat creek or slough, in township 8 north, range 1 west, in Clatsop county, Oregon, and all that he would have had, provided, he had not mortgaged the same, to wit, an undivided one-half interest therein.

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December 5, 1893.

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