

TODAY'S WEATHER. Forecast for Oregon and Washington, rain, nearly stationary temperature, fresh to brisk southerly winds, gales on coast.

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FLOWING IN WHISKEY

Alaska Miners Take Out Wealth and Invest in Spirits.

TROOPS WILL BE SENT OUT

Extensive Mines Discovered at Head of Cook's Inlet—Birch Creek District Yield \$400,000.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Benjamin P. Moore, collector of customs at Sitka, Alaska, has forwarded to the treasury department a report from Deputy Collector McVair, Chitina, Alaska, on the Yukon River about eighty miles above Birch Creek, in which the states, after talking with almost every miner who comes in from the Birch Creek mining district, that he is of the opinion that the amount of gold dust and nuggets taken out this summer will reach \$400,000. The land, he says, flows with water, and as many claim owners said most of the laborers are alien, he thinks a company of United States troops should be stationed at Chitina City, Alaska, to protect the miners from the Indians, and as many claim owners said most of the laborers are alien, he thinks a company of United States troops should be stationed at Chitina City, Alaska, to protect the miners from the Indians, and as many claim owners said most of the laborers are alien, he thinks a company of United States troops should be stationed at Chitina City, Alaska, to protect the miners from the Indians...

BRRS FOR DEATH

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Ashland, Or., Nov. 13.—Thos. J. Kearney, a Southern Pacific brakeman, about twenty-one years old, and son of Thos. J. Kearney, a veteran passenger conductor on the Southern Pacific between Ashland and Hood River, was mangled to death at the railroad yards in Ashland this morning. The northbound freight was being made up, and young Kearney was on an empty car, with which a running switch was being made, when, in some manner he was between the car and the engine pilot, and was dragged underneath for two hundred feet before the engineer discovered that anything was wrong. He was found lying on the ground, his body shockingly mangled, but still alive. He lived some ten or fifteen minutes. He was apparently in full possession of his faculties, but spoke, before dying, He asked to be killed to end his suffering.

MURDER DISCOVERED.

After Many Months the Remains of Barney Partner Found.

INDIANA COMPLETED.

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL

The Well Known Railroad Will Increase its Capital.

Ten Millions More of Money Needed to Take Up Old Bonds and Pay for C. & O.

Every one who is from the East and all who have traveled are familiar with the old Illinois Central Railroad—that conservative, capital company—that seven per cent of its gross earnings debt to the state of Illinois is paid every year from its Chicago suburban business, and the like from the board of directors of the Illinois Central, among which are the improvements on the lake front, the board of directors of that company has just issued a notice to stockholders recommending that the capital stock of the company be increased from \$20,000,000 to \$30,000,000. For the purpose of raising the necessary funds to meet obligations incurred by the purchase of the Chicago and North Western securities and for the other general purposes of the Illinois Central, among which are the improvements on the lake front, the board of directors of that company has just issued a notice to stockholders recommending that the capital stock of the company be increased from \$20,000,000 to \$30,000,000.

FOR BEAUTY'S SAKE

Discussion of Methods of Making Cities Attractive.

PARKS, TREES AND DRIVES

Will Do It—Symmetry and Uniformity of Action Urged—Room for Art in Astoria.

A knot of gentlemen in a prominent merchant's store was yesterday afternoon discussing the rise and fall of Astoria's progress in the near future. A rainy day talk was indulged in for some time during which the bright prospects for immediate growth and prosperity received its share of comment. The work on the railroad was dwelt upon and the late activity in real estate matters, which is only the forerunner of what may be expected in the spring was discussed in all of its bearings. The necessity for the establishment of manufacturing industries of all kinds, the maintenance of large payrolls and the offering of inducements to artisans as well as capitalists, formed the chief part of the discussion. One gentleman, of great experience and foresight, touched upon a subject of much importance but one that has hitherto received little attention. He said in part: "Astoria, in dealing with the subject of the future prosperity of the city, must not forget one most important feature, which is considered of prime importance in the East, and by all European communities, and that is the matter of offering an attractive and beautiful place of residence for both capitalist and laborer as well as the means of profitably employing capital. No matter what may be your commercial advantages, many would hesitate a long while and perhaps refuse altogether, to settle in a town utterly lacking in every attractive feature as a home place and possessing no facilities for the employment of the ordinary means of recreation. "Parks and driveways are the requisite of every well-organized town or city. Some place where the business men and women and their families can enjoy something of nature's beauties after the day's work is over is often the one of all things that make a city attractive to its own people, and the stranger, will grow tired of his streets and one of the first to be considered, and while being one of the least expensive, it is one of the most effective means of ornamenting a city. "In Germany there is a regular department of the city government under which trees are purchased by the wholesale and nursed in a regular forestry under competent foresters. It is the duty of these officers to not only cultivate the trees, which are of uniform varieties for advanced streets, but to plant them out in symmetrical double or single rows and to care for them in a systematic and thorough manner. The expense of this method is much less than if individual property owners purchase the trees, some of one kind and some of another, and plant and care for them themselves in a haphazard way. The results are uniformly greater, besides obtaining uniformity of beauty. "Astoria has practically no trees as yet on its streets. A few patriotic citizens have made attempts in that line but now that we are going to be a city and amount to something all these questions deserve immediate attention. The importance of good streets, boulevards, parks and grass plots which relieve the monotony of lines of buildings, cannot be overestimated. Look at Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake City—they are gardens of beauty. If you say, Oh, yes! these are wealthy cities, I can only reply that to decorate, I can point you to hundreds of towns, half the size of Astoria, and not possessing one hundredth part of its wealth—in the interior of Illinois, Michigan or Iowa, to say nothing of the East and South, which are barren of beauty, and made so artificially. "The opportunity in the glorious climate of Oregon as city decoration is not to be equalled and a town or city that does not take this matter to give attention at once."

THE PRESS CLUBS

And Commercial Travelers at the Atlanta Exposition.

Gorgeously Decorated Floats in Line

Barbecue at Which 5000 People Were Fed.

AN INSANE MURDER.

One Lunatic Kills Another in a Hospital.

NO GOLD SHIPPED.

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MARKET REPORTS.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—Hops, 66c. London, Nov. 13.—Hops—Pacific Coast, 2 1/2.

COMPASSION FOR HER DOLL.

(Youth's Companion.) Among stories which were told by certain aged physicians, at a reunion of medical men, of the times when surgical operations were still conducted without anæsthetics, none were more touching than the following: A little girl, not more than 5 years old, was injured in such a way that it was necessary to amputate one of her legs. She proved to be of wonderful pluck, and instead of blinching, as was customary in such cases, she was given her most cherished doll to hold. Pressing it in her arms she submitted to the amputation without a single cry. When it was done the physician in charge, seeking to brighten matters up with a pleasantry, said: "And now, my dear, we will amputate your doll's leg." "Then the little girl burst into tears. "No! no!" she gasped, between her sobs, "you shall not—it would hurt her too much."

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