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Tracy having killed himself has gone after his own reward.

Formal announcement is made of the engagement of Reginald C Vanderbilt to Kathyrne Neilsen. Now the weather should moderate.

It is reported that Sheriff Satin and his posse had a fierce battle with Harry Tracy in a dismal swamp in the lower Country a few days ago.

Late reports from San Francisco are to the effect that Mr Fitzsimmons has taken his share of the money and quit weeping.—The Chicago Record-Herald.

Mr Morgan has become so great that his dealings with the British Government are kept from the knowledge of Parliament. May it not be possible that Whitelaw Reid has resigned his position under our Government to become Minister Plenipotentiary to his royal business J Pierpont.

It is claimed by those living near the army posts of the country that the newly enlisted soldiers are of the worst class known in the history of the army. Men who enlist in the army in times of peace for thirteen dollars a month are not usually worth any more than that price, and need to be under restraint on general principles.

It is intimated that the Standard Oil Company merged with the Rothschild and Nobel interests in the world-wide petroleum trust because the Standard was financially embarrassed. The assertion is made on good authority that in the treasury of the Standard Oil Co there was only \$9,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000.

Kansas is arranging for a novel exhibit at the St Louis fair. It is babies. One room of the state building will be fitted up as a nursery, and the babies of the state will be kept on continual exhibit. Mothers who go to the fair can leave their babies there, and while they will be carefully cared for by trained nurses, they will also be on exhibition as a state product.

A dispatch from an Illinois town relates a peculiar circumstance. A lady who had stepped into a church doorway during a storm, was rendered unconscious by a bolt that wrecked the spire. The shock melted a gold watchchain that she wore about her neck, and four gold rings on her hand. The rings running together into one piece. She recovered fully after being unconscious an hour.

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When the Crown Prince of Siam visits this country next month along with his party, the hotel registers will look like the Multnomah field after a football game. Phya Rajavalloff and Tuang Saraseddhi are the two easy ones on the list, and they are none to easy either.

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SEATTLE, Aug. 9.—Fred Ernst, night barkeeper in a local saloon, struck on the head with the kingpin of a wagon this morning and his skull so badly fractured that he will die. Robbery is believed to be the motive for the assault, as \$31 was taken from the cash register, only a few cents in dimes and nickles being left by the robber. Philip Ethier, employed as porter at another saloon was arrested on suspicion, and is now detained at the city prison pending an investigation. Esthier has a bad reputation in police circles and was arrested four years ago for stealing money from the pockets of a drunken man.

C B Clement returned last night from Portland where he has been disposing of stock in the Judson Rock Mining Co, operating in Bohemia. The stock sold very rapidly and Mr Clement says that Oregon capital is taking a great deal more interest in Oregon properties than heretofore.—Guard.

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CROP BULLETIN
No rain has fallen since the last of July, and then the amount was too small to do much good. All late crops now need rain. Pasture is getting short except where stock has the benefit of the second crop of clover. The supply of milk being delivered at the creameries is diminishing, and range stock find difficulty in getting sufficient feed. Reports from the upper end of the Willamette Valley, and from Josephine county, are that the grasshoppers are doing great damage to the second crop of hay.

The grain harvest is progressing nicely; the hot weather is ripening spring wheat and oats too rapidly, and fears are entertained that the heads will not fill well. Fall grain yields are disappointing in the Willamette Valley, but thrashing returns are coming in slow and it is too early to say just what the shortage will be. In southern Oregon the yields are satisfactory. In the Umatilla country there is a shortage of about ten bushels to the acre in the wheat already thrashed. In Gilliam and Sherman counties the yields are above the average one. But little thrashing has yet been done in the Grande Ronde Valley, but it is expected the crop there will be an average one. Corn is earing nicely, and hops continue doing well. Late apples are promising in most sections of the State.

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