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NEARLY all the nations of the earth are having troublous times over the condition of things in China.

DAIRYMEN, from other states, who visit the Willamette valley pronounce it the best locality in the union for dairying.

THE presidential contest is made up and now for a battle of political giants. Neither side has a walk over.

IN Cuba, Portorico and the Philippines matters are gradually assuming a mild and peaceful shape.

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It will take something much stronger than broken promises to do it. Dr. Luther of Kings Valley, and Wright Johnson, from Yamhill county.

UPPER SALT CREEK. Not many days ago we took a ride out the Salt creek road and around back through the Pioneer settlement.

ROCK CREEK. Miss Pearlie Chandler was visiting at Rocca last week. Mr. Morrison has been spending the rainy days in making knives and he has some very good ones among his collection.

FALLS CITY. Mr. Talbot and Mr. Osborn, of Iowa, have been buying timber lands. They left Monday for Seattle.

COUNCIL MEETING. Council met in regular session last Monday evening with all present except Councilman Woods.

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