

Quake, Fire, Flood Hundreds of Thousands Perish.

About noon Saturday the most destructive earthquake of modern times visited Japan. Tokio, Yokohama and numerous other cities were shaken down and took fire and were practically wiped off the face of the earth. It is estimated that 200,000 people were caught in the ruins and burned to death, half of them in Tokio. Tidal waves followed which washed away cities and destroyed much shipping.

The island of Oshima, with 10,000 population, sank in the sea. A million people are destitute. Food is being rushed from China, nearby, and from this and other countries.

—Earthquakes in divers places, the sea and the waves rearing and men's hearts failing them for fear and for looking after those things that are coming upon the earth.

Jots and Tittles

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District 114 withdraws from Crabtree union high school.

John W. Stephenson spent Labor Day at Cottage Grove.

The weather cooled down nicely for the county fair.

W. P. Wahl and daughter Delma were in Portland Tuesday.

Misses Hazel and Isabelle Gullford of Portland are guests of friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Chas. Mornhinweg was home from Devit for Sunday and labor day.

Mrs. Horace Armstrong and daughters returned from Belknap Springs Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. McNeil has gone to Seattle, where her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Perry, is ill.

H. M. Henry of the restaurant has been laid up with erysipelas since Tuesday, but is improving.

N. T. Sneed says he feels lonesome without his bees and may get a new stock and resume the production of sweets.

A large barn and twenty-six tons of hay burned down Sunday morning on the A. T. Thomas place, east of Harrisburg.

Saturday night a truck ran off the ferry boat at Harrisburg, which had not been properly fastened, and traffic was delayed several hours.

Dr. E. W. Barnum and family of Mt. Angel, accompanied by Mrs. Barnum's grand mother, Mrs. Dyke of Spokane, were guests at the C. P. Stafford home Sunday and labor day.

Mrs. D. Taylor and son Lawrence, accompanied by Claron Gormley and Mrs. D. H. Sturtevant and daughters Alice and Jean, drove to Salem Monday.



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W. C. T. U. Home Opens

There are now housed in two well equipped cottages of the children's farm home of the W. C. T. U. near Corvallis, forty little waifs such as have hitherto been condemned to temporary homes, housed in sectarian institutions, or sent to daily association with delinquents in institutions established for the care of those who have lost the innocence which is the rightful heritage of childhood.

C. T. Webb is superintendent—an ideal father and administrator. With unusual grasp of the need of the work undertaken, and high ideals of the Mission of the Home he has been able to organize the family collected from many counties and as many kinds of surroundings into a real family and home life.

Governor Pierce in a recent letter to the farm home office says: "I want to assure you that there is no greater work going on in Oregon than you are doing."

Oregon Jersey cattle won 145 awards of credit last year to 295 won by the Jerseys of all the other states combined. This is more than 40 per cent of the total awards issued in the United States—145 of the total 440.

Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)
Mrs. A. E. Whitbeck spent one day last week with her friend, Miss Lillie Rickard.

Afternoon callers at the J. H. Rickard home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenks and daughter of Tangent and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rickard.

Joe Viereck of Portland called at the Chester Curtis home Sunday evening.

Melvin and Merlin Burnett visited Prontice and Vyron Isom Sunday afternoon.

A. C. Armstrong went to Portland Monday.

SHE TOOK THE SPOONFUL

An English servant girl was brought to a hospital suffering from the effects of a drug. The doctor questioned her as to her motives for taking it.

"Well," she replied, "I wasn't feeling well, and I went to the misers' medicine cupboard, and there was a bottle marked, 'Three drops for an infant, six for an adult, and a teaspoonful for an emetic.' I knew I wasn't an infant. I wasn't sure about an adult, so I thought I must be the emetic, and took a spoonful."

BANJO IMITATES DRUM

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The Secret Adversary

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"Dear Miss Tuppence:
"You have made a splendid start, and I congratulate you. I feel, though, that I should like to point out to you once more the risks you are running, especially if you pursue the course you indicate. Those people are absolutely desperate and incapable of either mercy or pity. I feel that you probably underestimate the danger, and therefore warn you again that I can promise you no protection. You have given us valuable information, and if you choose to withdraw now no one could blame you. At any rate, think the matter over well before you decide.

"If, in spite of my warnings, you make up your mind to go through with it, you will find everything arranged. You have lived for two years with Miss Dufferin, The Parsonage, Llanelly, and Mrs. Vandemeyer can apply to her for a reference.

"May I be permitted a word or two of advice? I suggest that you should represent yourself to be what you are, a former V. A. D. who has chosen domestic service as a profession.

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There are many such at the present time. That explains away any incongruities of voice or manner which otherwise might awaken suspicion.

"Whichever way you decide, good luck to you.

"Your sincere friend,
"MR. CARTER."

Tuppence's spirits rose mercurially. Mr. Carter's warnings passed unheeded. The young lady had far too much confidence in herself to pay any heed to them.

There was still no word or message from Tommy, but the morning post brought a somewhat dirty postcard with the words: "It's O. K." scrawled upon it.

At ten-thirty Tuppence surveyed with pride a slightly battered tin trunk containing her new possessions. It was artistically corded. She drove to Paddington, and left the box in the cloak room. She then repaired with a handbag to the fastnesses of the ladies' waiting-room. Ten minutes later a metamorphosed Tuppence walked demurely out of the station and entered a bus.

It was a few minutes past eleven when Tuppence again entered the hall of South Audley mansions. Albert was on the lookout, attending to his duties in a somewhat desultory fashion. He did not immediately recognize Tuppence. When he did, his admiration was unbounded.

"Best if I'd have known you! That rig-out's top-hole."

"Glad you like it, Albert," replied Tuppence modestly. "By the way, am I your cousin, or am I not?"

"Your voice, too," cried the delighted boy. "It's as English as anything! No, I said as a friend of mine knew a young gal. Annie wasn't best pleased. She's stopped on till today—to oblige, she said, but really it's so as to put you against the place. Are you going up now, Miss? Step inside the lift. No. 20 did you say?" And he winked.

Tuppence quelled him with a stern glance and stepped inside.

As she rang the bell of No. 20 she was conscious of Albert's eyes slowly descending beneath the level of the floor.

A smart young woman opened the door.

"I've come about the place," said Tuppence.

"It's a rotten place," said the young woman without hesitation. "Regular old cat—always interfering. Accused me of tampering with her letters. Me! The flap was half undone anyway. She's wrong 'un, that's what she is. Swell clothes, but no class. Cook knows something about her—but she



A Woman Was Standing by the Fire-place.

a kind of metallic strength that found expression in the tones of her voice and in that gimlet-like quality of her eyes.

For the first time Tuppence felt afraid. She had not feared Whittington, but this woman was different. As if fascinated, she watched the long, cruel line of the red, curving mouth, and again she felt that sensation of panic pass over her. Her usual self-confidence deserted her. Vaguely she felt that deceiving this woman would be very different to deceiving Whittington. Here, indeed, she might expect no mercy.

Mrs. Vandemeyer motioned to a chair.

"You can sit down. How did you hear I wanted a house-parlor maid?"

"Through a friend who knows the lift boy here. He thought the place might suit me."

Again that basilisk glance seemed to pierce her through.

"You speak like an educated girl?" Glibly enough, Tuppence ran through her imaginary career on the lines suggested by Mr. Carter. It seemed to her, as she did so, that the tension of Mrs. Vandemeyer's attitude relaxed.

"I see," she remarked at length. "Is there anyone I can write to for a reference?"

"I lived last with a Miss Dufferin, The Parsonage, Llanelly. I was with

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| 22, 4:30 a. m. | 21, 11:32 p. m. |
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SUNDAY MAIL HOURS

The delivery window of the Halsey postoffice is open Sundays from 1:05 to 11 a. m. and 12:15 to 12:30 p. m.

Sunday mail goes out only on the north-bound 11:37 train:

Paid-for Paragraphs

Admittance Here 5 Cents a Line

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, for the sympathies expressed and for the beautiful floral offerings extended during the sickness and at the death of our beloved mother and sister.

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Old papers 5c a bundle at the Enterprise office.

A. D. Smith was a Eugene visitor a few days last week.

Automobile races at the state fair ground Monday were about as leadly as the impromptu ones on the highways that we read of every day. Francis Elmore McGrath was killed, George Tucker probably fatally injured and Glen Walker, Dick Jones and Tip Bloom sent to hospitals.

As an answer to Otto H. Kahn's statement that "the international banker is a myth," the Dearborn Independent says: "In the statement of the National City bank of New York as to its condition June 30 there appears among its assets the following item: 'Ownership of International Banking Corporation, \$8,500,000.'"

Shedd Shots

By Anna Pennell
Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hamilton have returned from a vacation at Newport and are visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer, who formerly lived near Shedd but more recently near The Dalles, have returned to live on the Henry Bateman place, near Brownsville.

Miss Mildred Allen of Tacoma is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Homer Mornhinweg.

Miss Dorothy Satchwell was in Shedd Saturday, attending the fair from Albany.

Mrs. Hoyt and son Russell, who has been visiting at Mrs. Homer Mornhinweg's, left on Monday night for San Luis Obispo, Cal.

George Coon of Astoria was a Shedd visitor on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ernest of Colorado Springs are visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ernest.

Bill Porter and his brother, Frank are touring Washington exhibiting cattle at the different fairs and may go up into Canada.

Leonard Satchwell, who has been working in Salem, is home visiting his mother, Mrs. Nellie Satchwell.

Mrs. Gladys McClain of Seattle is visiting her father, O. B. Connor.

Guy Porter and his son David of Albany were at Brasfield's Tuesday evening.

NEVER QUITE GOT THE POINT

Good and Sufficient Reason Why Litterer Had Not Properly Appointed Hick Henbenny's Story.

"What do you think of that there funny story that old Hick Henbenny is always telling?" inquired a resident of the Sandy Mush neighborhood.

"I hain't never heard it when it was right funny," replied an acquaintance. "Uncle Hick has hollered me to stop at his house as I was passing ten or a dozen times while his folks were away, and bring out a jug of lick he'd got down in the holler. We'd both take a horn, and then he'd tell his story. It wouldn't be funny the first time, but directly we'd take another horn, and he'd tell it ag'in. It would begin to sound sorter like it ort to turn out funny, and we'd take another horn apiece. He begin to tell it ag'in, and before he'd get to the pint I'd be dead to the world. So I never did hear whether it was funny or not."—Kansas City Star.

MISERY IN CONSTANTINOPLE

The famous beggars of Constantinople must go. Their numbers have increased so greatly since the war and they have become so importunate and impudent that the authorities have instructed the police to stop their operations. They infest the streets and localities where foreigners gather, demanding bakshesh at every step. In a recent roundup nearly 2,000 children of both sexes were found to be living by begging and sleeping in ruins, old dug-outs, under mosque terraces or in niches in the walls. In one nest more than forty boys and girls were found.