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An Oregon Newspaper—California news does not suit you—Eastern papers will not answer—This is distinctively the Oregon Newspaper entirely covering Oregon interests.

VALLEY LOCAL NEWS.

AUMSVILLE.

Aumsville meat market has started a branch butcher shop at Stayton and think of starting one at Turner in the near future.

Mr. D. E. Swank has traded his Wierick property for the Irman property, and is therefore owner of one of the best mill sites in Aumsville.

School commenced Monday September 24th with a full school. The two rooms are over-crowded, and the board is talking of opening up another room.

Rev. S. Spear preached to the people of Aumsville last Sunday.

John Mott talks of opening a shoe shop in the near future, in Aumsville.

Henry Porter was in town last week. He is residing at his country residence, but will soon move to the city to spend the winter.

We have two regular stage lines, and one railroad running through Aumsville.

Everything is quiet in town. No politics, no scandal, no church and no preacher, contentment and happiness reigns supreme.

MARION.

L. A. Walker recently lost a fine young horse

Al Paton and Lee Wiseman have gone to the coast, and promise to bring home some fish, and they are the boys to bring them.

Ell Barnett and son stopped over Sunday with relatives here. They are on their way to Louisiana.

Riley Tomlinson and family arrived here last Saturday night. They came from Kansas and expect to make Oregon their home.

Our postmaster, Mr. Winslow, and son Sam, started for Kansas Tuesday morning. S. M. Tomlinson has been appointed as his successor in the post-office and is also putting in a stock of groceries.

Our general station agent, H. A. Hinchshaw, who has been sick, is now able to walk around, and will soon resume work. J. C. Pickett has charge of the depot, while the agent takes his medicine like a little man.

FRUITLAND.

Now that the farmers have harvested their several crops and are enjoying a little breathing spell I will take the time to write you a few lines to tell you how we in this "neck of the woods" are prospering.

The wheat crop has been garnered for some little time now. The yield this year was light but the quality is very good.

Hops are all gathered. The yield was excellent and if we get a fair price for them we will be all right.



"As old as the hills" and never excelled. "Tried and proven" is the verdict of millions.

Better

Than

Pills

Druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

The King of Liver Medicines. It has cured thousands of cases of Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, Constipation, and all the ailments that result from a disordered liver.

The saw mill is going again at full blast and running out about 4000 feet per day.

School opened last Monday week under the guidance of Prof. Freeman.

The I. O. G. T. lodge at this place is a staunch social stand-by. We meet regularly every Thursday evening and for the last few weeks our number has been added to largely.

Farmers young and old, men and women all believe in having pleasant social times and scarcely a week passes that some pleasant surprise or party does not occur.

McKinley in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 3.—Gov. Wm. McKinley yesterday afternoon spoke to an immense throng. He was introduced by Senator Davis, who happily remarked:

"That unless the signs of the times were wrong, the governor would, two years hence, be the leader of the Republican hosts." This sentiment was vigorously applauded. In his first sentence Governor McKinley struck a responsive chord.

The governor found subject for reflection in the fact that Wilson had to go to a foreign country to get congratulations for the passage of the tariff law which bears his name.

Some inquisitive individual asked "what's the matter with the A. P. A.?" The interruption was not well received and there came cries from all parts of the theater, "put him out."

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Corbett's Farewell Fight.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Jim Corbett, the champion pugilist, last night gave out his ultimatum. He says: "Let these men who are seeking notoriety at my expense get together all the fighters in the world who have \$10,000 to wager that I cannot defeat them, no weight or color barred. I will deposit \$10,000 with David Blanchard, of Boston, as evidence of my good faith, and I will devote any one week after July 1st, next, to fighting one of them each night during that week."

At the insane asylum, in which 600 patients are confined had been blown down and many patients injured, but as the asylum is situated one mile from the city the rumor cannot be confirmed. A number of escaped lunatics have been captured near the Union depot and this fact gives color to the rumor.

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AN ARKANSAS CYCLONE

Wrecks the State Penitentiary and Asylum.

ONLY FEW FATALITIES REPORTED

But the Damage Will Reach a Million Dollars.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 3.—A terrible cyclone struck this city at 7:20 yesterday evening and almost devastated the business portion of the city. Several people are known to have been killed and many are injured.

The cyclone was accompanied by a terrific storm and the stocks of goods in those business houses that were unroofed, though not otherwise wrecked, are destroyed by water.

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Many residences were damaged, roofs blown away and walls partly demolished. The next marked damage was when the storm struck the Martin building, a large brick building and apartment house occupied by the Arkansas Methodist and several offices.

BRICK BLOCKS RAZED.

From that point east the scene that met the view of the vast throng who flocked thither this morning, was beyond description. Some of the most substantial brick structures in the district lying along Main and Markham streets south to Fourth and Fifth, were razed.

MISSING.

Several inmates of the asylum were missing. A conservative estimate of the financial loss on state institutions is \$225,000. On business property, \$800,000. On dwellings, \$300,000.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH

Conflict Over the Island of Madagascar.

THE ENGLISH PREDICT TROUBLE.

While the French Declare Everything Most Tranquil.

CABINET SUMMONED.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—All the afternoon papers gravely discuss the hasty summoning of the cabinet council. It is generally accepted as being connected with some serious difficulty with France.

ENGLAND A UNIT.

The Globe says today the news of the blockade of the island of Madagascar has set at rest all doubts as to the immediate business of tomorrow's cabinet council.

ALL PORTS BLOCKADED.

ANTANARIVAO, Madagascar, Oct. 3.—A blockade of all the ports of the island of Madagascar, has been proclaimed by France.

NEVER MORE TRANQUIL.

PARIS, Oct. 3.—The Matin says: "Once our differences with the Madagascar government settled, and there will be no pretext for a French-British conflict. Relations between the two governments were never more tranquil."

Officials of the foreign office deny that the summoning of the cabinet tomorrow is due to a hitch in negotiations with France regarding Madagascar. They say one of the chief subjects to be brought up is the safety of British subjects resident in China.

It Could Be Done.

A Catholic paper says that the archbishop of Cashel, examining a little boy on the catechism, asked him, "What is matrimony?" The little fellow couldn't recall the words of the answer, but, determined not to be beaten, replied, "Two people getting married, your grace."

MANCHURIA ENTERED.

The Japanese Army Lands at L. Chaur.

THE CHINESE ARMY DEMORALIZED.

Their People in a State of Consternation.

JAPS EFFECT A LANDING.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Shanghai says the governor of Korea, Manchuria, reports that the Japanese have effected a landing to the rear of Lan Chud. It is added that the whole province is in a state of consternation, and measures for its defense are being adopted.

CHINESE BRACING UP.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 3.—Native papers confirm the reports exclusively cabled to the Associated Press yesterday that 5000 Japanese troops have landed in the northeastern portion of Korea. It is reported the Chinese soldiers who retreated from Ping Yang have taken up a position at Ngan, where they have been joined by troops, landed on the banks of the Yalu river and others from Shing King.

This Chinese force is reported to be entrenching itself in the most thorough manner possible and it is now thought probable the result of the war will be decided in the battle which it is expected must surely be fought at Ngan. Chinese authorities in this city attempted to arrest a Japanese traveling from Manchuria suspected of being a spy. The police handed him over to the American consul.

GERMAN SHIPS.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 3.—German warships have been ordered to proceed to ports in North China.

OFFICIALS PUZZLED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Officials here, who have been closely watching the progress of the war in the East, are puzzled to account for the landing of 5000 Japanese troops at Poesai bay, as announced officially from Tien Tsen. This bay lies directly on the eastern boundary between Korea and the Russian maritime provinces. It is not believed any Chinese troops are in the neighborhood, as the country is too rugged and barren to warrant the plan of marching the troops overland clear across Korea to join the army advancing on Moukden, and it is considered conceivable that the Japanese are preparing to resist a possible advance by the Russian troops from the north into Korea.

ANNIHILATION POSSIBLE.

The purpose of the movement reported from Tien-Tsen, of the reconnoitering by the Japanese fleet off the Chinese coast, near Shan Hai Kwan, is more reasonable and apparent. Shan Hai Kwan lies on the boundary between the Chinese provinces of Manchuria and Chi Li, at the eastern end of the great wall which traverses China. It is directly on the railroad building from Tien-Tsin to Moukden, and, as the line is already in operation between it and Tien-Tsin, the town is a place of great strategic advantage. Should the Japanese effect its capture and land an army, there would be nothing in the way of a rapid advance on Peking, the capital, and, unless the Chinese resistance is more formidable than it has been so far, the march could be made in a week or ten days.

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