A Promising Prospect for War.

On the 23d of March last Russian troops under Gen. Komaroff made an attack on Afghan soldiers in the town of Pendjeh. In accordance with the traditional Russian policy a ruthless butchery prevailed, 700 Afghans falling and but a few Russians. The significance of the event lies in the fact that England and Afghanist in are altreaty. The purport and full mean the adjacent islands. ing of the league may be drawn from the speech of the Ameer of Afghanistan at Rawal Pindi in which he said that the enemies of Great Britain were his enemies and that he would draw his sword against any of them whatso- upon its fertile bosom, "more than

The fealty and the honor of the British Empire are at stake. She has ed by our own people." And the eaten enough diplomatic dirt and has been altogether too meek and humble, and the last insult would seem almost too bitter to be borne. Russia has thrown off the last restraint, and bluntly informed England that she will not discuss the Pendjeh affair. The English policy of temporizing may mean nothing more than a desire to gain time. In the meantime both nations are straining every nerve in military preparations.

The wheat crop of the Atlantic as well as the Pacific seaboard must be taken to market on English ships. We have not ships enough of our own nor has any other nation. An American cannot buy a foreign built ship. Thus the chance to become what we were 24 years ago the leading shipping nation of the world, will be lost and our citizens will suffer immense damage as many cargoes of wheat belonging to our people will be captured by Russian cruisers. The Republican party is responsible for the laws which has blighted our mercantile marine. Year after year our shipbuilding and has squawked his cry for protection, protection, protection and a double ticle. greatest mercantile marine, the greatest activity in shipbuilding ever known in the history of the country was under a low tariff and Democratic rule.

The view has been taken by some that if Russia puts out cruisers, Eng-"first catch the hare" will apply well here, Russia is now trying to buy two of the fastest ships in the world from S. F. parties. They have a speed of 16 knots per hour. If the British ers, rare flower leaves and jessamines warships with a speed of from 8 to and tube rose blossoms in the manufac-12 knots per hour could catch theseships they would soon capture and destroy them. But they will have to catch them first.

Gen. Grant has not only become able to ride out, but to walk out, and is strong in the hope of ultimate recovery. his fate. If it turns out that his disease was plain, ordinary quinsy, which his wife could have cured in half the time with hot flannels, liniment and a simple gar, gle, which doubtless she knows how to compound, the jokes will be on the doctors, who can well afford to be laughed at in consideration of contingent fees. If the "cancer cures" that stock the Grant mansion were properly put up, labeled and thrown upon the mardet, each with a properly attested certificate that Gen. Grant's remarkable recovery was largely due to its intrinsic merits, the fortune of the family would once more be made. - Telegram.

Paper is made in France from hop vines, and it is claimed that the fiber is the best substitute for rags yet obis the best substitute for rags yet obtained, as it possesses great length, strength, flexibility and delicacy. It may be to the advantage of paper makers near hop-growing districts to makers near hop-growing districts to investigate this matter, for the vines fifty cent and one dollar bottles.

It was a happy thought that led to the production of a concentraced fruit syrup, so harmless in its nature that it may be given either to the mother or her babe, reliabled ahke by both, and of such wonderful efficacy that all who take it feel brighter and happier. F M Wilkins, Eugene, or W S Lee, Junction, will furnish trial bottles free of charge, or will sell fifty cent and one dollar bottles. are now a waste product, and if they are properly adapted for fine paper, as it is claimed, a valuable stock has been running to waste. Bean and pea vines

in cancer of the the tongue is, without operation, 101 months; with operation, 16 months. In some cases, after operation, the patients have lived for from two to five years, or even ten years.

It is said by those who think that England is in good condition to begin her inevitable war with Russia that, Osburn & Co's drug store. as the labor market in England is much depressed, there will be no difficulty now in raising troops.

The Premier of Victoria recently asked the Government Statist to furnish a statement showing the probable increase in the population of Australia in the next hundred years, calculated at every ten years. Mr. Hayter has made out the return asked for, and in making his calculation has allowed the same increase as actually occurred between 1871 and 1881. According to this basis, in 30 years Aus tralia will be a nation of 10,000,000; in 50 years the population will be 20,-000,000; and in 100 years over 108,lies for peace or war and bound in 000,000 will people the Continent and

The Governor of Kansas, in his proclamation for an arbor day, says that "the State which the pioneers found treeless" and a desert, now bears 20,000,000 fruit trees and more than 200,000 acres of forest trees, all plant-Governor also says "that there has been an increase in the rainfall in Kansas is fully proved by the statistics of our oldest meteorologists."

During the Spanish invasion of Holland over two centuries ago several victories were won by the native soldiers who, on skates, suddenly moved on the forces of Alva, and as quietly retired to their own camp. For a period of more than 400 years the soldiers have been trained to perform evolution on the skates.

Not a soldier of the Prussian army has died of smallpox since 1875, and the medical authorities assert that if they could have vaccination as strictly carried out with the other European population as in the Prussian army smallpox itself would disappear in five

The King of Bavaria has ordered for his new Summer Palace a single chandelier at a cost of \$250,000. The Bavarian people are struggling to cheapen shipowning interests have decreased, the price of bread so that the pocrest and still the Protectionist poll parrot may have a share of that necessary armay have a share of that necessary article. And thus the good king aids

The tin districts of the Malay peninsula are said to be, without exception, the richest in the world, The form of tin deposits there is known as the land, having so many war ships, would stream tin and they are practically in soon conquer them, but the old saying, exhaustible.

> One distillery at Cannes, France, uses annually 146 tons of accacia flowture of perfume.

> Gen. Barrios, the dead tyrant of Central America, was in favor of the Nicaragua canal project. He was a jingo of the worst type, and deserved

> The other day Secretary Lamar said to a caller who told him that he was not seeking office: "You are like a bottle of rose water in an ocean of

> John Sherman has become a convert to honest politics. This Democratic Administration is doing a marvellous work of regeneration.-N. Y. Times.

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Dr Scarbrough and wife, of Cresswell, were in town last week.

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W H Hill23 J H Whitmore....40 J W Porter.....27 R B Kelsay 20 Philo Wilcox 15

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A. W. PATTERSON, County Supt.

Cottage Grove Items.

[PROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Weather clear and cool at present. Mr Geo Simpson, of Siuslaw, was in town

Saturday. Mr John Masterson is creeting a new residence at this place.

Mr Jas Noland, of Eugene, was in town Monday and Puesday. Snow in sight here on the 16th, and hail and showers quite often since.

Mr J C Spray lost a fine mare last week from having its leg broken. Mr Sam Veatch and wife went to Sinslav

the first of the week on a visit. A number of our citizens have gone Eugene this week to attend Court,

Nixson Thomson, youngest son of H and I Thomson, died April 19, 1885, aged about 1

Mr S B Eakin, Jr, of Eugene, Mr E W Whipple and others of this place went to Bobemia last week.

Mr Nat Martin, wife and mother, pusse through town last Friday on a visit to Mrs M's father, Mr Allen, on the McKenzie.

Mr James Carry of this place left last Friday for Roseburg; having secured a position as section boss on the O & C railroad.

Mr George Taylor, of Mohawk, passed here last Sunday morning for the mountains west of this place, where he has taken a ranch.

Mr J J Comstock's new engine has proved insufficient to run his saw mill, consequently as he got it on trial he has sent it back to have

Dr Sharples and son, Dr Harris, Dr C D Osburn, Frank Osburn and J N Goltra, of Eugene, and Dr Scarbrough of Cresswell, were in town Monday at the inquest of Mr Thompson's child.

There was a party of serenaders out on a mission Monday evening. They went to a number of residences and gave the inmates the benefit of their melodies. At last they went to a house and poured fourth all the music their talents were capable of producing. No sound or light greeted ear or eye from within. After all their efforts had failed to rouse the occupants, it was discovered that the house

April 15, 1885. Miss Lizzie Renick came up from Eugene

Mr Man Wharton has opened a barber shop

Mr J J Comstock went to Albany Monday and returned Tuesday. Marion Martin, Jr, came up from Eugene Friday to enjoy the vacation.

Mr Ed Olson is building a house on the Shield addition to our city. Miss Ester Damewood has returned from Polk county, where she has been since last

Mr A F Johnson was selling some of his goods at auction last Saturday. C C Jackson was the auctioneer.

Mr Z T Collins' and family, of Goshen, passed through town Tuesday on their way to Mr John Damewood's on a visit,

Mr Robt Breeding, of Eastern Oregon, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs J F Spray, has been laid up with the rheumatism ever since his arrival here, April 1st,

There was a general rain in this part of the county last Saturday night, and Sunday about 5 p m there was a very heavy shower lasting half an hour, which is sufficient for the present in this locality. West of here a few miles no rain feel at all.

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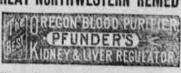
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