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OFFICIAL PAPER FOR OREGON,
OF THE
Congress of the United States and the
War Department.

SUMNER'S SPEECH.

Comments by the English Press.
Leading English journals discuss Senator Sumner's great speech on Alabama Claims, in an amusing mixture of lamentation and defiance. We have not space to quote at length, but a few lines from the *Pall Mall Gazette* will serve as a specimen:

"Mr. Sumner has proved to a demonstration what is the real feeling of the nation and of the government, which on this question he may fairly be said to represent. It is evidently a feeling which cannot be propitiated by any half and half concessions. We shall be greatly to blame if we do not see in it a warning that we have incurred, though by no fault of our own, the anger of a very powerful people, which has only now found out that in military and naval eminence it can rival the greatest European powers. No doubt Mr. Sumner's only reference to war was a repudiation of its alleged necessity. But it is quite possible that this certainty of unbroken peace may prove only a Fool's Paradise. The ties of blood are not likely to count for more when England and the United States are concerned, than they counted for when the combatants were two sections of the same people. The paramount considerations which should govern the policy of this country toward the United States, are the fruitfulness of further negotiations, and the necessity of being prepared for war."

WEST SIDE FINANCES.

The contract made by the East Side road has been a constant subject of criticism with the advocates of West Side. They have always claimed that \$35,000 per mile was an unreasonable price, and have declared that their West Side road could be built for \$15,000 per mile. Let us see how well their professions agree with their practice.

Last October the Gaston company made a contract with several prominent and wealthy gentlemen of Portland for the construction of 150 miles of its road, promising to pay \$30,000 per mile, in gold coin, and \$250,000 of their bonds were executed and sent to New York for sale, the proceeds to be applied on the contract, and the highest figure placed on the bonds was 70 cents on the dollar, while it is not denied they would have been glad to sell them for 50 cents or 60 cents on the dollar.

This would have made the road cost them \$50,000 or \$60,000 per mile, in bonds drawing interest, and payable in gold coin.

Comment is quite unnecessary—except to call attention to the fact that these "would-be" contractors were "a company within a company," and the people have a right to know how these railroad companies are conducted. The only reason, we suppose, why the West Side road is not built, is that its bonds won't sell at any price. The capacity to issue bonds is unlimited—if a market could be found for them: They understand the mechanical labor and only lack the desired financial ability.

Nova Scotia has not been making idle threats to unite her destinies with the United States rather than submit to an odious and compulsory admission to the Canadian Dominion. A powerful sentiment is reported to exist in favor of annexation. If it were one of the beauties of monarchy to grant to her appanages the privileges of free opinion, a vast majority of the people of that little province would declare for the scheme.

RAILROAD SUBSIDIES.

A great deal is being said about Grant, because he has come out square in opposing any further cash subsidies to railroads until we return to specie payments. He is correct about this. He is not opposed to liberal donations of land wherever the country can be benefited by aiding the construction of railroads.

We should rejoice to see Mr. Pengra, the Military Road Company, "or any other man," get sufficient encouragement to enable them to build a Railroad from Eugene City to Centerville—on the Central Pacific Railroad in the State of Nevada. But, understand us—we do not want to have every other internal improvement in the State—nor any other, for that matter—made subservient to that scheme. Let every tub stand upon its own basis! When Mr. Pengra was in Yreka he gave the Editor of the *Journal* a map which represented his branch through Rogue River Valley crossing the Cascades to Umpqua. The *Journal* says:

We asked him how he expected to pass through Rogue River Valley by such a route. He said the line would have to run from the north end of Klamath Lake southward to Rogue River Valley, that it would require some tunneling to pass the Siskiyou, and that it would not do to mark the road out on a map in such a manner, or they never would get a grant from Congress. We asked him why it was not a better route to build from the Humboldt westwardly across the lower end of Surprise Valley, and through Siskiyou county in preference to circling around the north end of Klamath Lake to reach Rogue River Valley, to which he replied that they could not get across the Sierra Nevada at that point. This is about the substance of his replies to us on these questions. In addition, we will state that during all last winter the heaviest freighting was carried on between Lake City in Surprise Valley, and Elko in the railroad, and a splendid wagon road is built to Reno, which looks to us as though this route would be easy for a railroad. The only difficult place from Surprise Valley westward is over the hill on the west side of that valley, which is no obstacle at all compared with work generally performed in hilly sections to build roads. Taking the map, the route suggested by us is certainly the most direct, and we believe the most feasible. Unless some better reason is advanced, we must consider this the best route for an Oregon branch to go through Rogue River Valley, but if the intention is to go direct to Eugene City from Centerville, the route across the Klamath Lake basin is undoubtedly the best.

RAFT LOST.—As the steamer *Columbia* was towing a boom of logs around Point Ringold, a few days since, she stopped a while for some purpose, long enough for her to let the tow-line settle to the bottom. When she again got under headway the boom-sticks began to sink, allowing the logs, 260 in number, to scatter over Admiralty Inlet, which they promptly did. The towline was found to have caught under the fluke of a two thousand pound anchor, which together with thirty fathoms of chain was secured by the steamer, but the raft was lost—*Olympia Paper*.

NOT A SUBJECT OF DOUBT.—That Newell's Pharynx Syrup is the most effective and never failing remedy for affections of the throat and lungs.

TAKE NOTICE.—This is to warn all persons come meet, that hereafter the undersigned will be in the habit of holding his office as a notary public, on the 25th day of May, 1869. JOHN GOLDON.

JUST RECEIVED a quantity of the best French Cognac, the very thing for good Templars and Sons of Temperance.

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Main Street, Oregon City.
J. F. Miller & Co., Proprietors.

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Late LINCOLN HOUSE.
No. 84 Front Street, Portland, Oregon.
L. P. W. QUIMBY, PROPRIETOR.
(Late of Western Hotel).

EVERYBODY WANTS 'EM.—There is one thing which nobody ever objects to, except rogues: business puffs. We rarely ever get through a day without meeting with several excellent opportunities to advertise somebody's business, gratis. We often feel honored by the eligible offers we have to work for somebody else's benefit, and sometimes regret that the law of checks and balances—in Latin, *quid pro quo*—invariably restrains us from just devoting ourselves and the *Oregonian's* local columns to the service of the public generally. If the newspaper business could flourish on nothing, it would be delightful to pitch in and wear out one's self in scribbling free puffs, free announcements, free everything; but newspaper lamps won't burn without oil—a discovery made a good many years ago, though apparently not generally known outside of the family. When this discovery was made, an ingenious fellow invented the "advertising department" and patented the idea of paying for business announcements. That is to say, if you work for us or sell us goods, we pay you equivalent; if we work, or what is the same thing, advertise for you, you pay us an equivalent. That's business, queer as it may seem to the hunters of free puffs. "Nuff sed."

—*Oregonian*.

—We ask the special attention of our readers to the advertisement in another column, of the Oregon City Woolen Mills Company. These mills are perhaps the best now upon the Pacific coast, and the company is much better prepared than ever for a large business. Their goods are thoroughly made, of all the various grades, and are warranted.

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VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE CHEAP.—We know of 150 acres of good land for sale in this county, being the land claim of J. L. Stout, in what is known as the Ringold settlement. It will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, on very fair terms. This land is only 12 miles from Oregon City. For further information apply to N. W. Randall, of this city, or J. L. Stout, Unit, Baker's Bay, W. T., or A. Drew Stout, in the abovementioned settlement.

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Oregon City, March 28, 1869. (251)

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