"THERE IS A CAUSE."

Bro. Jackson, of the East Oregonian, of this article from the issue of yester-

and stripped her fingers of valuable rings, and yet in this same town the richest men on earth are found, who consume, but produce nothing, and editors, ministers, lawyers and other gentlemen "earn" as much refrained from expressing opinion conas \$26,000 or \$50,000 a year. So the pro- cerning it. But his silence cannot be fessional thief selects the same field to ply much longer maintained. his operations, although in a coarser, more vulgar and offensive way. As intelligence spreads and becomes more general the ranks of the professions, privileged classes, as well as the "birds of prey," will be thinned out, and the burdens which weigh down is still triumphant; that our dealings with one another are only a tew degrees removed from what is known as thieving-getting

way." It may be a fact that these batants. professional men "produce nothing" combatting the ills and pains to which professions and the common street discountenanced. thief or body-robber is the offensive way in which the latter plics his voca-

which pervades the unfortunate classes, or the unequal distribution of wealth, is not nearly as productive of thugs and thieves as the law of heredity. Like begets like is as true as sunlight, and an impure fountain cannot send forth a clear stream. When philan- Chilian navy is far superior. thropists pay the same attention to the training of boys and girls as sportcrime and many more good citizens. most revolting acts by a street educetion, and girls are not taught their proper, God-designed position in the economy of creation, our penitentiaries will be crowded and hideous vice will stalk in open daylight on our streets.

THE CHILIAN QUESTION.

The Chicago Inter Ocean dispassionately discusses this subject in the following language: If the people of the United States are to choose between the plain affirmations of their own citizens and the denials of foreigners the choice will be in favor of their own citizens. The choice will be more quickly and irrevocably made if it appear that the affirmations of American citizens are made without motive of self-interest, while the denials of foreigners are open to suspicions of bosof wrong doing. There will be neither hesitation nor retraction about such involved by it.

and wounded in Valparaiso is not in doubt. So much the Chilian government admits. That the seamen should Chilian authorities may have a motive for denying the participation of officials of their republic in the assault is evident. If the seamen had been assaulted by a mere mob of Chilian toughs and rowdies, and if the police and military of Chili had rentiled advantageous to the nation, it is to the community and individual, and it is would be practically demonstrated beyond dispute.

Some nation is a disputed by a mere when formed and ministration is acting in a careful, conservative manner. Other the police and military of Chili had rentiles, its to the supposition is that his slayer when formed and antistration is acting in a careful, conservative manner. When the government of the United States, and the nose is split so that he is a horrible sight. He fractured in several places, and the nose is split so that he is a horrible sight. He fractured in several places, and the nose is split so that he is a horrible sight. He fractured in several places, and the nose is split so that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is split so that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is split so that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is split so that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is split so that he is a horrible sight. He first principles and the supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a horrible supposition is split so that he is a lice and military of Chili had rendered service in rescuing them from the mob, no reason could be imagined

hostile to those of the United States, and if some of the Chilian police and ment of little, if any good, and gen r- cline to give preference to the testi- penter gerrymander)." ations yet unborn will witness the mony of its own citizens. Under the human race as curse the history of the lated it is reasonable to expect that disapproval of that measure in the present time. We quote the following the citizens of neutral nations will be most forcible manner possible for him. editorial paragraph under the caption lieve as the people of the United He has condemned it in his inaugural States do.

has waited patiently for the collection of all the evidence obtainable, and has

the ultimatum has been reached be- the politicians of Ohio at that early tween the United States and Chili, day, and when they met in constituevery soul. At present we all see darkly. and the South American republic must tional convention they got even with We look at things narrowly and through apologize or fight. Of course, this will the governor by allowing that office no bedimmed spectacles. The thief's presence arouse the enthusiam of our young veto power. tells us plainly that ignorance and brutality men and those desirous of winning military fame; but war in this age of the world is something terrible to con- wretched legislation, notably Governor something for doing nothing-taking when template. A conflict between nations Campbell, who, after he called the is no longer a simple test of the phys- legislature in extraordinary session We agree with Bro. Jackson that ical endurance and pluck of individ- could not veto the work they did there is a cause that produces thieves | uals, for advancement in the munitions | which was unsatisfactory to him. He and murderers; but we do not believe of war in the last decade has been as was wiser and fairer than his party, that the "professional thief selects the marked as in any other department, but he could not prevent the Demosame field to ply his operations" as the The engagements between armed cratic legislature doing some very bad editor, minister, lawyer and other pro forces are determined in this age work. fessional gentlemen, "although in a of the world by the scientific applicoarser, more vulgar and offensive ances possessed by either of the com-

and years ago it was written in a lians. That the murder of the two well as Democrats who have done so book, which is rendered venerable American seamen in the port of Valboth by its antiquity and sanctity, that paraiso on October 16th was without penter bill passing the Ohio legislature. that "man shall not live by bread the least excuse cannot be denied, and It has been condemned by Governor alone," It is necessary that his intel- | that the United States has given Chili McKinley, Senator Sherman, and the lectual and moral nature be fed as well many opportunities to make rep- Republican press of Ohio. as his animal, and if individuals were aration for the injury suffered to pass their years of life in simply is also true. These facts make wag, and he probably framed the bill eating to repair the decay of their the war, if it must come, a simple vin- to show the Democrats how he could functions, men would not be removed dication of our rights, and not one of turn their tactics against them. There the least degree from the brute crea- retaliation or reprisal. Many enthu- is no danger of the Republican legislation. To live, the faculties of the brain siastic patriots claim that Chili would ture making that bill a law. and heart must be trained and devel- be a desirable dependency upon this oped as well as the functions of the country, and that the object of the labor and cheap productions for the literary man and the minister of the republic. This is contrary to the gospel are producers. Regarding law- spirit of our institutions and the conyers, we do not know where to place stitution, and would be more plausible them. Perhaps Jay Gould, Vander- in the dark ages than in the refulgent bilt and the Johnathan Wilds of this light of the last decade of the nineteenth century. If a conflict is inevicessity; but doctors, members of a table, it should be waged solely for the very important professional branch, do protection of American citizens and a noble work in prolonging life and the maintenance of the dignity of the government in the family of nations. flesh is heir. We cannot agree with When this is secured the object is acour esteemed cotemporary that the complished, and filibustering and buconly difference between the learned cancering should by all means be

War with Chili will be no holiday sport. The citizens of the little republic have long been known as the There are undoubtedly causes that Yankees of South America, and for ushered the murderer and thief into years their navy has received the most existence, and if as much attention careful attention of the government. were paid to the human species as to As a result she has some of the best the breeding of horses and hogs there war ships affoat, able to cope with would be less crime before our those of any European power. Of courts daily. The spirit of unrest the contrary, the United States has paid but little attention to coast defenses, and until very recently did not possess a navy. Some shirs have been constructed in the last few years of the latest patterns, but persons conversant with both countries say the

Aside from these facts, war means the expenditure of treasure and the ing men do to horses, there will be less sacrifice of human lives. The martial tread of armies means the desolation But while boys are familiarized with of countries and the stoppage of industrial development. A conflict between nations, with the improved engines of death and destruction now in use, should be the last consideration when every other means of conciliation have failed, and we are satisfied that the authorities at Washington City will be cautious and conservative in the matter, however much the temper of the people have been aroused.

The coming season the Inland Empire should make rapid strides in the direction of development. With the wealth of the soil pouring its grain and wool into the markets of the world, and cheap means of transportation to seaboard via the Columbia river, no portion of the continent has greater incentives to prosperity. The only thing necessary to make Eastern Oregon the New England of the west is the inauguration of manufactures. and these should be established in every town east of the Cascades. Not one dollar should be sent east choice if the honor of this republic is for any article that can be raised and placed on the market here. Every grocer should have Eastern States ship Baltimore were attacked Oregon canned fruits, dried beef, and dry goods merchants fabrics from our own looms. Until such a plan is Chilian authorities may have a advantageous to the nation, it is to the

The military spirit of our citizens

to equal advantage in the locality.

soldiery had been active in attack up- Kinley contained courageons language | country on something, and as its recon the scamen, the natural tendency of regarding the fraudulent process of ord for the past twenty-five years has Chilian diplomacy would be to assert gerrymandering legislative and con- been everything but patriotic and that the attack was the work of a mob gressional districts to suit the political honest, it attempts to attract votthis part of the world, and this does Chilian diplomats do assert. The World says: "If Governor McKinley keeping a useless surplus in the treashonest intentions; but we believe he that of the credibility of witnesses. the courage of them he will not ap- have a better opinion of the organizawill be unsuccessful in the accomplish- Inevitably, the United States will in- prove any such measure (as the Car- tion, and consider it more patriotic

address, and he would no doubt have The president has acted with digni- the courage to veto it after it passed fied courtesy and with great forbear- the legislature, if he had the veto fell dead in Washington Square, New York | ance in this matter. He has not in- power, as the Inter Ocean well says. city, thieves had gotten her pocket book flamed the temper of the people by But Ohio is one of the few states that adroit appeals to patriotic zeal. He has never given her governor the veto. When General St. Clair was the territoriol governor he was somewhat abrupt in his dealing with the legislature, aud, it is said, did not even take the trouble to notify that body of his disapproval of certain bills, H . simply tore them into bits and threw them The dispatches to-day state that into the waste basket. This incensed

> Several governors of Ohio have found themselves unable to prevent

Governor McKinley has taken the most courageous course that was possible to him. He has condemned par-War is to be greatly deplored, and tisan gerrymanders in his inaugural that go to support the functions of the every effort should be made to secure address and has made his language so body or protect it from the inclemency peace; but this government has suf- clear that it hits at Republicans who of the weather; but nearly two thous- fered great indignities from the Chil- would engage in such legislation as

There is little danger of the Car-

Senator Carpenter is something of

Free raw material means cheap respect whatever. capitalists; but the Republican party voluntarily. has the same solicitude for the woolgrower that it has for the wool manufacturer; in fact, it throws a safeguard nomah, has received the opinions of around every industry that may be the best legal talent in Portland reinjured by competition. Governor garding the constitutionality of the McKinley voiced the sentiments of action of the state board of equalizathe people when he said: "There is tion in classifying property and changone thing that they all might as well ing the valuation by assessors, and in make up their minds to down in the consequence the county court ignored east-that is, that they can't have the report of the state board and the wool free when it comes from the clerk was instructed to "carry out the sheep's back and put a tariff on it extension of his tax rolls on the basis when it comes on our backs. They settled upon by the county board of can't have wool come into their facto- equalization and the county court." ries in New England free and come This will be precedent for other counout of their factories with a tariff to ties to follow. From the carefully the American people."

Senator David B. Hill has announced that he is in favor of tariff reform and the free coinage of silver. Very well; now if he will explain just what sort of tariff reform he is in in favor of, and what he means by tariff reform, he will silence a good many envious tongues .- Telegram. It would be in order at the same time for the Democratic party to inform the country "what sort of tariff reform" it advocates; for the fact is apparent that, although it has howled tariff reform from every platform in the country for years past, it has never definitely formulated its principles on this great economic questionwhether in favor of "horizontal reduction" according to Mr. Morrison, protection to southern industries, as outlined by Mr. Mills, "tariff for revenue only," or British free-trade. It is very important that as a great presidential campaign is approaching the electors of the country should be en-

hightened on this subject. having a newspaper controversy over tries. The fact is apparent to any one the respective merits of their two cities that The Dalles cannot support any as shipping points. Of course Astoria is a hundred miles nearer the ocean than Portland, and ships could receive desirable point for a woolen mill, fruit cargoes with greater facility and at cannery and other industries than this. less expense there than by being It would be well for our business men, towed up the Columbia and Willamette if they desire the growth and prosrivers to the inland seaport. This perity of the city and vicinity, to do apparently is common sense; but the great daily says this is not true, and, perhaps, it knows. If there were a railroad from the Willamette valley to the mouth of the Columbia river, or if disappearing, and, according to the cut. Bunt went to John Bennett's place,

States makes the order, it will be "Our country whether right or wrong States makes the order, it will be made with a vengenace, and the little South American republic will regret "Our country whether right or wrong in war" is the motto of all political organizations in the United States. Who had injured him, he indicated that he could not tell them then, but would later. No trains came along after he left,

Chilian officials had been violently M'KINLEY AND THE GERRY- cons med to an unhonored and untimely grave in the house. The Dem-The inaugural address of Gov. Mc- ocratic party is forced to go before the the laboring poor, if it would open the Governor McKinley has had the same vileness and viciousness in the circumstances that we have recapitu- honesty and the courage to express his doors of the treasury for the public needs, and finish the great internal improvements now in course of con-

THE TESTIMONY CLOSED.

Captain Schley was the last witness xamined before the court of inquiry at Mare Island summoned to investigate the question of the assault upon the Baltimore's sailors in the streets of Valparaiso. The case is now closed so far as the testimony is concerned, and it is possible to review the evidence comprehensively and intelli-The San Francisco Chronicle says:

The substance of the testimony given by the officers and men of the Baltinore is that the attack upon them was and that it was made in pursuance of being the hatred felt by the Chilians poisterous, that they were unarmed, that they obeyed the directions of the them, and that in no sense or at any further proved conclusively that the founded on a barefaced lie and carried through by deceit and fraud.

In the face of such testimony, which s borne out by the evidence of nearly every officer on the ship, it is folly to of Crimes, which held an investigation

ican people are not in favor of this dently to assert itself and insist that doctrine. Protection is broad-guaged Chili make an ample apology and due in its principles, and aims to benefit reparation at once, or take the consethe farmer, the miner, and the wage- quences. We have waited long enough earner. If Democracy were tri- for Chili to do something-now let us umphant, our laborers would sim- see if we cannot compel that country ply toil to increase the dividends of to do justice, since she will not do it

County Judge Moreland, of Multconsidered opinions of these lawyers the action of the state board is clearly unconstitutional and void, and no county is bound by its actions.

Justice Fields, by reason of mosity of those opposed to corporations. There is no denvice the fact that aggregated capital is attempting to rule the country in a very autocratic manner, and yet the accumulation of wealth is such an universal idea with American citizens, that the humblest day-laborer, if he possessed the means, would dictate legislation and personal ends. Money is the "open trodden in the muck and mire of the thoroughfare, when wealth needs a

In another month spring will fairly means of transportation to seaboard our citizens should exercise enterprise track will be cleared. The Oregonian and Astorian are in inaugurating manufacturing induslarger population than it now has without factories, and there is no more something in these matters the coming

ing over this country and Chili is fast a pool of water and his skull frightfully

TELEGRAPHIC.

bliding to Death. St. Louis, Jan. 19 .- A Missouri Pacific train ran into a sleighing party in the suburbs of this city last night, and killed seven or eight persons. The accident oc. curred at Forestville, six miles west of is attempting to inaugurate Utopia in of civilians. And this is what the party in power, and the New York ers by an economic showing and this city. At that place there is a steep hill, which has been used by persons in honor to his philanthropic desires and question fast is narrowing itself as to is honest in his professions and has ury. We believe the people would the neighborhood during the prevailing ship for South America. Among naval cold snap as a sort of toboggan slide. The road down the hill leads across the and possessing greater sympathy for a party of twenty four on a sied, who world, had been indulging in the sport for some time. But finally their merry making their sled, a pair of bobs connected by a long plank, struck the railroad tracks a train dashed into it, killing seven of its Not one of the twenty-four is said to scene of the accident. So far as can be learned the following is the list of the killed: Frederick Neubert, J. C.

Schieffle, Gustave Neubert, William

Miller. Andy Stephenson, the colored driver, was injured, and Charles Frey had

both legs broken, and was terribly cut

about the head and body,

A Runaway Cable Car. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 19- W. H. Schell conductor on the Madison-street cable road was killed about 6 o'clock this morning by the collision of a runsway car with the car on which he was riding. Car No. 6 had started from the powercruel, brutal and entirely unprovoked, house to Lake Washington, and No. 7 was run out over the turntable immepreconcerted plan, the moving cause distely after. James Carroll, the grip while he went into the power house for toward Americans. It was shown lamps. He says he did not set the brakes that the American sailors were not | and that the car was not far enough along the track to pick up the cable and the grap was closed. When he came out five minutes later, he saw the car disappearpolice when they could understand ing over the brow of the hill towards the lake. He ran after it, but it ran down the hill so rapidly that he could not ime were they the assailants. It was catch it. It struck the rear of No. 6 on the trestle at the foot of the bill, and telescoped, knocking Schell through the inducing of the sailors to sign a paper | door, dislocating his neck and otherwise exonerating the police of Valparaiso injuring him, and knocking R. A. and declaring that they had done only burn was stunned for a moment, and his their duty was a despicable trick face badly cut by broken glass. When he recovered he found Schell lead in the

The Grip in England.

LONDON, Jan. 19 .- The influenza in this city has reached the propositions of expect the United States to be bound epidemic, which is raulily spreading and by the decision of the Chilian Court increasing in violence. The total number of cases reported daily is going up by

Is it War or Peace. WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- The cabinet meeting to day was devoted almost entirely to the consideration of the Chilian question. The proceedings were only temporarily interrupted by the slight illness of Secretary Blaine. There is reason to believe the government has received dispatches through the Chilian minister, questions in dispute, and they were sub mitted to the cabinet to day. This may

UMATILLA, Oregon, Jan. 20-The westbound mail train No. 1 was wrecked by man Pound was injured so that he died ing. Joe Warner, a news agent on the rear end of the first coach, was scalded so badly by steam from the car heater that escaped with slight injuries. No passengers were burt. The mail, baggage smoking cars were thrown in front of the engine making a bad looking wreck. LATER PARTICULARS.

Joseph Warner, who was at last accounts in a dying condition. No one else was ride, whose injuries were slight.

It was learned that a broken rail threw the engine from the track on a level piece of read and it plunged off into the sand. The mail and baggage cars folthe fireman sat. He either jumped or was orty-five minutes after the accident, Crisp resigning his position as chairman of the smoking car. The newsboy was he was scalded by escaping steam from the engine. Three other men in the car sleep of death. The mail car was badly begin in this locality, and, with cheap splintered, and the clerks had a narrow and encouraging prospects for crops, and it is expected that by five o'clock the The engineer jumped from the clear

The remains of Fireman Pound were taken to the undertaker's and prepared for burial. Warner is lying in a sleep NEW WHATCOM, Wash., Jan. 20.

rancher at Fort Bellingham, three miles from Whatcom, was found at dusk by a man named Bunt, beside the track near Little Squallicum creek, with his head in adopted, for every dollar earned, we a boat connected with the Regulator at opinion of many in authority, no conthere. A physician was sent for and says ment admits. That the seamen should have any color of motive in making false charges as to the persons of their assailants is incredible. That the in impoverishment. If protection is would be practically demonstrated be—

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tue Capian armored warship Captain Pratt is to the effect the work shops will have the vessel ready for sea in thirty days' time. A number of small fittings remain to be placed in position, though the larger part of the work is what almost any wide-awake offi er would undertake to carry on at sea. It is even

thought probable the Chilian commander, ow with the vessel, may take this view the subject of our ability to resist an attack of the case, and, under pretense of a will be very reassuring: "I think," said the steaming trial, make off officers here it is recognized the Captain Pratt, when fully completed, will be one railroad tracks. This evening there was of the best fitted-out warships in the

while Watchman John Howard, of Rio Vista, was making his rounds he came occupants and maining many others. across a man at the wharf with a shotgun, and not complying with the demand, he was shot by the guard the robbers had placed while robbing the safe of the Southern Pacific. who ordered him to throw up his bands, have escaped injury. An ambulance and not complying with the demand, he outhern Pacific company in a building on the wharf. After the shots were fired the robbers left in a boat, leaving their tools behind them, which the officers have now in their possession. They had drilled a hole in the safe and inserted a which could withstand such projectiles as could be fired from even our present guis. Krone, James Connors, E. Vonbehren, Al fuse ready to light when Howard came along. They are supposed to be the three men who stole a small sloop a few hardly a supposable case that a fleet would hed a few minutes after being found by

Quiet as a Grave.

Washington, Jan. 20.—There was obthing new in the Chilian situation this norning, as no dispatches were received. morning, as no dispatches were received.

Secretary Tracy had nothing to give out,

We could have them ready a week after they and at the state department all was quiet arrived in this city. If the arrived in this city. If the batteries of these home and sent word be was all right. The president's message will not go to congress to-day and probably not this week. This fact has somewhat allayed the excitement in Washington and is re sponsible for the belief, now finding the batteries along the shore of the Golden many supporters, that Chili will at the Gate." ast moment make a full apology. The statement was made that some sort of a peaceful proposition from Chili had been informally submitted for the consideration of the president and Secretary Slaine, but this is not by any means court, has written a courteous and dignified definite. The navy department is going note to Senator Power of Montana, asking ahead with its preparations as if war were certain and Secretary Tracy was almost overwhelmed with callers, Chair man Cameron, of the senate naval comtalks with the secretary.

LAREDO, Tex., Jan. 20 .- A correspondent telegraphs that he has had an interself, nor does he expect to succeed Diaz when that government is overthrown.

A Frightful Death. write him at once. SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 20 .- News eached this city this evening of a sad Snow Riockade in Illinois. affair which occurred about two miles west of Scattle, near Colby, in which two sons of Albert Baxter were burned to death, and the family residence burned to the ground. Baxter is a rancher and lives a remote distance from his heighbors. Sunday morning the two sons aged 16 and 7 respectively, went visiting. Their parents took their daughter about 6

o'clock in the evening and went on a no sign of the boys. On searching the runs, the two charred bodies of the boys discovered. It is supposed they came home and went to bed, leaving a fire burning and that the house caught fire and they smothered. The Baxter family are in destitute circumstances and dependent on their neighbors. The community have appealed to Seattle it is somewhat warmer. Private advices

WASHINGTON, January 20 .- Secretary Noble is having prepared a resolution to Deserving Praise send to congress containing recomends tions in regard to selling certain lands belonging to the Puyallup Indians, of Indians is situated near the city of Tacoms, and the town has, in the last few years, grown to such an extent that it has pread about parts of the reservation, and it is thought advisable to buy parts of it from the Indians, for which the full value will be paid. Some of it is valued as

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Representative East End Stock Yards. managed to escape without injury. Hetter to the speaker, in which he declined the second place on the committee on ways and means. He is willing, he says, ways and means. He is willing, he says, letter to the speaker, in which be declined to serve in the ranks, but does not de

> Heavy Fire in New York. NEW YORK, Jan. 21 .- A fire which broke out in the fifth story of a building DEALER IN LIVE STOCK on West Fifteenth street, this morning spread to the Brentanos and Lincoln buildings, and the loss is already far above \$1,000,000. It is estimated the largest losses are: Schneider, Campbel & Co., \$275,000; Brentano Bros. \$100, 000; L. Rheimn, \$300,000; E. C. Bently & Jones, \$50,000; Tiffany & Co., jewelers, will also lose something. The six-story building adjoining Schneider, Campbell & Co's will probably suffer heavily. It is occupied by three firms, Davis, Reed & Alexander, Hoskins & Sewell and A o'clock the fire spread to the building, a magnificent new edifice just

high as \$6000 per acre.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21 .- This city is suffer-

The American Protective League the seamen of the Baltimore do say. On the other hand, if for a long period immediately preceding the attack the immediately preceding the attack the immediately preceding the attack the immediately preceding the Chilian people and the seamen of the day when she aroused the temper of the Anglo Saxons of the north.

Salem Journal: D. D. Prettyman brought into the Journal office to-day some very fine so that be could not have been injured by a train. He was an old companion of Buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 by a train. He was an old companion of Buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 by a train. He was an old companion of Buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 by a train. He was an old companion of Buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 by a train. He was an old companion of Buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kanssa and Colorado scouts, and was about 65 buffulo Bill, Wild Bill and other Kans San Francisco Harbor

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19 .- In view warlike tone of the dispatches in regard to Chilian affairs and of the repeated assection of San Francisco's danger of bombardment by a Chilian fleet, the following statement by an army officer high in authority, and perhaps as well informed as any man - in the service, on officer, who preferred that his name should not be used, "that with our resources we could withstand any attack made by any fleet Chili could send. Our present armament in Fort Winfield Scott and on the hills consists of about thirty 8-inch rifled cannon converted from 10-inch smooth-bores, about ten mounted and fourteen unmounted 15-inch smooth-bore FAIRFIELD, Cal., Jan. 20. Last night guns, and thirty-two mounted and fifty-five unmounted old 10-inch smooth-bore guns Besides this, there are about 100 various be made to do good service at short range 15 inch guns fire a projectile weighing 450 lbs carry a 180-pound projectile four and one-half miles and penetrate armor eight inches in thickness at a distance of 1000 yards. Ther For his reason, I don't think any Chilian cruiser could enter our harbor. But it i appear off our coast simultaneously with a declaration of war, and in all probability it estizens who were attracted to the spot by | would be a month or more at least after such a declaration before the city would be attacked. By or before that time extemporized fortifica-tions would be made that would, I think,

A Dignified Reply.

Field, judge of the United States suprem

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- Justic Stephen

him for an explanation of the charges made by him that Justice Field was a lobbyist engaged in getting judges named in the in mittee, being among those who had long terest of land-grant railroads. The charges were first made at the irrigation congress, hel recently at Helena, Mont., and again yester-day in an interview in Chicago. When these charges were called to the attention of Justice Field, he very promptly characterized the statement as a falsehood. He said he felt view with one of Garza's chief lieuten-ants. The officer indignantly denied the a story could be based. Said the judge: of Crimes, which held an investigation which has been shown to be partly farcical and wholly prejudiced. We might with equal propriety expect Great Britain to respect the decision of a Chinese native court or Germany of a Chinese native court or Germany.

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But what is the proper course for he United States to pursue? Evi. asked what I thought of Morrow, of Cali-fornia, for circuit judge. I replied that he would make a good one, but the charge of Senator Power is a falsehood, and I shall so

> CHICAGO, Jan. 19 .- Of the twenty-three mail trains due in Chicago this morning from all points, fourteen had up to noon failed to

tensive ever experienced. The delayed train are from every point of the compass. CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Reports from many points in Missouri, Illinois and Arkansas state that blinding snow storms have raged for the last twenty-four hours, and all business is at a from Texas state the rain storm of Monday turned into sleet, and the live stock are sufferthe weather moderated. It was 26 deg, be-low at Atchison, where much suffering was caused by the cold. Last night in Minnesota and Dakota was another cold one, but to-day Charokee nation says the streams and pools by going onto the ice in search of water and breaking through.

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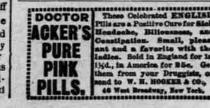
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