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Workmen valiantly Waiting for the War - Due Them.

A little over a year ago, says the Mercury, the steamer Western Texas, rechristened the Yaquina, arrived from New York with a full cargo of railroad material and subsequently made two or three trips to this city from Yaquina under the command of Capt. Plummer. She is a very handy little ship and evidently a desirable boat for voyages to bar harbors.

Pending the completion of the Yaquina road, however, the business was very dull and the steamer was laid up at the company's wharf and all her employees discharged until trade should revive. The work went along as fast as the company's means would permit, and the route from Corvallis to the steamship landing in the bay was completed early in January, when it was supposed that the road would be opened for travel and regular trips made by the steamer between San Francisco and the bay. Speculators in town lots at different points along the bay visited this city and endeavored to dispose of town property, but met with comparatively little encouragement. Up the valley, however, they were more successful; but the growth of the bay towns has not been commensurate with such high hopes as were formed concerning the Yaquina harbor. A rumor found currency that Jay Gould was backing up the concern, and that Yaquina was to be the ultimate outpost of the Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific properties, but nothing has since occurred here to confirm the story. In the meanwhile the Yaquina road has not even been able to carry on a local traffic and there has been no regular freight or passenger traffic over the track. No passenger cars have been put up on the road, all the travel being carried on flat cars which have been recently covered over with awnings of canvas.

The management is in a board of directors, of which T. Egerton Hogg is president; William M. Hogg, 1st vice president and general manager; Wallis Nash, 2nd vice president and assistant general manager; and H. V. Gates, superintendent. The road is laid with narrow-gauge iron for six miles out of Corvallis, beyond which it is laid with iron suitable for broad-gauge roads, but the entire road-bed suffered much from the severity of the past winter, and will need considerable work to put it in good condition for a general freight and passenger traffic. At present its operations are virtually suspended for want of funds to pay the men. When the road was completed in January, the men were promised their pay by the 1st of February. When that day came around they were told there was no money for them. The pay due them was only for days of actual work, all days being deducted when they were laid off by reason of the road being out of order. They then announced that the heavy demands of Chinese contractors had taken all their available money and that the employees would be paid about the 15th of March; and when that day came around they were told they would have to wait till the 15th of April. At last the 15th of April came and the train hands were offered - what? Just ten dollars each, on account of nearly five months' wages due them. And it was for this they had refused to do any more work until paid. The company's obligations are not so heavy as those of many larger corporations, but when they are so much more than they are able to pay, the sum looks large indeed. It is said they owed the Portland firm of Kwong Tai & Co. the sum of \$80,000 at the time the road was finished, but have since paid them \$40,000, leaving \$40,000 still unpaid and due to that moon-eyed syndicate of barbarian bondholders. And as the road is not yet in the way of clearing over \$20,000 per month over and above fixed charges, the outlook for the employees' getting their money is not a very bright one. We think it a shame that for any man to hire another to do work of any sort, unless he knows when he is going to get the money to pay him for it. These men should be paid even if the Yaquina bay road has to be closed for the next six months; for they worked in good faith and deserve to have their wages paid. And before any company can hope to command the confidence of this or any other community, it should pay those whose labor contributes to the success of their business. It is not much to the credit of the Yaquina town-boomers that they are bolstering up such a concern as this and puffing the town up as a second Astoria.

WAR REGARDED INEVITABLE.

The people of the old world seem to have settled down to the conviction that war between England and Russia is inevitable. The press of continental Europe is practically unanimous in the belief that the conflict must come. And even the English peace party has abandoned the hope that the differences of the two camps may be adjusted without a resort to arms. In financial circles there is abundant evidence of the general apprehension in the depression of Russian and English securities. There is certainly nothing surprising in this unanimity of opinion. In the face of the extraordinary preparations made by both Russia and England, it would be idle to longer doubt that the shock must come. Nobody can for a moment believe that Russia would permit her official organs to declare that the Russian government will accept the statement of Komaroff concerning the recent collision, rather than that of Sir Peter Lumsden, derived from Afghan sources, if the czar's government really desired peace. It must be quite evident that when a press as thoroughly under control as that of Russia makes such assertions, they must be accorded weight. They have all the earmarks of a desire to irritate, and they are succeeding admirably, if the tone of the British press and the extraordinary demand of Gladstone for \$55,000,000 for war purposes, so promptly accepted, may be regarded as signs of irritation.

The practice of making formal declarations of war seems to have become obsolete. France and China have been hammering away at each other for nearly a year and neither country has seen fit to declare that unfriendly relations exist. It is more than probable that Russia and England will commence hostilities without taking the trouble to warn each other, and it is very likely that the fighting will be as hard as if an old-fashioned declaration of war was made.

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PEACE OR WAR.

LONDON, April 26. The Observer says it believes Earl Granville, in a second dispatch to St. Petersburg, reiterated the demand that a military inquiry be held regarding the Penjdeh battle, in the spot where the battle was fought.

LONDON, April 27. - The Morning Post says dispatches are being exchanged between London and the English embassy at Berlin on the Afghan question.

BERLIN, April 26. - A telegram from St. Petersburg reports that rumors are current there that another conflict has occurred between the Russians and the Afghans.

During the past month Russian military authorities have sent 10,000 troops across the Caspian sea from Baku. Of these 6,000 landed at Chikistan, and 4,000 at Krasnodorsk. Two thousand additional men were sent from Turkestan to Merv. Prior to the dispatch of these reinforcements there were 8,000 men stationed in Trans-Caspian territory. Merv is the nearest point to Afghanistan where there is a large Russian force stationed, the garrison now numbering 6,000.

VIENNA, April 26. - The Austrian government has warned the porte that Austria will consider her treaties with Turkey null and void if the porte allows belligerents to force the Dardanelles.

BERLIN, April 27. - The National Zeitung mentions a rumor to the effect that the czar has written to Emperor William that the chances for peace have diminished. Several German papers have rumors that another conflict has taken place in Afghanistan. There is much public uneasiness in the absence of further news from General Komaroff.

St. PETERSBURG, April 26. - It is believed in well informed circles that the question of peace or war between England and Russia will be settled to-morrow.

PARIS, April 26. - Le Paris says Germany has offered to mediate between England and Russia, and that the offer has been accepted.

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