

ASTORIA, OREGON:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1887

Gov. SWINEFORD, of Alaska, in his annual report, estimates the territorial expenses for the past year at \$178,000.

SENATOR CHARLES E. FARWELL, of Illinois, and his partners, his brother and Almer Taylor, of Chicago, will make from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 in their Texas land speculation.

So it is "that Christian soldier," Gen. O. H. Howard, who started the attempt to remove the troops from Fort Canby.

The cost of building new barracks at the Presidio for the accommodation of the Fort Canby batteries, says the Oregonian, would certainly be as great as that of repairing the old quarters at Canby.

There is some mystery attending the failure of the government to release the sealers in Alaska, which will perhaps not be explained until congress shall call for the papers in the case.

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The conservation and protection of harbors in the United States is a subject that will be permanently brought before congress at the coming session.

On the Pacific coast there are the harbors of San Francisco, San Diego and the Columbia river, and the network of havens on Puget sound.

Unless congress gives power to some controlling body to prevent encroachments the result will be that in a few years the condition of the harbors will be such that to dredge and maintain their efficiency will require the expenditure of vast sums of money.

Is Consumption Incurable? Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark. says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable consumptive."

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A PROTEST FROM SENATOR DOLPH Against the Removal From Fort Canby.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25. — Senator Dolph, of Oregon, to-day filed a protest in the war department against the removal of the garrison from Fort Canby, and interviewed secretary Endicott on the subject.

He based his appeal upon the fact that if the national government was required to maintain its authority anywhere in Oregon or Washington territory, it was at the mouth of the Columbia river, where, during the fishing season, there is a large floating population, upon which the presence of troops would have a beneficial moral effect.

The policy of the war department to consolidate the troops at the main military stations throughout the country to save expense and give the officers and men opportunities for training that cannot be obtained at an isolated station like Fort Canby.

GEN. HOWARD'S DOING. Last August Gen. Howard, commanding the Division of the Pacific, recommended the removal of troops from Fort Canby to the Presidio at San Francisco.

An End to Bone Scraping. Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucken's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

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