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Thursday, January 21, 1892.



WATTS IN IT - ?

The Yamhill statesman, better known as Fog-horn Watts, is in public office again and it is needless to say that it is one of those offices that pays, he would have no other. The record of this loud voiced and loud smelling aspirant for office is so well known in the state that comment upon the appointment is unnecessary.

IT IS PROBABLE NOW.

If the correspondents of the great American gathering agencies are reliable men, it can now be said that war with Chili is more than probable. It is almost a fact. The time for Chili to apologize with dignity to herself has passed and it is said that the ultimatum which is being prepared by the United States is such that, should it be accepted by the government of Chili, the common people would rise and the present government would be ousted.

There can be only one end to the war providing it is prosecuted with the old time American war vigor. Chili will be whipped and probably wiped from the maps of the southern hemisphere. The length of time it will take this country to do it depends wholly upon circumstances, as the next laid plans of military genius are liable to miscarry when such a body of troops as will be necessary to prosecute this war with vigor, have to be transported over five thousand miles of water.

Chili has a population of about 4,000,000, and contains about 100,000 soldiers suitable for military duty there will be an available force of about 300,000 fighting men in the country to resist our men when we are able to land on their shore. They will have the advantage of being acclimated and our troops will be worn in body from the long sea trip and will be less capable of resisting the diseases common to people not acclimated.

Should Peru also declare war against Chili it would of course remove considerable of the difficulties mentioned above. Her ports would be used as bases of supplies and our men could recruit their energies and health.

From reports which have reached this country from the commander of the Yorktown, now in Valparaiso harbor, it seems as if the Chileans are taking advantage of this calm before the storm and are taking advantageous position in the straits of Magellan in order to better resist our efforts to reach their country.

As They See it. The present agitation in favor of a better system of making and maintaining county roads ought to result in something more than mere talk. The insufficiency of our present methods is fully admitted. In point of fact we have no roads in Oregon—at least scarcely any. Most of them are mere trails, some of them "slides," scarcely any worthy the name of roads.

This almost certain war makes the people of this country take this particular inquiry into the condition of our coast defenses. Some remark that no matter how defenseless we are the enemy would never dare to attack our coast and, if they did, it would be an easy matter to repel them by means of torpedoes, lately constructed. The Chileans are brave and audacious; this was proved in the Itata matter and unless our navy kept all their available ships in action continually, some of the dare devils would be certain to appear before San Diego, San Francisco or the mouth of the Columbia.

The following is a list of the heavy ordnance in San Francisco harbor as shown in General Ruger's annual report: At Fort Winfield Scott there are mounted and 14 unmounted 15 inch smoothbore guns, with barbette carriages, model 1874; 1 mounted 15 inch smoothbore, model 1888; 32 mounted 10 inch smoothbore, model 1861, and 55 unmounted; 2 mounted 10-inch siege mortars; 2 mounted 8-inch siege mortars, model 1878; 5 Cohorn mortars, with wooden beds; there are also 14 unmounted Parrott rifles, but these are unusable.

At Fort Mason the mounted pieces are: 1 4 1/2 inch siege rifle, 10-inch siege mortar; 2 Cohorn mortars; 1 8-inch converted rifle, model 1878 and 6 10-inch smoothbore.

Alcatraz Island is provided with four mounted 15-inch smoothbore; 1 8-inch converted rifle, 2 8-inch siege howitzers, 2 4 1/2-inch siege rifles and 5 12-pounder field howitzers.

The mounted and serviceable guns on Angel Island are 2 10-inch Rodman smoothbore, calibre 6.4; and 5 24 pounder smoothbore, calibre 5.82, both with unusable carriages. At the Presidio there are 2 10-inch siege mortars, 4 8-inch converted rifles, model 1878; 3 Gatling guns of 1883, 4 Hotchkiss revolving cannon, light field caliber 1.5 inches, and 4 3.2 inch breech loading rifle guns.

In a recent report by General Miles the following statement is made regarding the defenses of the Pacific coast: The Pacific coast line of the United States extends 1400 miles in Oregon, Washington and California and 3000 farther in Alaska.

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It appears that all desire and effort for an Oregon exhibit at the world's fair has died a-borning. We suggest that the Oregonian lead the state press in an effort to raise the necessary money. The press of the state can accomplish the feat and not half try, and it would be a great victory for the press. Let's take advantage of the opportunity. Now, speak up, fellow workers.—End Oregonian.

In the event of a war with Chili, there is just the barest possibility, not yet worth being scared about, that her men-of-war might do considerable damage to some of our Pacific ports, but if they do the United States will outfit a naval one until we have reduced a port or two in which we can find a foothold for our troops. It must be remembered that the people of Chili will be consolidated in this matter and it will not in the least recede the war through which the country has lately passed.

The Columbian Exposition is a national affair and must be made a national success. Up to date it has cost nearly \$3,000,000, and if a good showing can be made of results for the money already spent there will be no difficulty in providing all further sums that may be needed. But there should be no such thing as losing sight of the requirements of honesty and efficiency.

There are about as many pronouncements of the title Khedive, the recent bearer of which is dead, as that ruler is entitled to wives—though he really had only one spouse. But it seems to be admitted by the experts that the word should be pronounced khed-ee-vee, with the accent on the first syllable.

Valparaiso, Chili, is 200 miles east of New York.

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The general character of the roads in this country the past season has been the subject of much comment, and the statement is frequently heard that the roads are growing worse year by year. It is not at all pleasant to believe this to be true, but the complaint must originate from some fact. It is a notable fact that the roads are full of ruts which have been made during the winter and which, when filled with mud, are dangerous for wagons heavily loaded. It does not seem that the money raised from taxes for the improvement of roads is judiciously expended.

As the road supervisors for the year 1892, have been appointed by the county court, their attention, as well as the public in general, is called to the awful condition of a portion of the country roads in this county. It is almost impossible for many residents of Benton county to reach the county seat, where business often calls them.

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Good roads can never be made under the present system of day's work contributed at their convenience. Yet it will be very hard to pass a law in this state that will change the present style of road making. It is so easy and so cheap to send out a team and a boy to "work out" the road tax that few farmers will want to pay their taxes in cash.

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SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Yamhill County, Catherine Baker, plaintiff, vs. W. B. Keen, Della A. Keen, E. H. Watkins and Cora P. Watkins, defendants.

SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Yamhill, Rosanna Grames, Axaon Mills and Rhoda Mills, plaintiffs, vs. James Grames, defendant.

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