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A Vigorous Protest

The recent change made in the mail schedule between North Yamhill and this place has created a perfect storm of indignation. It does not benefit us in any way and on the other hand does us a world of harm.

Annexation Sentiment Growing

Senator Foraker is probable correct in his assertion that the senate would ratify a treaty annexing all the Philippine islands. Annexation sentiment, as shown by the expressions of the newspapers and of public men, has been growing rapidly in the past month, and it will probably be much stronger when, next December and January, the treaty comes before the senate.

It is safe to say if Columbus could be consulted he would prefer to stay where he is, with a good prospect of being annexed to the United States. This is the country that has put his work to proper use, while Spain abused his discovery and persecuted the discoverer.

Millions for sick soldiers, but not a cent for Democratic campaign trickery is the proper attitude to assume toward a prominent question of the day.—Globe Democrat.

The democrats and populists of the State of Washington have evidently learned nothing from the logic of events relative to the money question. Their platform contains the same old rebash with reference to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

The people of Holland seem to be greatly impressed with their young queen, Wilhelmina, judging by the scenes attending her coronation. Well, so long as a nation chooses to bend the suppliant knee to a girl of 18 rather than to choose its own rulers from the wisest and best in the land we presume no other nation has any right to object.

The dispatches state that "the powers" have resolved to remove the Turkish Army from the island of Crete and to demand the disarmament of the Mussulmans [and] to appoint a governor. If "the powers" had acted according to the dictates of humanity at the time of the Greco-Turkish war they would have allowed Crete to become a part of the kingdom of Greece, and thus ended the matter.

Fusion has utterly failed in the State of Nevada and the democrats refuse to be longer controlled by the silver party with "carpet baggers" Stewart and Jones at its head. The democrats of the State of Nevada have long since learned that the general public has been rather slow to find out, that Senators Stewart and Jones are nothing more or less than political adventurers ready to do any thing to advance their own private personal interests.

The general impression seems to be that Governor Lord did a wise thing in calling an extra session of the legislature. That the passage of a general appropriation bill at this time will save a large amount of money is evident, and that Oregon should have its full quota of representation in the United States Senate is equally evident.

Governor Lord did the right thing in going to San Francisco and investigating for himself the charges made against the officers commanding the troops. His report that the Oregon boys are well cared for is reassuring to anxious friends and relatives of the boys. That such horrible lies should have found their way into public print argues little for either the carefulness or honor of the journals which gave them utterance.

Fighting Bob Evans of the Iowa, or rather rough speaking Bob, is credited with an expression after the fight off Santiago, that will go down in history as a wise one. He said: "In the battle the men fought like American seamen, after the battle they were tender as American women." Bob is rough in his way but he is capable of doing and saying some great things.—Rogue River Courier.

The Czar has a scheme to dispose of the Alsace-Lorraine problem which stands so much in the way of his visionary millenium which is to ensue upon the disarmament of Europe. The scheme is to grant independence to the country in question. But up to date the Emperor "Billy" still remains to be heard from.

Li Hung Chang has once more lost his yellow vest and his peacock feathers. This time he owes his discomfiture to his treachery to

Great Britain and his own countrymen and his over-fondness for Russia. The trouble with Li is that he did not know enough to either die or retire when his career was ended.

Oregon is becoming more virtuous but crazies. At least such is the state of affairs as indicated by the facts that the number of convicts in the penitentiary is the lowest in many years, while the number of patients in the insane asylum is the highest in the history of the institution.—Grant's Pass Observer

Both Great Britain and France have more inhabitants in their outlying possession than at home. The condition of the two nations does not indicate that expansion is a drawback to national safety and prosperity.—Globe Democrat.

President McKinley has caused letters to be written to the families of fallen officers to ascertain if boys are left behind old enough to be appointed Second Lieutenants in the army. The President is always a thoughtful friend of the American soldiers.—Ex.

The news papers abound with accounts of impressive funeral services being held over the remains of the victims of official neglect at camp Wikoff. How consoling these impressive funeral services must be to the relatives of the victims.

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