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The physicians of the "Regular" school at Salem have demanded a coroner's inquest in order, if possible, to fix the responsibility of the death of a patient upon the shoulders of a physician of the Osteopathic school who treated her in her last illness.

IN MANY RESPECTS Senator Morgan of Alabama is a great man; but as a forecaster of political events within the ranks of the Republican party his infallibility as a prophet has suffered a severe shock from the prediction that Senator J. B. Foraker will be the Republican nominee for president next year.

A GRANTS PASS MAN is afraid to go to Portland for fear of being held up. As a matter of fact, if he went to Portland and behaved himself, minding his own business, going to bed at a reasonable hour and keeping his head about him he would be just as safe as in Grants Pass.

PROF. PERNOT of the State Agricultural College has performed a valuable service to the dairy interests of Oregon by the manufacture of an article of cheese which can be shipped twice across the Atlantic or Pacific ocean and retain its desirable quality to the end of the journey.

THERE are people who will insist General Miles merited the censure he has received from the head of the Government for having disclosed the reality that prevailed in the army, starting with the embalmers and ending with exposing the frauds in the Philippines.

THE millers of North Dakota and Minnesota have just held a meeting and adopted strong resolutions favoring reciprocity with every country importing American flour.

SECRETARY SHAW, COMPTROLLER of the Currency Ridgely and John G. Carlisle, former Secretary of the Treasury, have been at Oyster Bay to confer with the President with regard to needed financial legislation.

ACCORDING to Congressman Baker passes are dealt out to members of Congress by a special system. Are favors given as systematically in return? If not, how does the railroad reciprocity?

An Immense Yield.

The largest yield of wheat yet reported was raised by Robert Winniford on the lower Calapoda, Douglas county. This crop of land has been used for a garden for the past two years and was in fine condition.

TURN THE RASCALS OUT

The First Great Reform, Which Others Will Follow.

SMOTHERING INVESTIGATION.

The Big Rascals Yet to Be Discovered—For Over Two Years the Administration Suppressed Charges of Fraud—A Situation Similar to That of 1876.

The little of the post office scandal that has been allowed to come to light and the charges made of official shortcomings in other departments make it evident that the entire official machinery of the nation is clogged with dishonesty.

The voters are now confronted with the postal scandals, the Cuban lottery, the agricultural department rottenness, the land department frauds, the Porto Rican smuggling cases and the war department and Philippine intrigues.

The old cry that aroused the country, "Turn the rascals out!" will again be the slogan of the coming presidential campaign. The extortion of the trusts and the robbery of the people by the government becomes the central theme of the campaign.

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President and Machine Politicians. Senator Sherman announced that postmaster General Payne will stay at the head of his department, and as Senator Hanna thinks the investigation of the scandals has already gone too far and seriously injured the Republican party, he has decided to resign.

Expensive With Any Name. The Springfield (Mass.) Republican has found that the running expenses of Congress by the members are more than 40 per cent in excess of what they were prior to the Spanish war.

He Made a Big Haul. Wednesday evening the Whitney-Canyon City stage was held up by a lone highwayman and relieved of all valuables, consisting of \$3000 in the express box, registered mail containing value estimated at \$6000, and all the loose change on the two passengers.

There is no trace of the robber. The highwayman did his work on the Grant and Baker county line. He stood on the roadside and kept the stage well covered with a repeating rifle, while he ordered all mail, express packages and valuables of passengers to be thrown to him.

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THE PARROTS TALK

The Boss Says Things Down, and Others Follow. No Talk of Reform.

How like parrots some of the Republican politicians are. Here we have Congressman Hemenway in an interview saying, "There is no sentiment in Indiana for a change in the tariff laws."

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SOUTHERN OREGON FORGING AHEAD

It Will Be the Principal Fruit-Growing Center of the Pacific Coast in Due Time.

D. A. Hanna, the Pacific coast representative of the "Chicago Packer," stopped at Medford during the week, on his way from Seattle to San Francisco, and while here had some very complimentary things to say about Southern Oregon.

Mr. Hanna is on his way to Honolulu, in the interest of the Packer papers, which are published by the Barrick Publishing Company at Kansas City, Mo., as the official organ of the Growers and Shippers National Protective Association.

He has favored us with a copy of an excellent article on the fruit-growing industry of the Rogue River Valley, which will appear in the "Chicago Packer," under date of September 5th, and will also be published in the "New York Packer," "Cincinnati Packer" and "Kansas City Packer," all issued by the same association, with headquarters in the Packer block, Kansas City.

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OUR FRUIT EXPORT.

HOW ORCHARD PRODUCTS REACH THE FOREIGN MARKET.

Long shipments made possible by Refrigeration—From California to London in Two Weeks—A Record in Fruit Transportation.

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