

In an article on the question of "protection" the Rural Spirit advances some very singular ideas and discloses the fact that the revenue laws have not been scrutinized very carefully and that the reciprocity between the manufacturing and agricultural classes is not taken into account.

"The people are approaching a time and will demand one or the other, free trade, or that the miner be paid a premium upon the dollars he discovers and produces; or that the farmer be encouraged by the payment of a sum upon the horses, cattle, sheep, swine, as well as his vegetable products."

We have yet to learn that money ever required any protection, or that any civilized nation ever placed an embargo or restriction on its importation, and in that simplicity, only found in the country, supposed that the great necessity was "protection" against its corrupting influence.

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The appointment of the latter is very gratifying to the Republican party, and to many Democrats; as he is a representative American who will make our flag respected wherever it floats, and bring to his office the ripe experience of a long public life.

When the same paper says we can compete with the world it offers an argument in favor of Chinese labor, that is not at all disguised, for free trade in anything means free trade in all things including labor itself.

NO EXTRA SESSION.

The Roseburg "Star" is loudly demanding an extra session of the Legislature so the salary law may be repealed and the roads of the State legalized. The paper referred to has had much to say about the dishonesty and incompetency of the late Legislature, and if its opinion or statements are worth a fig it would be the very worst kind of folly to convene that body again.

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The "Boy" Court.

A Roseburg paper noted for its querulous and fault finding disposition is quite severe on the new Supreme Court on account of the Minard road case decision. With that solemn gravity so becoming in its venerable editor, it sums up its complaint with the reminder "I told you so" used by the farmer when informed by his wife that the cow had swallowed the grindstone.

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The Senate received the nominations at 3:05 o'clock, and immediately, on motion of Cameron of Pennsylvania, went into executive session.

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THE INAUGURAL.

The inaugural of President Garfield is one of the grandest and broadest ever delivered by any President, not excepting Abraham Lincoln's, and shows the solidity and breadth of the experienced Pilot who has taken the helm.

"Bad local government is certainly a great evil which ought to be prevented, but to violate the freedom and sanctity of the suffrage is more than evil. It is a crime which, if persisted in, will destroy the Government itself."

The voters of the Union, who make and unmake constitutions, and upon whose will hangs the destiny of our Government, can transmit their supreme authority to no successor save the coming generation of voters, who are sole heirs of the sovereign power.

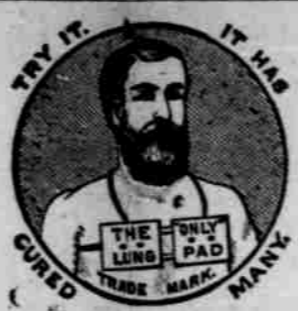
The census has already sounded the alarm in appalling figures which mark how dangerously high the tide of illiteracy has arisen among our voters.

The Constitution guarantees absolute religious freedom. Congress is prohibited from making any law respecting the establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof.

The concluding words of the inaugural show that President Garfield feels that the gravest responsibility is resting on him.

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