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The visit of the distinguished party of Germans agriculturists to this state should not be without its effect upon the farmers of Oregon.

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WHERE CARELESSNESS KILLS.

The importance of keeping the strictest watch upon all the affairs of a service in which there are large disbursements of money is well illustrated by the troubles which are now gathering round the heads of some of the officials in the post office.

A few isolated cases of fraud show a less harmful state of affairs than does a general epidemic of slackness. It is admitted by the officials that there was a good deal of charging

up purchases to furnish different from those that should have borne the cost, and in some cases there was even an interchange of charges between two separate departments.

GERMANS.

If the visit of the German party shall have aroused Oregon farmers to the importance and the practicality of combined efforts this state will have benefited more from the tour than can Germany itself.

The fact that Lee, Tweedy & Company, one of the biggest dry goods jobbing houses in America, has gone out of business because middlemen's profits are becoming too small is an encouraging sign of the greater foresight and the greater buying power that is being used by the distributing houses in these days.

The program of the Republicans in Ohio is one that will appeal to all patriotic Americans. The endorsement of President Roosevelt's administration will be heartily joined in by citizens of every party, and the approbation that is to be expressed for Governor Taft's course in the Philippines is but an echo of the praise that has been sounded for him already in all quarters.

The nomination by a certain Democratic faction in New York of William S. Devery for mayor shows the depth to which some people will abuse politics. The nomination is not likely to be regarded seriously by Republicans, and therein lies a danger, for there is no doubt that he coarse-mouthed and ignorant ward grafter, the corrupt and degraded police officer, Devery has shown himself to be, still can control a large number of votes.

It may be that the Jews in Russia do not mind being massacred so much as other people might. Their life in that country cannot be so attractive that it has a strong hold upon them.

The question of a what inspector seems to be attracting considerable attention all over the state, and in every locality the plan is favored by the people.

If the salmon only knew how warmly they would be welcomed they would surely be in a hurry to get into the river.

Between ships of war and schooners of beer Bremerton should find it easy to make a choice.

GRANDSON OF GRANT.

St. Louis, June 4.—General Frederick Dent Grant and Mrs. Grant arrived here from San Antonio, Tex., last evening and departed over the Wabash for Chicago. They were delayed almost one day by the floods in Indian Territory.

KILLED FOR A BURGLAR.

West Elizabeth Pa., June 4.—Government Geological Surveyor E. M. Hart of Blairsville, was mistaken for a burglar and killed by Night Watchman Edward Thomas of the Hotel Jefferson, early today. Thomas is under arrest.

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