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The Geography of the Supreme Court. In the selection of a successor to the late Justice Peckham, President Taft will, of course, be guided by the relative personal fitness of the candidates.

tion, which set forth from St. Louis with all the pomp of the original armada, scattered along the river, congressmen, senators, cabinet members, foreign diplomats, stranded hither and yon, each separate contingent having trouble enough paddling its own canoe without trying to keep up with the procession.

In Other Lands. An inglorious retreat in an inglorious war on the Moroccan coast comes swiftly with the change in the Spanish ministry.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Economizes eggs, flour and butter; makes the biscuit, cake and pastry more appetizing, nutritious and wholesome. THE ONLY Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

Mr. Taft is said to be inclined toward Judge Lurton of Tennessee, but the south is already represented by Justices Harlan from Kentucky and White from Louisiana.

The republican nominee for coroner is Willis C. Crosby, a coming young man of good reputation, who two years ago started out in business for himself.

Mayor "Jim" argument: Governor Shallenberger is a four-funder and a double-crosser—therefore vote the democratic ticket so he can hold it up as an endorsement of his double-dealing.

POLITICAL DRIFT. District Attorney Jerome of New York has held the office for eight years at a salary of \$12,000 a year. According to the New York Sun he will go out of office a poor man.

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Fall Fairy Tales. The good people of Omaha would indeed feel neglected if they should miss out on the annual crop of fall fairy tales always projected just before election by the democratic fake factory.

What the layman has considered slight earthquakes are now styled by the scientists as "pulsatory oscillations." A thing like that ought to be blamed on the comet.

LAUGHING LINES. "Can you give an instance of where a fulfilling process was also a downward movement?" "Oh, yes. When they raised the Bastille—Baltimore American."

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When this yarn proved a trifle threadbare the republican strong box was replenished by the democratic organ by a shake-down of the brewers and liquor dealers, and anyone else that looked like good money.

Fortifying the Canal. Why would it not be better policy for the United States to secure an international agreement to keep the Panama canal forever as neutral ground in time of war?

WHEN SUMMER'S GONE. Joe Cone in Boston Herald. The summer's come an' gone an' it's just like a picture show.

Rockefeller's \$1,000,000 appropriation to put the hook-worm out of business makes Congressman Pollard's appropriation to save the apple trees look like 30 cents.

Put our democratic friends in the optimistic column. The registration figures for Omaha and South Omaha on the showing of party affiliation indicates that Douglas party will go republican by upward of 3,000 majority.

Under such depressing conditions, it is a great pleasure to quote an army officer who entertains an optimistic view. He is Brigadier General Charles Morton, in command of the Department of the Missouri.

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