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A man's good breeding is the best security against other people's ill manners.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS IMPROVING.

M. R. W. HURLBURT, whose judgment on such a matter is of the best, says on a return from a trip to several large eastern cities that business conditions are gradually improving.

UNFORTUNATE DEPENDENCY.

THE JOURNAL is fain to extend some degree of sympathy to its journalistic neighbor on account of its political pessimism.

A BIG DRAIN ON OREGON.

IT IS A wise policy to keep money in circulation around home as much as possible. Not that people should submit to be "held up" by their neighbors for this purpose.

Small Change

The people are near enough right. Make the best of the worst of it. What glorious festival weather this would have been.

Of Course They Will.

Occasionally the question is heard, "Will the Republicans elect to the legislature?"

The Oregon Election.

From the Walla Walla Statesman. It would not at all surprise many people to see such ardent supporters of American principles as Secretary Taft.

Party Politics.

From the Union Scout. There was a time when party name counted for much in Oregon. Not now.

Politicians Should Heed.

From the San Francisco Chronicle. Apparently an overwhelming Republican majority in Oregon must elect a Democratic United States senator.

total for five years, \$3,678,227. The amount showed a little decrease last year, owing to the disclosures about New York life insurance companies and a new opportunity afforded to obtain insurance at home.

Under such circumstances, and both on general principles and with reference to this particular business, why should not Oregon people patronize a home company, and keep the money in Oregon, when this can be done with entire safety and on better terms?

Two or three Oregon newspapers are still insisting that there has been and still is a great scheme on foot to defeat Chamberlain and elect some Portland man with a big sack.

At this time every year there are people who want to kill the cherry birds, and the discussion is renewed as to whether they do more harm than good.

Has the morning paper no opinion to express on the political morality of Senator Fulton's advice that members of the legislature should violate their pledges to the people?

The White House platform builders know how to indorse the administration all right; that is easy; but how also to indorse the republican congress that acted almost entirely in opposition to the administration, without getting the grand ha ha all over the country, is a different matter.

James Stillman's Birthday. James Stillman, one of the most noted bankers and financiers in New York city, was born June 8, 1856, in Brownsville, Texas.

This Date in History. 1781—George Stephenson, the inventor of the locomotive, born; died April 12, 1848.

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By Republicans, that is, party is set up as the head high god which should be worshipped above all others and everything. There was a good deal of this sort of talk, too, when Chamberlain was elected governor; the earth would be blighted and the heavens might fall, because the people of Oregon preferred a certain Democrat to certain Republicans.

Looking at that vote for Ellis, one is tempted almost to agree with the Oregonian in its opinion of the people.

The Republican platform-makers will try to utilize the panic also for the purpose of pointing up their pride. This is the climax of audacity.

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Now it is warming up for the good old harvest time.

Probably the Seattle papers don't want Portland people to come over to their old show.

The interests are apparently all falling into line and standing shoulder to shoulder now for the Roosevelt policies, per Taft.

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PRESS COMMENT ON THE OREGON ELECTION

The rest of the Republican ticket was elected, but it evidenced the fact that the people of Oregon want Chamberlain to represent them in the United States senate, and the Oregon legislature is in duty bound to send him there.

From the Medford Tribune. Senator Fulton is leading a little band of machine politicians, whose heads are so thick that a crowbar must be used to get an idea into them.

From the Union Scout. There was a time when party name counted for much in Oregon. Not now.

From the San Francisco Chronicle. Apparently an overwhelming Republican majority in Oregon must elect a Democratic United States senator.

From the Astorian. Hark! Hark! to the principles of our Republican form of government.

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The REALM FEMINE

What to Take. As the time for the annual outing comes around, the prevailing question among women folk is "What shall I take?"

Again, the newswoman must not make the mistake of providing only for the weather. The majority of days are cool, either at low mountains or at the seashore.

Take one lingerie dress for the evening hops at the hotels. One best hat for Sunday and to wear home again.

And yet we have not said anything about the bathing suit which is so necessary to the leisure visitor.

The political leaders of the past have not shown the same sagacity in the matter of human government; or, if they have, it has not shown its effect during the past 40 years.

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