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Any friendship that is worth the name is not a matter of reason or choice, but rather of magnetism and temperament. It can bear almost everything of friction, jar, annoyance or pain, and still spring up again with renewed vitality.

A TYPICAL BOSS SENATOR

ELSEWHERE ON this page—now, of course, for the purpose of influencing anybody's vote, but to give circulation to a protest that must be kept up in this country.

Wholly through the use of money, Simon Guggenheim has become the Republican senator, the Republican dictator, the Republican party of Colorado. That he bought his seat in the senate is an undisputed matter of common knowledge.

The election is over, but it is yet timely to remark that neither President Roosevelt nor Mr. Taft has ever uttered a word in opposition to Guggenheim, or his methods, or purposes, or to any other prominent Republican of which he is a type.

Yes, Guggenheim is typical; differing from him not in kind if in degree are 30 or 40 members of the senate, and a lot of members of the house—men who represent the common people not at all, but only the plunderers of the people.

Irrespective of the result of Tuesday's election, the fight against this type of public men, against such odious and dangerous misrepresentation of them, must be kept up vigorously and insistently.

LABOR UNIONS AND EMPLOYERS' ORGANIZATIONS.

IGHT COMBINATIONS of capitalists, employing many laborers and producing many of the necessities of life, to be subjected to no greater prohibitions or checks against the suppression of competition than labor unions and consumers' unions? This is a question asked and answered by ex-Senator William E. Chandler of New Hampshire in a recent article.

There are three natural divisions of industrial society: (1) Capitalist employers, producing articles of prime necessity, who want to combine to keep down wages and pre-

vent competition in production; (2) the vast army of laborers, skilled and unskilled, who want to combine against their employers to keep up and increase the price of labor, and (3) the still larger number of consumers who desire to protect themselves against the exorbitant prices of the necessities of life, caused by the combinations of employers and employees.

But science is rushing headlong in a career of discovery and appliance. We are conquering distance and eliminating time. The news articles carry to the uttermost ends the pulsations from every heart beat of the world. Any event of importance that transpires anywhere in the world is recounted in the columns of The Evening Journal on the day that it happens.

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IN DECENCY'S NAME

REGON SHOWED to magnificent advantage Tuesday. It was a day reflective of the wisdom and purity of Oregon citizenship. An election was on, but the old-time ward heeler was conspicuous by his enforced absence. Free as the wind and exalted in the privilege of an uninfluenced ballot, the elector walked to the polls and cast his ballot for the candidate of his choice.

The conditions doubtless appealed to the pride of every citizen who observed them, and must have, in all cases, called out a fervent acknowledgment that it is well. They were conditions to reflect infinite credit upon the state and to herald it everywhere as a commonwealth of most desirable civic appointments.

And it is significant that this law is a law that the legislative assembly of the state refused to pass. Complaint was made on election day that in some cases election boards closed the polls from 12 to 1 o'clock, just the hour when it is most convenient for many to vote.

The Public last week remarked: "If Bryan is defeated, another battle will have been lost; but the war will go on. If he is elected, another battle will have been won; but the war will be yet to win."

Small Change

Now will Bryan give up? The country is saved once more.

CARRYING THE NEWS

At 8 O'CLOCK the evening of the election The Journal searchlight flashed to waiting thousands the news of Taft's election.

It was a Big Bill victory, all right. Not even yet is the Democratic party dead. The Prohibition party? O, about as usual. Hurry up and get through telling how it happened.

Mr. J. Hill will probably be in good humor. You Yonson may be the "Democratic hope in 1912." The trusts can raise prices whenever they are ready.

A short-end bet is in 9 cases out of 10 a foolish bet. Tammany and Hearst together beat Bryan in New York. Ohio was doubtful enough to elect a Democratic governor.

THE S. P. INSTRUCTION TRAIN

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC company, in this matter presumably influenced thereto by its local officials, is doing a wise and politic thing for itself in sending out its instruction train through Willamette valley counties, with experts to teach them the best methods of special and diversified farming, and how to obtain the best and most profitable results.

Every county in Oregon will also get for good roads, development, and home-made goods. O well, Oregon can grow and prosper in spite of four years more of the rule of the trusts.

Portland will extend a very sincere and hearty welcome to J. J. Hill and his associates. As it is a one-party country in the south, nearly so it is a one-party country in the north.

Yet the Democrats of Oregon cast about two and a third times as many votes as they did four years ago. If all the straw votes could be gotten together and baled, they might come out as feed for the Democratic donkey.

By the way, nothing has been heard lately of any particular or even probable crop failure in the valley. It is believed that that great and increasing nuisance, the Southern Pacific trains.

Oregon Sidelights

Falls City has a new hospital. Some 100 tons of Myrtle Creek prunes were shipped to Albany last week and these were not nearly all raised there.

On a farm near Weston a dozen men are employed in seeding wheat and digging potatoes. It was feared for a time that the coming Fourth street harvest would be worth digging, but 100 acres are yielding about 30 sacks to the acre of good "spuds."

Elgin Reorderer. Since local option was effected, they have been but one man arrested for being drunk and disorderly. Not only has there been no increase in the number of drunks arrested, but arrests for other crimes have been few this summer.

Grants Pass is short of buildings, says the Courier. There are numerous families waiting for dwellings and the real estate offices are daily besieged by persons who must have a place to live if they are to remain in the city. The demand for business houses is almost as great as for residences.

Believing that the hills south of Silverton contain a rich vein of coal, the Silverton Mining company, and will sink a drill with a view of locating the vein. The hole is to be 200 feet deep and land for a term of 20 years, and prospecting is now in operation.

CLEVELAND'S TRACTION FIGHT

MUCH HAS been made of the recent defeat of the Cleveland municipal traction ordinance, but the vote on it was close, being 37,644 for the ordinance and 68,249 against, a majority of only 605 out of nearly 76,000 votes. And this defeat was a great surprise to nearly everybody. Thousands of voters were deceived by a circular reading:

If you want 3-cent fare and not 10-cent fare, mark your ballot as follows: [Then followed a fac simile ballot with the cross opposite the words "against the franchise."]

The effect, of course, was to mislead voters who wanted 3-cent fares into voting unintentionally against them. The organization responsible for this trickery was "The Citizens' Referendum League," which was supported by the financial interests opposed to Mayor Johnson.

More land in this vicinity is to be broken up and made capable of sustaining 15 families where it now does so for one. The city water reservoir is surrounded by the city water reservoir. The city water reservoir is surrounded by the city water reservoir.

Notwithstanding the depression during the past year Dallas improved much, says the Observer, and there is every indication that this greater growth in the coming year and the years succeeding it. Dallas is to its legitimate standing as the most beautiful, busiest, and progressive of the lesser cities in the Willamette valley.

A farmer near Athens has a peculiar, vicious old hen, says the Press. His wife the other day gave a piece of meat to a favorite cat, and hearing a fracas in the back yard, found the cat in its expiring throes, with the hen fluttering about. It was found that she had given one vicious peck just in the edge of the cat's eye, like a hole as clean as a bullet wound, killing the pussy instantly.

FAMOUS GEMS OF PROSE

"James G. Blaine"—By Robert G. Ingersoll

At the Republican national convention in Cincinnati, June 14, 1876.

Massachusetts may be satisfied with the loyalty of the man, H. Blaine; so am I; but if any man nominated by this convention cannot carry the state of Massachusetts, I am not satisfied with the loyalty of that state.

The Republicans of the United States demand that the United States be governed by a man of intelligence, a man of integrity, a man of well known and approved political opinions. They demand a statesman; they demand a reformer after as well as before the fact; they demand a politician in the highest, broadest and best sense.

Let the vote for patronage of Oregon industries be unanimous. Now everybody get ready to be thankful on Thanksgiving Day.

O, but won't Uncle Joe and Sunny Jim raise the tariff alright? Murder seems to be a rather safe crime to commit in England.

The Southern Pacific will do much good with its instruction train. Bryan doubtless did as well as any Democrat could, probably better.

The first hard work the Democratic party ought to do is to cut loose from Tammany. Every county in Oregon will also get for good roads, development, and home-made goods.

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A TYPICAL CASE IN COLORADO

From the Denver Post

There was a revolt. But the revolt was mercilessly crushed out. There were three candidates for the office of judge. And all but one of them failed.

It is time they apprehended clearly the extent of the power Simon Guggenheim has in Colorado, and why the methods he will resort to to keep it.

It is time they ceased from belittling the power of the man who has the opportunity of breaking his power before the opportunity has passed.

Other men of the same kind they also had used their wealth to "persuade" their election. But it was said for them that they were not to be taken into account, and a personality for making either bitter enemies or friends.

Simon Guggenheim, so far, has succeeded, and the quality of every fresh success is more astounding than that of any predecessor.

He did pay for his election to the senate. But he was elected. And no intimation of his seeming powerful enough to prevent that.

Steelhead Salmon in Rogue River.

From The Medford Tribune.

Erection of a cold storage plant at Port Orford by R. D. Hume, "lord of the fish," is to join the ranks of the settlers in the relentless war being waged upon the steelhead of the Rogue river.

Between Josephine county seiners, whose season for operations opens with the first of July, and the steelhead, the war is a continuous one. The steelhead is a fish of the sea, and is found in the Rogue river, and is a fish of the sea, and is found in the Rogue river.

Master Fish Warden McAllister has been appealed to and fishermen are expecting that an ultimatum to dam owners will follow his arrival and inspection of conditions.

Eugene V. Debs' Birthday.

Eugene Victor Debs, who, in the recent election, was the candidate of the Socialist party, was born in Terre Haute, Ind., November 8, 1858. He received a liberal education, and in 1871 went to work as a locomotive fireman.

Despite the recent frost and the consequent shortage in the crop it is estimated that there will be at least 100,000 bushels of potatoes shipped from Oregon during the present season.

The REALM FEMININE

The Matter of Allowances.

IT IS a curious thing that husbands do not watch their wives more closely. The best of wives need watching, and what's more, it is the superior kind that needs watching the most.

No, this is not a dissertation on the Hains-Annis kind of wife. Not the kind who writes to her husband when he is away that "she and a man friend went into a Fifth avenue cafe for a drink," and that they "got into some queer places"—not that kind of a wife.

For the first place that kind of a wife is not the kind that watches and in the second place, if she found she was watched she would do her funny tricks on the sly.

But the kind that will bear watching, and moreover, that will give the kind who says a pretty "thank you dear" when her month's allowance for dress, housekeeping and general expenses is handed to her, will give one nothing to do but to pay the bills of the plumber, the gas man, the grocer, the painter, the electrician, the teacher, the ash man, the newspaper, the gardener, the woman to wash windows, and then watch the money as it goes to the post office, she can think about the new street dress that she was going to have, finds that there is only a certain amount of money left over, and buys that. And then goes serenely and shabbily in her old brown dress, and gives one nothing to do but to watch her reception in that, and so stays away.

Such a wife is the kind that needs watching. If husbands had known it, they would have given her more allowance, one for dress and the other for all general expenses, and absolutely forbidden to inquire into the question of standing accounts. On the one hand, they encourage extravagance; on the other, they give one nothing to do but to watch her reception in that, and so stays away.

When it comes to the question of the children's allowance, it is not an easy matter to settle. One must allow for the family purse, by the way, is altogether different from the allowance to travel backward over "The Road to Yesterday" with our friends who portray the ideal of the American people, to realize that the discovery of the wife's right to a fair equality with her husband in the disposal of the money for the family is a thing that has not been thought of since the time of the long ago that the husband was master and the woman chattel. Her position as a full partner is altogether modern.

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STUFFED TOMATOES.

CUT an opening in the stem ends of some solid, ripe tomatoes, medium-sized; take out the inside, and to one half of the part removed add the same amount of cold boiled ham, which should be chopped up fine. Add some rolled cracker crumbs, some minced onion, some parsley, broken up, with pepper and salt. Stuff the tomatoes with the above put in a baking dish, and bake until the tomatoes are cooked through. Serve on a plate, surrounded by green sprays of parsley.

The Daily Menu.

BREAKFAST. Creamed dried beef. Creamed corn. Apples.

LUNCHEON. Corned beef hash. Apples.

DINNER. Vegetable soup. Mushroom patties. Sliced pineapple. Chicken pie.

Supper. Cheese and walnut salad. Chicken pie. Apples.

Uncooked food meats, beef and mutton contain 75 per cent of water, pork lamb 84 per cent, pork from 80 to 88 per cent and smoked bacon less than 25 per cent.