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THE BEGINNING AND THE END.

By the good vote of the majority in the republican legislative forces and the assistance of the democratic minority, Senator John H. Mitchell, four years retired, was again elected to the high place of honor and distinction last Saturday night at the close of the tedious session of forty days. The struggle was long and attended by many scenes and side plays which always fail to reflect credit upon the legislative body of a state.

The house and senate was composed of two factions, neither of which could be induced to surrender a single foot of vantage ground to the opposition.

In the mind of the fair and non-factional voters of the state who are in touch with the various and peculiar antics performed by the senatorial jugglers who have held sway in the two houses of the Oregon legislature during the last six years, Senator McBride, by virtue of services rendered, his important committee appointments attained, and by reason of the fact that better service is to be expected of a senator in his second term than in his first, was entitled to re-election.

Before the session was fairly begun Senator McBride and his supporters discovered that it would be impossible to return him to his seat. Here Senator McBride proved that he was a man worthy the admiration of all. When he found his election impossible he stepped down and out.

On the other hand Corbett and his followers were determined to stay until the last dog was hung else plank the aged and honored gentleman in the senatorial seat, setting up the plea that they were in the majority, and voicing from lower hall to capitol dome the battle-cry "Corbett or a dead-lock."

Had they withdrawn Corbett they might have effected a compromise and elected a Corbett man; but this of course Corbett would not entertain, and as none other seemed to be looking for senatorial honors with a sack of the same dimension as that of Corbett, the push still retained its "enthusiasm" for the aged millionaire to the last, and were doomed to see him go home shattered and battered—a defeated old man, whose confidence in mankind, and even in the power of the sack is certainly shaken.

It wasn't the ghost of Mitchell that haunted the Corbett camp but it was

"SENATOR JOHN H. MITCHELL THE MAN"

In flesh and blood, with all his old-time vitality and forceful energy backed by a brilliant and useful career that sent a sickening flutter to the hearts and rang out loud and clear in the ears of the Corbettites, and at noon on the last great day the Corbett forces, although a bold stand was made and a look of defiance was forced upon every brow, had little thought that they would succeed in electing him, but were sure that they could prevent the election of Senator Mitchell. They were defeated, and the state has a senator and one to do credit to himself and Oregon at large, the Corbett threat and boast "We'll dead lock the legislature" notwithstanding.

To Representative Hemenway is given the credit of breaking the Corbett ranks who was followed by Representative McQueen, and today the Corbett faction hold Mr. Hemenway personally responsible for the election of a senator.

Representative Hemenway and McQueen took the stand that inasmuch as Corbett was a republican and in the lead it was their duty to

give him their support until such time as it appeared that he could not be elected and a continuation of their support to him must result in a deadlock, then to go to some one else and do all in their power to elect a senator, and while neither Corbett nor Mitchell was their choice they were determined to be instrumental in electing. This they did and they are today appreciated by their constituency, and the Register of Eugene should tender to these gentlemen its apology for the vulgar and unwarranted attack made upon them last week.

In Mr. Mitchell the state has an able and conscientious worker; whose past record substantiates the assertion that he will always be on the lookout in the interest of the great state of Oregon.

Poor Kansas—first drouth and cyclones—then a woman with a hatchet;—it beats the Nation.

Someone has said that the British are of the opinion that the South African war is becoming somewhat of a Boer.

In way of offering some consolation to Corbett it might be said: It is better to have run and lost than never to have run at all.

Harvey Scott of Oregonian fame seems to have had a change of heart with reference to Senator John H. Mitchell since the memorable fight that paper made against the senator in 1884.

No town has a better regulated school nor one which gives better general satisfaction than the public school of Cottage Grove. The management is all that can be desired. Let the good work go on.

A man committed suicide the other day in San Francisco giving for his reason that he had quarreled with his wife. What a taking off of the men there would be in this country if this fellow's example was generally followed.

Lane county can well be proud of its delegation sent to the last legislature. In L. T. Harris an eloquent defender of the rights of the people is found whose splendid knowledge of law, equips him to battle with the best of them in matters liable to be considered in legislative halls. In senators Booth and Kuykendall we find the conservative and practical business men who are untiring in their efforts to put through measures of direct interest to their constituency and state. In reference to Representatives McQueen and Hemenway it is regretted that their illness prevented them from being at their desks much of the time and their work was necessarily hampered, but they were steadfast in their ideas and proved to be sound of judgment on every subject under their consideration.

Eugene is the home of a young man who in the near future is going to make old Lane county mighty proud of her son. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon, likewise Ann Arbor (Michigan) law school, and only a few years ago assumed the responsible position as deputy prosecuting attorney under Attorney Geo. Prown. In this position he has grown wonderfully popular with the law fraternity and won a place of distinction which will not be easily obliterated from the minds of those with whom he has come in contact. Last spring he outstripped every man on the republican ticket for representative. He went down to the legislature in his firm determined manner to do his duty as best he might. He did it and was said to be the hardest worker, the most conservative man in the house. On the senatorial question he staid, steadfastly by his choice, and won the admiration of all even of those who did not admire his choice. You may have heard of him. If you haven't you will in the future—his name is L. T. Harris.

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United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Jan. 15, 1901. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, James F. Wheeler of Cottage Grove, county of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1402, for the purchase of the Southwest 1/4 Quarter of Section No. 34 in Township No. 21 South, Range No. 2 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Ore. on Friday the 29th day of March, 1901.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., Dec. 20, 1900. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act August 4, 1892, James N. Boyd, of Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1347, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 11, in Township No. 22 S., Range No. 2 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon on Monday, the 4th day of March, 1901.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, November 13, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Lane Co., Oregon, on March 2, 1901, viz: William F. Cahaly, on H. E. No. 9089, for the W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 8, Tp. 20 S., R. 3 West.

This summons is published in the Bohemia Nugget for six consecutive weeks by order of Hon. H. R. Kincaid, County Judge for Lane County, Oregon, which said order bears date the 28th day of January, 1901, and the date of the first publication of this summons is fixed and prescribed in said order for publication to be February 1st, 1901.

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