Daily Capital Journal.

BY HOFER BROTHERS.

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THE HOUSE DEADLOCK.

What does it mean? This is the question that is asked by the people of Oregon as they scan the columns of the press and discover that the lower house of the Oregon legislature is not yet organized and has not yet elected a speaker. The cry, "we want to get to work; we are here for business; do not block legislation," is heard from the old party workers. But the deadlock is on and there is no relief but to wait till the deadlock is off. Deadlocks are no new thing. They happen whenever one house is of one party, and the other house is nearly a tie. The election of a senator is another complication, but is not the direct cause of the deadlock.

Perhaps Representative Smith came near the truth when he said the young blood of the state would take no more dictation from the old bosses. They should take their full share of the responsibility of the state government but no more. The kind of men selected in the Republican caucuses of both houses shows that the old bosses are in charge of the party and propose to ride it to death. They ride facing both ways, but at a slow and costly gait. Oregon is cursed with a collection of laws that is not a credit to the gentlemen who have shaped our state government through the legislatures in the past. It takes four years to get a case through the supreme court. Our educational system is forty years behind the times. Our agricultural societies are a gambling farce and agriculture has degenerated. Our government is costly and our laws governing primaries and elections are a disgrace to a civilized community. An amendment to the constitution or repeal of a commission is out of the question.

When the "regulars" at the legislative halls says they want to go to work they mean to grind out more such legislation as they have been grinding out for thirty years. The business they want to transact had better be left untransacted. If they go home without transacting any the state will save money. If the legislature stays in "deadlock" forty days it will do less harm than a week of "work" by the machine that has had control of Oregon politics to the ruin of honest government and the detriment of the people. The only capacity of these "regulars" is to exploit the treasury, tax the people, steal the lands, deprive the people of their rights and cheat them out of their ballot after it is cast. If the deadlock of the house can break down the rotten machine that has dominated the politics, and to a large extent the state government of Oregon, let all honest men say amen and hold up the hands of the men who are putting the blocks in the way of any more such machine work as Oregon has been cursed with for two generations.

THE OPPOSITION LEADERS.

The Republican machine managers have encountered a set of leaders rather unusual in Oregon politics. It is doubtful if any legislature has ever assembled with as strong a set of men in one combination as the present leaders of the opposition. There is no name in Oregon that stands for so much force and indefatigable powers of resistance and patient devotion and dogged determination of purpose as that of Jonathan Bourne. As both an organizer and fighter he has no equal in Oregon unless it be Jo. Simon and he has more than once matched that gentleman on his own field. Henry L. Barkley has also no equal in an all-around contest requiring foresight and hindsight, courtesy and kindness, yet firmness not surpassed by the very granite itself. Barkley is tireless, sleepless in the purpose he sets for himself and he seldom overreaches. He inspires others and sets men to work for love of the very work's sake. In debate he is quick, courteous and always lights on his feet. He is making the fight of his life to clean out the rotteness of Oregon politics and if he does not succeed it will not be on account of lack of courage or daring in the undertaking. Those who reckon on Elder Barkley being a tenderfoot and theoretical politician are sucked in. He is clean in methods, believing in conscience and honor and a degree of fairness not usually encountered in political warfare. The next man among the young combination of fighters is Davis of Umatilla. He is cool as steel, a man with a brain clear as a bell, and with a courage of conviction that dare face a regiment. He was tried for a whole session during the Dolph fight in 1895 and never wavered. As the temporary speaker of the lower house he has kept an even temper under the most galling fire of the regulars directed by the skillful generalship of the old leaders. The experience of men like Geer and Moores and other old generals of parliamentary warfare has been unable to "rattle" Davis and he holds the fort while thirty regular Republican machine leaders shout themselves hoarse with motions to throw him off his guard. But they will not catch Davis napping. U'Ren, the Populist leader, is another man who is more than a match for the machine crowd. He is the equal of Bourne or Barkley but a different type. He is a constant surprise to the enemy. He is ably backed by Smith of Linn and Bilyeu of Lane, both imperturbably good-natured fighters. Backed by Craig and Guild, they can easily match anything the opposition has so far been able to jump up. Whether the new combination elects a speaker or not they will put up a fight for the people such as has never been realized in the Oregon legislature.

STAYTON.

Miss Ollie Robestson returned to Salem last week for an indefinite period.

Miss Pearl Hobson left, Thursday, for Salem, where she will remain for some time.

Mr. J. M. Dunivin made a business trip to Albany the latter part of last week in the interests of the Stayton mills.

Miss Esther Robertson, of Salem, is home for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. Cane and wife, of Halsey, have moved to our little town and Mr. Cane will take change of the butcher shop formerly run by Mr. Apple.

Mr. Chas. Dorcas, of Brooks, was a Stayton visitor last week.

The Pugh Gold Medal contest will take place the 14 and 16, of this month, at the Christian church.

Mrs. Hughes, of Lebanon, who has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Lee Brown, left for her home the latter part of last week.

A person going by the name of Hayes forged several small checks in Heppner last week. He left town before being apprehended. He is described as follows: Light complexion, medium height, weight about 170 pounds, wore a common suit, brown in color, soft brown hat, light sandy mustache; had a respectable appearance, hands soft, and looked very little like a laboring man.

The ship of state has struck a snag.

Found dead!

There is something so shocking about sudden death that the mere mention of it wrenches the nerves of sensitive people. Millions of people pray for deliverance from it. Every Sunday in every Episcopal church in the world, these words are said:

"From battle, and murder and sudden death, Good Lord, deliver us."

Just why sudden death should be shocking, and death after lingering disease easy to bear, would puzzle any one to tell. It would seem that it would be more terrible to see some loved one wasting away, daily becoming weaker—daily slipping toward a death no less certain because it was slow in coming. Consumption causes more deaths than heart disease—more than cholera—more than yellow fever—more than any other disease the world has ever known. And yet people are careless about it. A man in danger of sudden death from heart disease can avoid the danger simply by keeping quiet and avoiding excitement. Consumption goes right on with its deadly work, no matter what the man does or how he conducts himself, if he doesn't take the right medicine to cure it. Consumption affects the whole body. It is a blood disease. It permeates the whole system. It shows in the lungs because the blood goes to the lungs for purification. It carries impurities there to be made pure. If there is too much impurity, the lungs are over worked—overloaded—the impurity stops there. The germs of disease stop there. They develop and multiply and then consumption takes definite form. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, lingering coughs, throat and bronchial diseases if it is taken according to directions. Get it at drug stores; learn all about it in Dr. Pierce's great 1008 page work, "Common Sense Medical Adviser," sent FREE on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing *only*. It contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Every family should possess a copy for ready reference in case of sudden sickness or accidents. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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The house will never be organized until it is organized right. Keep your eye on that fact.

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Out of regard for the anxious candidates for clerkships the house ought certainly to hurry its organization.

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Governor Lord's message is in the hands of the printer and will make sixty full pages. It is very exhaustive.

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Simon and Bourne are holding up the house! Thirteen Populists are holding up the house! Simon and the Populists are in cohabitation! Oh, ye political gods, how the purified Mitchellites weep! Their weeps are enough to cause the whole state to fall on its knees.

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The Statesman is silly and clacking at the dictation of a disgruntled Republican. After apparently supporting Dolph, but secretly conspiring to defeat him, its managers now display their ignorance of the whole situation by every line they print. It is the organ of the NITS.

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The old rotten machine is getting its just dues. It has deceived the people in every promise it ever made. It paraded McKinley as a silver man to deceive the people into voting the Republican ticket by representing it was on a silver platform. With such a basis of fraud and deception, they have the assurance to say they stand for principle.

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Nat Langell of Ashland, is one of the pioneer members of this house and an old time politician. He was a volunteer in the Indian wars, and a member in 1872 in the lower house. He was on the state and county committees of the Republican party. He was 6 years deputy Internal Revenue collector under Cartwright and Col. Weidler. Mr. Laugell is a quiet member but an effective worker when he takes hold. He is a loyal supporter of Senator Mitchell.

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The house committee on credentials has three reports ready to be submitted whenever organization is effected. One report, signed by Barkley and Bilyeu, unseats Nosler and refuses to seat Huntley, leaving Coos and Curry without a representative, giving the house a total vote of only 59. U'Ren signs a report seating Huntley. Thomas and Stanton make a report seating Nosler. Mr. Nosler is a carpenter by trade, a grand army man, and a correspondent of the Coquille City Bulletin. So far Mr. Nosler has not spoken in the House. He is not counted as a Populist by the Populists, having openly gone over to McKinley after his election to the legislature.

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That Mail Recovered.

Last evening at 6:30, Wm. Moir discovered near the big bridge, rolled up in a piece of brown paper, about fifty letters, in large official envelopes, which had been taken from the mail pouch, cut open Saturday night. About thirty of them had been opened, and the contents of about half of those had been replaced in the envelopes and the balance was in a chaotic condition. A number of letters had been mailed by Ladd & Bush and upon examination the checks in them were found intact. Earl Race, Mrs. Beeler and others who had also mailed checks, called and found their checks. Others having mailed letters on Saturday in large envelopes would do well to call at the postoffice and look up their letters.

Those which were unopened have today been forwarded. The mailing clerk found all the common sized envelopes undisturbed, and some have been sent on. No registered mail was in the pouch which was robbed. As far as learned there has been no loss to anyone.

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We do not write to our senator or representatives from this county, as they are all gold standard men. We would like to see a bill passed for election of road supervisor, by vote of the people of the several districts, to hold office for two years.

Kindly place our request before H. L. Barkley and other silver people. If we have any friends at the capitol we would suggest the idea of sending us some copies of bills, introduced; also reports of various departments of state.

SAMUEL APLIN,
JOHN P. APLIN,
D. M. DUNBAR.

STATE NEWS.

The county levy for Union county is 24 mills.

Charles Moore, of Newberg, is arranging to embark in the Belgian hare industry.

The county court of Linn county, ordered the action of the board of equalization ignored.

In Jutice Filloons' court, in The Dalles, Saturday, James Simonson was held in bonds of 300 to appear before the next grand jury and answer to a charge of rape.

The "sports" of Pendleton got up a fight Thursday between a bear and four noted bear dogs owned by A. DeSpain and Henry Thompson. The bear was sent over from west of the mountains. The fight was declared a draw.

Charles Parrott and wife, of Reedville, were arrested Monday, on a charge of stealing $400 from the residence of Isaac Allen. Mr. Allen is a bachelor, and lives near Redville, and is quite wealthy. The money was kept in a trunk in his house. He had shown Mrs. Parrot where the money was kept. On the night the trunk was broken open. Allen stayed with the Parrots in Reedville.

One of the richest gold discoveries ever made in Southern Oregon, was made by P. B. Sherwood, formerly a druggist of Canyonville. It is not yet known whether it is a pocket or a real mine. With a ten foot sluice box with riffles so small that the large pieces of gold could not be saved, and only the water from a small vain he washed out $500 in one day with a single man shoveling dirt, a man made $50 working over the tailing with a rocker, Sherwood has now $3000 in nuggets.

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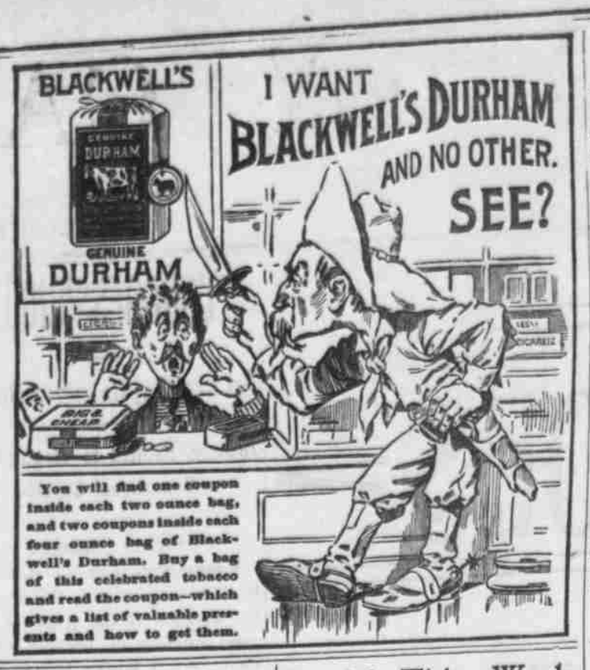

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