GOVERNOR GEER MEETS GOVERNOR-ELECT

CHAMBERLAIN.

TO PROTECT LABOR

Several Bills Before Oregon Legislature.

BACKED BY STATE FEDERATION

Measures to Regulate Employment of Women and Children-Request for Establishment of Labor Commission.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 11 .- (Special.)-Labor unions will be well represented in the measures that will come before the Legis-Several bills have been drawn up under the supervision of the executive committee of the Oregon State Federation of Labor. The president of the federation, G. Y. Harry, was in Salem today with a parcel of the bills. The purposes of the bills are in brief as follows: To limit employment of females to 16 hours

emote a Bureau of Labor Statistics.

To prevent the overcrowding of theaters and

To regulate child labor. To provide for the licensing of stationary

engineers.

To make eight hours a day's work and to limit to eight hours per day labor on all pub-

s under which labor is employed. require the Allied Printing Trades Council label on all state printing.

To prevent blacklisting of mechanics, unskilled laborers and other employee.

To compel parents or guardians to send minors under 14 years of age to school for the full

The executive committee of the federation is composed of: Y. Harry, of Portland; J. F. Welch,

of Astoria; George Hornby of Portland; J. F. Johnson, of Baker City; W. E. Miller, of Salem; Fred Langever, of Pendicton; George E. Shaver, of Portland; Charles Mickley, of Portland.

The measures are looked upon by many luwmakers as containing a number of radical features which will doubtless suffer medification in revision. The union members in the House are not a unit on the bills, especially in regard to the one for a labor commissioner, in which G. Y. Harry aims to be appointed commissioner. Democrat, Child Labor.

No child under 14 years of age is to be employed in any factory, store, workshop, mine or in the telephone, telegraph or messenger service. No minor under 16 years of age is to be employed before 6 A. M. or after 7 P. M., or for more than six days a week. Every such minor under 15 years of age is to have 26 minutes at on for lunch. Only those minors under f years are to be employed who can read write, An employer of such minors dence, and may hire them for service only on affidavit of their parent or guardian, stating the name, date, place of birth and place where they have attended school. An employer may demand a certificate of physical fitness from such minors under

his employ.

No child under 14 years of age is to be employed during public school hours. At-tendance at school is to be compulsory on such minors during the whole school term.

Female Labor. No female is to be employed in any laundry, hotel or restaurant more than Secret 16 hours in one day. Employers of fe-State

Blacklists.

No employer of labor is to blacklist or to publish a blacklist of any employes disirged or in service, with intent to prevent such employes from securing similar The penalties employment elsewhere. prescribed for violation of the act are not less than \$30 nor more than \$250. This bill be credited to the general fund of the be introduced by Representative Orton.

Labor Commissioner.

For the enforcement of labor legislation the office of Labor Commissioner is pro-This official is to collect statistics of labor and to make inspection of mines, workshops and factories. The Commissioner is to be named in the bill and is to serve until July, 1904, when he is to be succeeded by a Commissioner elect-ed by popular vote. The term of office thereafter is to be four years. His salary is to be \$2400 per year, and he is to be allowed not more than \$10,000 per year for the expenses of his office. The duties of the Commissioner are thus described;

It shall be the thuty of the Labor Commis-sioner to cause to be enforced all the laws stoner to cause to be enforced all the laws regulating the employment of children, minors and women, all laws established for the protection of the health, lives and limbs of operators in workshops, factories, mills and mines, and other places, and all laws enacted for the protection of the working classes, laws which declarp it to be a misdemeanor on the part of the employers to require as a condition of employment the surrender of any rights of the convex of of employment the surrender of any rights of citisenship, laws regulating and prescribing the qualifications of persons in trades and handcrafts, and similar laws now in force or hereafter to be enacted. The bureau shall collect, amort, arrange and present in blennial reports to the Legislature, statistical details relating to all the departments of labor in the state; to the subject of corporations, strikes or other difficulties; to trade unions and other labor originizations and their effect upon labor and capital; the number and condition of the Japanese and Chinese in the state; their social and sanitary habits; number of married and of single; the number employed their social and samistry saids, studies of married and of single; the number employed and the nature of their employment; the aver-age wages per day at each employment, and the gross amount yearly; the amount expended by them in rent, food and clothing, and in what proportions such amounts are expended for foreign and home productions, respectively; to what extent their employment comes in competition with the white industrial classes of the state; and to such other matters relatto the commercial, industrial, social, educaing to the commercial industrial, seems, color-tifoosi, moral and sanitary conditions of the la-boring classes and the permanent prosperity of the respective industries of the state as the bureau may be able to gather. Section 3. It shall be the duty of every

owner, operator or manager of every factory, workshop mill, mine or other establishment where labor is employed to make to the bu-rean, upon blanks furnished by said bureau, such reports and returns as the said bureau

rs and operators of establishments where labor is employed are required to make to the bureau, on blanks provided therefor, reports to be compiled into statistics, within the time prescribed by the Commissioner of Lebor. But such information is to be held

Labor. But such information is to be held as confidential and employes or officers of the bureau violating this confidence are to be subject to puntalment.

The Commissioner is to have the power to insue subpoemas, administer oaths and take testimony in all matters relating to his duties. Witnesses before any officer of the bureau shall be paid the same fees as witnesses before a Curcuit Court. Such payment is to be made from the fund appropriated for the use of the bureau. Any person who willfully refuses to attend or testify at the time and place named in the sub-

tify at the time and place named in the sub-poses shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

The Commissioner or any employe of the bureau is to have power to enter any factory, mill, mine, office, workshop, or public or priworks at any time for the purpose of ering facts and statistics and to examine into the protection of employes from danger and the sanitary conditions. Any owner or oc-cupant of such establishment who shall refuse to allow any officer of the bureau to enior shall be punished by fine or imprisonment. After two years all records, schedules and

LEWIS AND CLARK BILL PUT IX. Prospects for Early Consideration Are Good.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—The Lewis and Clark Fair bill was introduced in the Senate this forenoon by Senator Hunt, of Multnomah, and in the House this afterneon by Representative Malarkey. By unanimous consent in the Senate it was rend twice by title only and was referred to a special committee composed of Senators Hunt, of Multnomah; Marsters, of Douglas; Howe, of Yamhili; Holman, of Multnernah and Clackamas; Stelwer, of Wheeler; Smith, of Umatilla, and Wade, of Union,

The bill was ordered printed immedistely, and it is understood that copies of it will be placed on the desks of mempers of the Legislature Wednesday morning. The bill will then be urged to a third reading as soon as the special committee reports it back to the Senate. The committee appointed by President Brownell contains Senators from every part of the state, and members of both political par-Their recommendation will, there fore, probably secure its immediate and

avorable consideration. The Lewis and Clark Fair bill was to have been the first introduced in the Leg-iciature, but through some oversight the bill was misplaced, and could not be found this morning. Senator Hunt se-cured a copy of the bill and introduced it as Senate bill No. 10.

As soon as the bill passes the Senate it will be called up in the House, and its early consideration urged in that body. In the Senute all were willing to have the bill pass two readings immediately, so as to hasten its final consideration, and no delays are anticipated.

In the House Representative Malarkey achieved a small triumph by catching the eye of the Speaker first under the order of business introduction of billis, and therefore the measure is numbered House bill 1. Mr. Malarkey briefly and clearly stated the objects of the measure and asked suspension of the rules in order that it might be passed to second reading. The House readily assented, and then Mr. Malarkey asked that it be referred to a special committee of seven, to be named by the Spenker. This was done.

The Lewis and Clark bill is therefore in the hands of a special committee in each house, and the prospects of its early assage are good.

Speaker Harris tomorrow will announce the following committee of the House to consider the Lewis and Clark bill: Malarkey of Multnomah, Davey of Marion, Carnahan of Clatsop, Riddle of Douglas, Whealdon of Wasco, Shelley of Lane, and Galloway, of Yambill. All these men are understood to be in favor of the Fair. The Senate commit-

tee is likewise favorably disposed. Owing o the inauguration ceremonies today and he probable adjournment tomorrow, the Objection is freely made to Mr. Harry by Bell is not likely to pass before next week. Republicans on the ground that he is a Senator Marsters, of Douglas, this Senator Marsters, of Douglas, this morning announced in the Senate that he will probably introduce an amendment to the Lewis and Clark bill. He gave no indication of its purport. In subsequent conversation Senator Marsters said that he contemplated reference to the people in accordance with the new constitutional amendment. "I favor the measure," said Senator Marsters, "and I am satisfied that the people of Oregon are also favor-able. But there is a sirong sentiment in many quarters that the people should have a chance to vote upon it. Before I present the amendment, however, I shall consult with other Senators, and my course will doubtless be influenced by what they think is best, both for the Lewis and Clark enterprise and for the

FOR FLAT SALARIES,

Senator Miller, of Lina County, Introduces Bill in Senate.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The flat-salary bill introduced in the Senate by Senator M. A. Miller, Democrat, of Linn County, fixes salaries as follows:

"All laws in reference to the payment receive any communication he may have of fees or perquisites to any of said officers shall remain in force, except that all the morning that he has a message which fees or perquisites to be paid to any of he will be pleased to deliver immediately, said officers by existing laws shall be col- Should there be any delay in passing the lected by such officers, but no part thereof joint resolution, the convention of the shall be retained by him, but shall be paid two Houses may be delayed until tomor-

State of Oregon." No salaries are fixed for the Suprem Judges, clerk of the Supreme Court, Suerintendent of Public Instruction or At-The section relating to orney-General. fees applies only to existing laws and not the collection of other fees.

declaring that it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace and safety that the act take effect upon its approval by the Governor.

GOVERNOR GEER GOES OUT TODAY.

His Successor Will Be Inaugurated volume of traffic across the old structure; volume of traffic across the old structure;

livery of the address of the new Governor. The Legislature will probably hold a joint convention of the two Houses to suit the time most convenient to Mr. Geer and Mr. Chamberlain, The two Houses have not yet passed a

"This is the long and short of it"

said Mr Chamberlain

resolution providing for the joint conven-tion, but it is expected that the resolution will be passed the first thing tomorrow Should there be any delay in passing the joint resolution, the convention of the to row afternoon, but this is not expected.

> BRIDGE BILL SOON TO GO IN. Commissioners for Morrison-Street

> > Structure Yet to Be Named.

SALEM Or., Jan. 12 .- (Special.) -- Reprefees applies only to existing laws and not sentative Cobb will introduce in the to laws which may hereafter be passed for House the bill for the reconstruction of the Morrison-street bridge just as eo It is provided that as to the State as the Multnomah delegation shall have Printer the law shall not take effect until met and determined upon the names of 1907. An emergency clause is attached, the five commissioners who are to carry out the provisions of the proposed act. The bill provides substantially that the City of Portland shall issue bonds in the sum of \$400,000 for the purpose of making a better and wider highway across the Willametic at Morrison street. It is

Governor Geer's message, the inaugura- land, and he says he find practically no tion of Governor Chamberiain and the de-livery of the address of the new Governor. This is a plan agreed upon by Governor urgent and the merits of the project not to be questioned. The East Side Im-provement Association has taken an active interest in the matter and will make it its business to see that Mr. Cobb is rendered any necessary aid to secure its passage. The Multnomah delegation, so far as known, is entirely favorable.

same as last year. The following city officers were also elected: Special enofficers were also elected: Special en-gineer for fire engines, J. J. Lindgren; Superintendent of Streets, F. M. Westfall; Poundmaster, John Catlin. Eleven ballots were taken for night policeman, resulting in a deadlock, and the election was postponed. A committee, consisting of Mayor W. H. Davis and Councilmen J. M. Ralston and S. A. Dawson, was ap-pointed to visit the State Legislature and act in conjunction with the committee from the Alco Club in looking after the city's interests regarding the question of removing the toll from the steel bridge.

WINLOCK, Wash., Jan. 11.-(Special.)-Hobos broke into Charles Rockafellow's jewelry store about 6 o'clock this evening while he was at supper and robbed saveral trays, including 40 watches, search is being made for them. It thought they escaped on a freight that left shortly after 6 o'clock. The stations north and south have been notified.

Carnegle Gives to Lick Observatory, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Berkeley, Jan. 12.—The Carnegie Institution has guaranteed \$4000 to the Lick Observatory, to further its astronomical re-

GOES THROUGH HOUSE WITH NO DISSENTING VOTE.

First, Second and Third Rendings Were Passed in Rapid Order.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 13 .- (Staff correspondence.)-The Portland charter bill was rushed through the House today in rapid fashion. It was presented by Representative Reed, who asked that the rules be suspended, and that it go to second reading. This was done, and then the indulgence of the members was again asked and was granted for the third reading. There a small parliamentary squabble ensued over the correct procedure under third reading, and Mr. Reed endeavored to have the bill made a special order for another day. But the Speaker ruled that must be read a third time now, and the House coincided with his view, that it was the proper thing to be done, by refusing to reconsider the motion to pass the third reading.

Recording Clerk Murphy made a lightthe great task in about one minute. Then the bill was placed on final passage and put through without a dissenting vote.

Senator Mays will at once introduce the bill in the Senate, where similar speedy action is looked for.

IN THE SENATE

Twenty-four New Bills Are Introduced.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 13.-(Special.)-The Senate convened at 10 o'clock this morn-

The President announced the appointmetn of the following pages: Albert Dimmick, Loyd Scriber and Ralph Cronise The President appointed Senators Fulton, Williamson, Marsters, Miller and Pierce on the committee to draft resolutions on the death of Congressman Tongue.

Senate joint memorial No. 1, by Mays of Multnomah, relating to the improve-ment of the Columbia River at Cellio, was adopted.

Senate concurrent resolution No. 1, by Myers, to investigate the affairs of the State Land Department, was read and referred to a special committee, composed of Senators Myers, Mulkey, Daly, Smith of Umatilla, and Steiwer, Senate concurrent resolution No. 2, by

Sweek, for the investigation of the state penitentiary, was referred to a special committee, composed of Senators Kuy-kendall. Smith of Multnomah and Sweek, to whom all such resolutions will be re-Senate concurrent resolution No. 1, by

Carter, to investigate the Reform School, was referred to the special committee. Senate concurrent resolution No. 4, to investigate the fishing industries of the Columbia River, in conjunction with a like committee from the State of Wash-

Farrar, to investigate the insane asylum was referred to the special committee. Senate concurrent resolution No. 6, by Crolsan, to investigate the Oregon Sol-

diers' Home, was also referred to the special committee. Senate concurrent resolution No. 7, by Croisan, to investigate the state penitentiary, was referred to the special com-

mittee. Senate concurrent resolution No. 8, by Miller, to investigate the State Treasury, was referred.

Senate concurrent resolution No. 9, by Hobson, to investigate the State Treasury, was referred. Senate resolution No. 3, by Mulkey, di-

recting the Secretary of State to furnish the Senators with copies of the resolumechanical or mercantile establishment, and the passed the arst tang tomoring. The House today appointed a committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him that organization has been are to provide suitable seats for the last session proposing amendation. Albany Fixes Tax Levy.

City Council this evening fixed the city inform him that organization has been are to provide suitable seats for the last session proposing amendation. City Council this evening fixed the city inform him that organization has been effected and that the House is ready to the constitution. Senate concurrent resolution No. 10, by the constitution of the last session proposing amendation. City Council this evening fixed the city information of the last session proposing amendation. City Council this evening fixed the city information of the last session proposing amendation. The council this evening fixed the city information of the last session proposing amendation. The council this evening fixed the city information of the last session proposing amendation. City Council this evening fixed the city information of the last session proposing amendation. The council the council that the constitution of the last session proposing amendation. The council the council that the constitution of the last session proposing amendation. Albany Fixes Tax Levy.

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Albany Fixes Tax Levy. Secretary of State, was referred to the special committee. Senate resolution No. 4, by Mulkey, extending the courtesics of the Senate to

the representatives of the press, was The Secretary of State was directed to

furnish the Senate with 200 copies of the Senate rules. Senate concurrent resolution No. 11, by Marsters, to investigate the Mute School,

was referred. Senate resolution No. 5, directing the sergeant-at-arms to provide each Senator with \$5 worth of stamps and 100 paper

wrappers, was adopted. Senate concurrent resolution No. 1, by Mulkey, directing the ways and means

committee to present all appropriation bills not less than five days before the close of the session, Bills were introduced in the Senate as follows:

No. 1-By Miller, to amend section 3315 No 2-By Smith of Umatilla, to provide for special tax for building roads.
No. 3-By Marsters, to require that exeoutions take place at the penitentiary.

No. 1-By Pierce, to amend sections 3360 and 2274 of the code, relating to the school

No. 5-By Myers, to authorize Portland H. B. No. 23, by Reed-To limit pay of

ACTION ON CHARTER BILL to establish a ferry across the Willametre in Sellwood.

No. 6-By Miller, to provide for a health

officer in each county.
No. 7-By Sweek, relating to filing supplementary articles of incorporation.

No. 8-By Marsters, to submit to the voters the pending constitutional amend-

No. 3-By Wehrung, to define the boundaries of Washington County. No. 10-By Stelwer, relating to trans-

portation of sheep by express.

No. 11-By Johnston, to authorize the Governor, Secretary of State and State Treasurer to construct a portage railroad

No. 12-By Croisan, to amend the Salem

charter act. No. 13-By Marsters, to create an irreducible school fund for Douglas County.
No. 14-By Mays, to punish horsesteal-

No. 15-By Sweek, relating to the powers of administrators with regard to sales of property.
No. 16-By Hunt, to appropriate \$500,000 for the Lewis and Clark Centennial and the St. Louis Exposition; read twice and

ordered printed.

Senate bili No. 16 was referred to a special committee of seven, composed of Senators Hunt, Marsters, Howe, Holman, Stelwer, Smith of Umatilla and Wade, No. 17-By Pierce, to abolish the office County.

No. 18-By Pierce, to abolish the office of Recorder of Conveyances in Umatilia County.

No. 15-By Smith of Umatilla, relating to liens upon property of railroad com-No. 20-By Miller, to provide for the

consolidation of schools, No. 21-By Hunt, to provide for the reformation of incorrigibles. No. 22-By Pierce, to amend the law relating to election of Prosecuting Attorneys and prescribing their compensation. No. 23-By Miller, to fix the salaries of

state officers. No. 24-By Croisan, for a direct primary election law. At 11:30 o'clock the Senate adjourned until 19 o'clock A. M. Wednesday,

IN THE HOUSE.

Forty-four Bills Introduced and Rend.

SALEM, Jan. 13 .- (Special.) -Te House was called to order at 1:33 P. M, by Speaker Harris.

On motion of Phelps of Morrow, the Speaker was directed to name a commit-tee of five on resolutions, to whom should be referred all bills without debate. On motion of Davey of Marion, the report of the committee on clerks was received and the clerk was ordered to cast the ballot of the House for the clerks therein named.

A concurrent resolution was referred, to name a committee of the Oregon Legisla-ture to confer with a like committee of Washington Legislature in the interest of uniform fish legislation.

Jones of Multnomab moved that a

committee of three hunt up the Govern and notify him that the House was ready to receive any message he may wish to offer; referred to resolution committee. On motion of Davey of Marion, courtesies of House were extended to mem-

bers of the press.

Resolutions were referred to the committee on resolutions to examine the records and accounts of the several state institutions.

A resolution offered by Ginn was adopted to memorialize Congress to pass a bill now pending "for the relief of set-tlers on lands in Sherman County, in the State of Oregon"; vote, 55-6. The following bills were introduced:

H. B. No. 1, by Malarkey-To appropri-ate \$500,000 for the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Read a second time. H. B. No. 2, by Eddy—For taxation and regulation of joint stock companies and

corporations,
H. B. No. 3, by Davey-To amend Salem H. B. No. 4, by Davey-To amend the

H. B. No. 5, by Davey-Relating to time of holding court in Third Judicial District, H. B. No. 6, by Banks-To amend the civil code.

H. B. No. 7, by Jones-To provide for farming dyking districts.

H. B. No. 8, by Phelps-To amend code

relating to fences. H. B. No. 9, by Burgess-To create the county of Stockman. H. B. No. 10, by Bailey-Regulating trade inions labels on printed state matter.

H. B. No. 11, by Both-To amend

Clatskanie incorporation act. H. B. No. 12, by Hansbrough-Relating to jurisdiction of county courts in pro-

oate matters. H. B. No. 13, by Hutchison-Relating to exits of public places of meeting or H. B. No. 14, by Orton-Creating Com-

missioner of Labor, H. B. No. 15, by Riddle—To create treducible school fund for Douglas County. H. B. No. 16, by Riddle-To amend code.

H. B. No. 17, by Kramer-To incorporate Myrtie Creek. H. B. No. 18, by Kramer-To further

define crime of bribery. H. B. No. 19, by Hahn-To prevent un-lawful wearing of secret society badges, H. B. No. 29, by Hahn-To amend the ede relative to actions for damages. H. B. No. 21, by Reed-The Portland charter bill. H. B. No. 22, by Reed-Relative to bids

ABATEMENT

Money-Saving Opportunities at Ellers Piano House Selzed by Many.

A good way to begin the week, both for us and for the prudent people, who are wise enough to see the advantage which our low-price cash sale offers is to get a fine piano at once. Nine of the fourteen pianos sold Monday were delivered in Portland, the first one beling a handsome Hobart M. Cable, for Mr. A. D. Keenan, 721 Ash street; a beautiful Weber upright went to William Frehn. 513 East Twenry-sixth street; a weser, in handsome quartered oak case, was purchased by Mr. Hector Noumal, of North Fourth street; Mrs. Anna A. Albee, 373 Thirteenth atreet, chose a fine-toned Lesster, and Mrs. H. W. Schert, 50 East Third street, took a beautiful Schumann; Miss Mary Anderson, 36 Borthwick street, took a superb kimball, and so did one of Portland's most prominent school teachers, Mr. J. O. Routledge, 340 Belmont street, purchased a Chickering, as did also H. J. Kelly. A fine lot of high-grade pianos for a one day's sale. In addition five more instruments were sold out of town, one going as far east as Green River, Wyo.

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While in this sale our efforts are mainly for the purpose of neiling for spot cash, we are giad to give a little time where a purchaser is unable to make full payment immediately, and our prices for planos purchased on installments are also greatly reduced. Come in and see us about these prices. Or, if you cannot come, write or phone. Long-distance telephone messages of inquiry will be paid for by us during this sale, and every pains taken to have purchasers fully understand the exact value of the bargains they receive. Money will be cheerfully refunded, and instrument taken back if by any chance it faffs to give perfect satisfaction.

You had better join the procession. The plano you can afford now you may not be able to secure when this sale closes. Ellers Piano House, El Washington street, Portland, Or. Other large, flourishing houses at San Francisco, Spokane and Saursmento.

County Commissioners of Multnomah to days given to service. H. B. No. 24, by Reed-To amend code to correct errors and omissions in the statutes regarding evidence from other

countles and states H. B. No. 25, by Reed-To amend code relating to supplementing articles of incorporation. H. B. No. 26, by Reed-To amend code

relative to pleadings.

H. B. No. 27, by Reed—To amend act relative to Port of Portland.

H. B. No. 28, by Burleigh—To regulate herding and grazing of stock.

H. B. No. 29, by Bilyeu—License tax on

oreign corporations.

H. B. No. 30, by Bilyeu—Relative to taxation of corporations. New real estate tax law. H. B. No. 31, by Bilyeu-For tax on iquors sold in dining cars.

H. B. No. 32, by Test.—To protect salmon industry and build hatcheries.

H. B. No. 33, by Test.—To relocate

ounty seat of Malheur. H. B. No. 34, by Burleigh-Relative to of state lands. H. B. No. 35, by Gault-To prevent phoographers from plying their vocation

H. B. No. 36, by Nottingham-For proection of birds. H. B. No. 37, by Murphy-To provide or annual enumeration of school children each February. H. B. No. 38, by Hermann-To amend

H. B. No. 39, by Banks-To Bmit hours of employment for women in hotels, etc. H. B. No. 49, by Cobb-To provide fenders for street cars. H. B. No. 41, by Malarkey-Relative to

inheritance tax. H. B. No. 42, by Banks-To amend code relative to debtors.

H. B. No. 42, by Galloway—To amend Willamina incorporation act,
H. B. No. 44, by Blakeley—To amend
code relative to stock. All these bills were read a first and a

CLERKS FOR THE HOUSE.

Every Part of the State Is Represal.EM, Jan. 13.-(Special.)-The fol-

Hall of Representatives, Salem, Jan. 13, 1903.—Mr. Speaker—We, your special committee appointed to apportion the various clerkships and stenographers among the different countles, beg leave to submit the following report: The clerks and stenographers selected

by your committee are the following, to First-Marion: One assistant chief clerk. Fred Drager; one reading clerk, C. A. Murphy; one page, Penrhyn S. Kant-

Second-Linn: One chief clerk engross

ing committee, F. M. Powell; one committee cierk, Sam Wourl,
Third-Lane: One Speaker's cierk; one chief clerk for the House, A. C. Jennings, Fourth-Douglas-One chief clerk judi-ciary committee, C. S. Jackson. Fifth, Eighth and Ninth-Coos, Jackson, Douglus, Jackson: Three committee clerks, James Stewart, Charles T. Curry

and Scott Morris.
Seventh - Josephine: One committee clerk, Robert Virtue. Tenth-Benton: One committee clerk, Julia Fullerton. Eleventh-Polk: One doorkeeper, T. W.

Wann; one page, Lee Davis.
Twelfth-Lincoln-Polk: One committee clerk. D. Hamman. Thirteenth-Yamhill-One stenographer, Miss Myrtle McDaniel. Fourteeneth - Tillamook-Yambili: Ona ommittee clerk, S. H. Rock,

Fitteenth-Washington: One stenog. rapher, Benton Bowman. Sixteenth-Clackamas: One committee clerk, J. McNaulty; one chief clerk ways and means committee, J. U. Campbell.

Seventeenth and Eighteeneth-Clackamas-Multnomah and Multnomah: Six committee, cierks, Ora Smith, Thomas Cole, Lou Harlow, Thomas Newstead, Miss Carrie Willis, Mrs. May Chapman. Nineteenth-Clatsop: Two committee clerks, Frances I. Ellis and Christine Barth.

Twentieth-Columbia: One committee clerk, Ed Joseph. Twenty-first-Crook, Klamath, Lake and Wasco: One stenographer, Gertrude Bashor; one committee clerk, C. I. Rob-

Twenty-second-Morrow and Umatilla: One committee clerk, S. A. Rennick, Twenty-third-Umatilla: One stenographer, Miss Flora Hallock. Twenty-fourth-Union and Wallowa: One committee clerk, Miss Ida Funk. Twenty-fifth-Union: One committee clerk, Miss Mabel Creighton.

Twenty-sixth-Baker: One committee derk, Mrs. Lottritz. Twenty-seventh-Harney and Malheur: One committee clerk, Sam Mothershead, Twenty-eighth-Grant, Sherman, Wasco and Wheeler: One chief clerk enrolling

committee. E. R. Mummey; one committee cierk, J. T. Jacobie. D. M. C. GAULT, Chairman, Report on Marion County Expenses, SALEM, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—County Clerk Roland today completed his annual report, which shows the aggregate of exenses of Marion County for 1902 to have een \$45,849 66, as against \$44,682 49 for the preceding year. The current expenses for the year, instead of being \$1200 greater than for 1901, as indicated in the report, have in reality been \$1200 less, for the

Labelle Must Hang VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 13.-A special from Dawson today eays Justice Craig overruled the application of counsel for Labelle for the reserving of his case for another review by the Minister of Justice Labelle spends his time reading the Bible, while Fournier is very sullen and does not seem to care whether he dies or not. The double execution will take place on

reason that last year an extra item of expense for election was about \$2600.

