M'ARTHUR BUSY **ASSIGNING JOBS**

Bowerman Also Besieged by Men Anxious to Secure Chairmanship.

FRIENDS TAKEN CARE OF

Choice Positions Will Go to Those Who Aided Presiding Officers to Land Places-Members Likely to Find What They Want.

SALEM. Or., Jan. 12.—(Special.)— Legislative committees will be an-announced next Monday by Prezident Howerman and Speaker McArthur. Pending this mementous event, the two presiding officers are besieged with wirepullers and applicants for prefer-

ment.

At the outset it may be said that the corrupt practices act, forbidding committee pledges in advance of the Legislative organization, does not prevent either the President or the Speaker from rewarding his friends. It would be contrary to human nature for either presiding officer to ignore his supporters and nobody expects him to do it. In the Senate, Dr. J. N. Smith, of Marion, wants ways and means chairmanship; likewise A. J. Johnson, of Benton. But there is a strong sentiment in that body opposing the giving ment in that body opposing the giving of chairmanships to any Legislator from Marion County or any other county that draws heavily on the state treasury. For this reason, the chair-manship is likely to go to a Multno-mah man, either Coffey or Nottingham.

This chairmanship in the House is s bone of contention between conflictng interests that claim themselves en titled to the recognition on account of support given to McArthur's candidacy for Speaker. Abbott, of Mulinomah, is likely to be the appointee and another place on the committee will go to Clemens of the same county. Abbott and Clemens came to McArthur's support the Statement One Republicans on one port two weeks ago at a critical per-ed in McArthur's campaign. A strong opposition to this appointment has de-celoped but it is not likely to prevail. The committee will be enlarged to seven mombers to make room for the many seekers of places on the commit-

Next in the scale of committees is that on judiciary and its twin, on re-vision of laws. For these two committees in each house there will be abundance of material, owing to the presence of 22 lawyers in the Legislapresence of 22 lawyers in the Legisla-ture. These are the best working com-mittees of all, when they are in trim and appointment to them has been re-garded as an especial honor. In the Senate, Hart, of Baker, is likely to get the committee on judiciary; and Bar-rett, of Washington, that on ravision. These two men were among Bower-Senate, Hart, of Baker, is likely to get the committee on judiciary; and Barrett, of Washington, that on ravision. These two men were among Bowerman's staunchest supporters for the Presidency. While there are other lawyers in the Senate, none of them is entitled to recognition above Hart and Barrett.

Senate, Hart, of Baker, is likely to get the lisues for dispute between the Executive and the Legislature and Chamberlain's opponents can hardly expect in the make-up of this Legislature, to muster a two-thirds vote against them.

When the vetoes were received in the House from the Secretary of State's office this afternoon, Orton of Multno-makers.

Barrett.

In the House a likely appointes to judiciary is Brooke of Malheur, one of McArthur's earliest and most steadfast supporters. Brooke is a young man of ability. Another strong candidate for the judiciary chairmanship or that on revision of law is McCue of Clatsop, who gave his speakership support to McArthur in Portland last Saturday, thereby clinching McArthur's hold on the Speakership. Mahone of Multnomah delegation were divided. The amended motion was then and others who will secure places on

Senate, a likely appointee is Bingiam of Lane, who held this game chairmanship in 1907. In the House, Reynolds, of Marion is a likely appointee. He is another of McArthur's followers deserving of particular recognition.

The committees on railroads will not be sought after so actively as last sestion. The particular recognition of the sought after so actively as last sestion. They were as follows:

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sion, but they will be among the most important working bodies. In the Senate, Coffey of Multinomiah appears to be the man for chairmanship first in line, on account of his chairmanship. line, on account of his chairmanship of railroads in the House last session. Coffey is not, however, very desirous of this place, yet may take it. F. J. Miller, of Lina, is another man well fitted for chairmanship, both by experience in railroad matters and by his in-fluence in the Senate. In the House, Brady of Multnomah is entitled to a high-grade chairmanship, such as this, and his appointment to it would not e surprising. However, the Speaker, disposed to appoint Dodds of Wasco. As banking will be an important sub-As banking will be an important subject of legislation, the committees on banking belong to the high-grade plums. There will be an effort this session to keep bankers out of the chairmanships of these committees, and to take out of the hands of bankers centrel of banking legislation. For this reason Johnson of Benton, who wants the Senate chairmanship, may not get the place.

not get the place. Clemens on Insurance Committee.

Formerly the committee on Insurance was the same as that on banking. In the session of 1907 insurance was put off by itself and a separate committee created for it. In the House it is well understood that Clemens, of Multnomal, will be chairman of the insurance committee. In the Senate, Albee, of Multnomah, would have been a probable appointee but for his opposition to Bowerman's organiza-tion. This is a chairmanship of con-siderable importance and it will probably be given to a Bowerman sup-

Senate, Chase, of Coos, may be named chairman on account of Coos County navigation interests which are seeking aid from the state and the National Government. In the House, Mariner, of Sherman, is expected to be the chairman of the committee on commerce.

Irrigation will be a big subject in this Lection of the committee on account of ex-

legislation will be a big stoject in this Legislature largely on account of expected bills for the control of unappropriated waters. As Eastern Oregon is most vitally interested in such legislation, it is expected that the chairmanship in each house will go to that part of the state, especially on account of Eastern Oregon's almost united support of Bowerman and McArthur. Merry-man, of Klamath, is likely to head this committee in the Senate. In the House, McKinney, of Baker, or Mahoney, of Morrow, is promising material; also Frattain, of Lake. On account of the evident desire of McArthur to make a good place for McKinney, the Baker man may secure this place.

Fisheries Committee Opens.

Fisheries will be a lively subject of In the House, Farrell, of Multnomah, on Gouley, J. C. Lewis

his support of the McArthur organization is a probable appointee for chairman. In the Senate, Scholfield, of Clatsop, is in the Senate. Scholfield, of Clatsop, is in line and the only doubt as to his secur-ing this place is the certainty in the resultant antagonisms on the upper river, Scholfield representing the lower river. Upper river interests will certainly resist Scholfield's appointment and will con-sent to it only on condition that the committee shall be packed against him. Sinnott, of Wasco, comes from the upper river and would probably be preferred by the upper river.

the upper river.

For the House committee on agriculture, Hawiey, of Polk, is the most promising candidate for coalrman. Others
spoken of for this place are: Neek, of
Washington; Mann, of Umatilia; and McKinney, of Baker. In the Senate, Parrish, of Grant, a retired lawyer, may re-ceive the appointment. This is rather a hard chairmanship to give out as there are no farmers in the Senate. Should Parrish be singled out for this honor, he will undoubtedly receive important other places in keeping with his deserts as a places in keeping with his deserts as a member of the Bowerman organization. Representative Eaton, of Lane, is a promising candidate for chairman of the House committee on education. The disposition of this chairmanship in the Senate is uncertain as yet. On account of Johnson's residence in Corvallis, home of the State Agricultural College, he is talked of for this place.

Cole on Pharmacy Committee.

Dr. Cole, of Umatilla, is likely to be hosen to head the Senate committee on chosen to head the cenary in the House medicine and pharmacy. In the House this chairmanship may go to Dr. Belknap. Others mentioned for the House with the control of West. chairmanship are Dr. Hines, of Wash-ington; Bones, of Yamhill and Apple-gate, of Douglas.

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count of his mining connections at
lone. McKinney, of Baker, a hig minning county, is another prominent can-

LEGISLATURE WILL CONSIDER THEM BEFORE ELECTION.

General Belief Is Chamberlain Will Be Sustained-No Influence on Senatorial Vote.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12 .- (Special.) --Whether to put off consideration of Chamberlain's last session vetoes until this afterneon between Democrats and the Statement One Republicans on one side and their opponents on the other, including some members of the Statement camp. By a vote of 35 to 21 the House rejected the plan to defer the vetoes until Wednesday, January 20, and then fixed next Monday at 2 P. M. as the time for their disposition. The Senate appointed the same hour of that day to consider the votes on its side. The manifest purpose of Chamberlain's friends was to put off the vetoes until such time as they could not com-

until such time as they could not com-plicate the Senatorial election. Ai-though complications are not expected his friends wished to take all possible precautions. That the vetoes will be sustained is altogether probable, for the reasons that none of them present real live issues for dispute between

and others who will secure places on the two law committees are Rusk of Wallows, Buchanan of Louglas, Dimick of Clackamas, and Bean of Lane.

On assessment and taxation, in the Senate, a likely appointee is Bingham of Lane, who held this game chair-

waite on execution.

H. B. 167. Beveridge—Providing for resstration of electors other than at the County
Clerk's office by deputies from that office.

H. B. 265. Chapin—Requiring pertherships
to reveal the true names and interests of H. B. 254, Davey—Placing State Printer on flat salary on fint salary. H. B. 269, Pelknap—Creating First Cen-tral Oregon Agricultural Society. H. B. 367, Perkins—Removing protection from certain birds particularly destructive

to crehards.

H. 18. 424, Committee on Game—Amendling law for protection of elk.

H. 18. 422, Ways and means committee—
Making appropriation for purchase of land
by state at Champoor. The vetoed Senate bills are as fol-

S. B. 23. Hart-To Reemss peddiars. S. B. 18. Beach-To provide for the use diment.
S. B. 181. Johnson—To regulate the sale f concentrated stock foods.
S. B. 77. Hodson—Permitting reclamation impanies operating under Carey Act to sell S. H. 166, Johnson—Creating Eastern Ore-on Agricultural Societies.
S. H. 62, Smith, of Umatilla—Amending at creating Third Eastern Oregon Agri-citives Society. nct creating Third Eastern Oregon Agricultural Society.
S. R. 198, McDonald—Creating First Eastern Oregon Agricultural Society.
S. B. 88, Howerman—Creating Seventh
Eastern Oregon Agricultural Society.
S. B. 98, Johnson—Providing for permanent improvement of highwaya.
S. B. 227, Hodson—Clerk of Columbia
County to appoint apecial deputies.
S. B. 98, Laughary—Appropriation bill for
Monmouth Normal.

CLERKS CHOSEN FOR SOLONS

Many Fair Maids Among Assistants Provided for Lawmakers.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Campbell, of Clackamas, chairman of the com-mittee on clerk hire, today reported the election of clerical assistance allowed the House by law. The apportionment gives the House ten expert stenographers, four chief clerks, four expert typewriters and 19 common clerks. The selection of these clerks was approved by the House as

follows: Expert stenographers—Benton Bowman Nettle Miller, Pearl McGregor, Leah Miller, Anna O'Brien, Cora Jagger, Nean West, K. Gertrude Bashor, Mary Payne Gertrude Harwood. Chief Clerks-Glenn Holman, C. W.

Wilson, Arthur Hughes, James Hemen-Expert typewriters-Effle Leedy, L. Dorothy, Vade Elliott, Cora Grenninger, Common cierks-Carl Percival, J. D. Woodman, Frank Hinman, Myrtie Mahone, James Stitt, Kathlene Orton, Neva G. Watson, J. L. Jones, Theresa Gramms, Fisheries will be a lively subject of legislation at this session and there is considerable speculation as to who will be the chairmen of these committees.

NEW BILLS ARE READ

Many Measures Presented by Legislators.

REGULATE AUTO DRIVERS

Measure Would Limit Speed Both on Country Roads and in Towns. Proposed to Appoint Senators to Revise Journal Daily.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.- (Special.)-In order to provide arguments for and against referendum measures, a bill has been referendum measures, a bill has been introduced by Representative Jones, of Clackamas. When the Legislature orders the referendum the President of the Senate shall appoint one Senator and the Speaker two Representatives to act as a committee to prepare an argument for the bill. A similar committee is to Frepare a contrary argument. These two arguments are to be printed and bound with the referendum measure at the expense of the state.

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A sharp-toothed eight-hour employment bill comes from Clackamas County, introduced by Representative Campbell. It provides all "manufacturing, mechanical, mercantile or other institutions, which actively continue the business in which they are engaged for 24 hours during any calendar day, to cause employes to work more than eight hours a day, except in emergency. In that event they are to pay one and one-half times the usual wage.

Regulate Auto Drivers.

From Clackamas has come a bill simed From Clackamas has come a bill gimed at autos. It ordains that auto drivers must exercise every reasonable precaution to prevent frightening of horses. They must stop their autos when they see a horse frightened until the danger shall cease. The bill limits auto speed in towns to eight miles au hour, or when approaching a horse, and limits to 20 miles an hour the speed on country roads. On crossings in towns the speed roads. On crossings in towns the spec-must not exceed four miles an hour The punishments are to be fines of he tween \$50 and \$100; imprisonment of be tween 25 and 50 days or both fine and

Assault With Weapons.

Assault with a dangerous weapon wit intent to kill or wound and to rob or steal, is to be punished by life im-prisonment by a bill introduced by Rep-resentative Dimick, of Clackamas. Such assault, without a dangerous weapon, is to be punished by imprisonment of between 5 and 15 years.

tween 5 and 15 years.
Extension of the one Regents' Board of the Normal Schools to the State University and the Agricultural College, is the purpose of a bill by Representative Libby, of Marion. The regents are to be five in number, appointed by the Governor, on or before the first Monday of Type 1979. Percentative Longs of of June, 1909. Representative Jones, of Douglas, has presented a bill to move the Ashland Normal to Drain and to abolish Bank guarantee appeared in the House today in Representative Orton's bill pat-

terned after the Oklahoma law. Complete Journal Daily.

Senator Beach has introduced a resolu tion for the appointment of a committee of three Senators to revise the Senate journal daily. The purpose is to avoid employment of clerks for 20 to 30 days after the session to "correct the journals." This latter practice has prevailed to the most said though a great many nals." This inter practice has prevailed in the past, and though a great many persons familiar with legislative methods have deemed it necessary, no such reform move has yet been made in the House. The Senate sits for three or four hours a day and a considerable part of this time is taken up with debate, which does not go into the journals. The clerks are

The Scoute sits three to five days a week, while the clerks draw pay for seven days a week. Nearly all the mat-ter that goes into the journal is in the shape of printed forms, which are filled in by the clerks, so that the clerks write but a very small part of the journals. This being true, it is thought by many that the Senate journal should be complete every night, so that a committee piete every night, so that a committee of Senators could look it over and ap-prove it. But though the clerks have eight hours in which to make up a formal record of the proceedings of a three or four-hour session, it has been the practice in the past to allow the lerks four hours a day overtime.

One plan that has been proposed is

that an official stenographer be employed to take shorthand notes of the proceed-ings and check up the record of the clerks every night, thus making the jour-nal complete every day.

HOUSE STILL INQUISITIVE

gate Home and Fair Funds.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12 .- (Special.) -- No other minister having reported for the service, the session of the House this morning was opened with prayer by Representative Ronebrake, of Benton. The recommendation of the special committee on rules that the House committee on resolutions be made a standing committee, thereby avoiding the strife for control of that committee at the opening of every legislative ses-sion, was rejected. Buchanan, chair-man of the committee on rules, spoke for the resolution, but Campbell, Mc-Cue, Orton and Jones of Douglas de-fended the present method of proced-ure, which was continued by the elim-ination of that recommendation from the committee's report.

Two minor changes in the rules of the 1907 session, recommended by the special committee, were approved by the House. One provides that the mem bers of the House committee on ways and means be increased from five to seven. The other was that there be two committees of five each on insur-

ance and banking.

Resolutions providing for two additional joint investigating committees were presented this morning. Buchanan proposed a committee of five to investigate the management of the Ore-gon Soldiers' Home. Mahone's resolu-tion called for a committee of five to investigate the books and records of the Oregon Commission to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. Both reso-lutions provide for the employment of all necessary clerical assistance. They were referred to the committee on resolutions.

Visitors at State House.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—(Special.)— Among the well-known figures in the 'Among the well-known indires in the lobby today were: George L. Baker, the Portland theater man; H. D. Wagnon, famous single-taxer, from the same city; Eugene Palmer, of Albany, a high officer of the State Grange; George S. Sheyherd, ex-member of the Portland Council; Ferdinand E. Reed, who is said to be armed with several actors measures. Mr. Baker received reform measures. Mr. Baker received the courtesies of the House on motion of Campbell of Clackamas. He was the first to be so honored at this ses-

The Rummage Sale Continues to Offer Liberal Values in Every Department

A sale event without a parallel-suggesting and offering the opportunity for bargain-buying of dependable furnishings for every part of the house-odds and ends from stocks of every departmentsample articles, discontinued patterns, broken suites, etc. The furnishings of the Hotel Lenox, together with the carpet stock recently damaged by the bursting of the automatic fire-extinguishing system on our sixth floor, is included in this value-giving sale.

These Represent But a Few of the Many Bargains

\$5.00 Pedestal, in golden oak, for	\$2.00
\$6.75 Mission Plate Rack for	
Reed Arm Rocker for	
Bedroom Chair, in birdseye maple, for	\$3.95
\$10.75 set of Antique Andirons for	\$6.50
\$15.50 Mission Wall Cabinet for	\$6.90
Bedroom Chair, in Circassian walnut, for	\$7.50
\$14.50 set of Antique Andirons for	\$8.50
Mahogany Arm Chair with rush seat, for	\$10.00
\$18 Book or Magazine Rack, in mahogany finish.	\$10.75
\$20.00 Tea Table, in mahogany, for	\$11.50
Desk Table, in golden oak, for	\$11.50
\$14.00 Center Table, in golden oak, for	\$11.95
\$25.00 finely carved Mahogany Pedestal for	\$13.50
\$26.00 Colonial Tea Table, in mahogany, for	\$14.25
\$32.50 Mahogany Cabinet, for cylinder records, for	\$15.25
\$34 Colonial Tea Table, with tray top, mahogany	\$16.75
\$31 Library Table, in golden oak, for	\$17.50
Desk in the fumed oak, for	\$19.50
\$45.00 Mahogany Sideboard for	\$19.50

1	\$55.00 Mahogany Sewing Table for
ı	\$45.00 Large Hall Rack, in golden oak, for\$27.50 \$68.00 large Bookcase, in the fumed oak, with copper
1	trimmings, for
	\$96.00 large Bookcase, in finest quartered golden oak,
	for
	\$135.00 large Mission Davenport, in the fumed oak, up- holstered in Spanish leather, with loose leather cushions,
	for\$64.75

Water-Damaged Rugs

		Care	Same .	
Velvet Rugs, 27 inch	es by 54 inc	ches, for	\$1.2	15
Fiber Rugs, in sever	al of the sm	aller sizes,	75¢ to \$2.7	75
Body Brussels Rugs.	4 ft. 6 in. b	y 7 ft. 6. in	, for. \$13.7	15
Royal Wilton Rugs,	4 ft. 6 in. b	y 7 ft. 6 in.	, for \$15.0	0
Wilton Rugs, 6 feet	by 9 feet, f	or	\$19.0	0
Anglo-Persian Rugs,	6 feet by 9	feet, for	\$20.0	0
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RUMMAGE SALE of ODDS and ENDS in LACE CURTAINS

TULL & GIBBS

COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS IRON BEDS CHIFFONIERS DRESSERS

MANY BILLS INTRODUCED

LAWMAKERS AT SALEM LOSE NO TIME WITH APPROPRIATIONS.

List Presented Includes More Money for A.-Y.-P. Fair and Fund for Auditor's Office.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12 (Special.) - Several ills asking appropriations from the State Treasury were included in the first in-stallment of bills presented in the House today. Jaeger, of Multnomal, presented a bill calling for an additional appropria-tion of \$50,000 for the Oregon Commis-sion to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. The extra sum, it is represented, will be necessary to complete the col-lection and introduction of a satisfactory lection and introduction of a satisfactory exhibit from this state and for entertaining purposes at the Seattle Exposition.

Cosideration of this bill undoubtedly will be deferred until the committee, authorized by pending resolution in the House, shall have completed its investigation of the work of the Commission and the measure of care it has exercised in the expenditure of the people's money. While this committee has not been authorized there is considerable demand. thorized, there is considerable demand among the members of the Legislature that such an investigation be made, par-

The Senate sits for three or four hours a day and a considerable part of this time is taken up with debate, which does not go into the journals. The cierks are not go into the journals. The cierks are vides for the payment of \$100,000 among the veterans of the Indian wars of 1856-8 lay. the veterans of the Indian wars of 1850-8 in settlement of their claims for the use of their horses and for such other animals as were either disabled or lost altogether during that period of warfare. These veterans already have been compensated by the state for their parzolal services and the payment of their pending claim was included among the recommendations of Governor Chamberlain in his bi-ennial message read to the Legislature today.

Legislature today.
T third appropriation bill appeared in T third appropriation bill appeared in the House today, for \$75,000 to extend the Portage Railway from Hig Eddy to The Dalles. A similar bill was defeated in the preceding Legislature.

An appropriation of \$4000 for purchase of a burial ground in Portland in Riverview Cemetery for soldiers and marines who served between April 23, 1808 and July 4, 1802, is the purpose of a bill of Representative Mabore, of Multnomah.

Creation of the office of State Auditor, salary \$8000 a year plus a \$2400 deputy and

Creation of the office of State Auditor, salary \$6000 a year plus a \$2400 deputy and has many other deputies, clerks and stenographers as the Governor, Attorney-General and the said State Auditor or a majority of them may determine, is the purpose of a bill introduced by Representative Davis, of Multnomah, Frank S. Fields, County Clerk of Multnomah, is an aspirant for this position. The Auditor is to supercise the accounts of state officers and of the officers of states institutions.

30 BILLS APPEAR IN HOUSE One Carries \$100,000 Appropria-

tion, Another \$50,000. SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—The following bills were introduced in the House this morning: *
H. B. 1—Jones (Clackamas)—Providing the B. 1—Jones (Clackamas)—Providing the first state of the second secon for form of printing initiative amend ments to constitution and statutes, and for appending arguments to referendum H. B. 2-Jones (Clackamas)-Providing for election of road supervisors in elec-tion precincts outside of incorporated

Supervisors are now appointed by H. B. 3-Jones (Clackamas)-regulating sale of estrays. H. B. 4—By Clackamas County delegation—For uniform eight-hour work day in manufacturing, mechanical, mer-cantile and other institutions, and pro-

viding time and a half compensation for excess hours in emergency. H. B. 5—Dimick—Regulating speed and use of automobiles and increasing fine 6-Dimick - Making assault with a dangerous weapon punishable by life imprisonment and highway robbery punishable by imprisonment between five

and 15 years. H. B. 7—Dimick—Regulating filing of claims against estates and requiring them to be filed withing six months from the date of advertised notice. H. B. 8—Dimick—Closed season for pheasants and grouse between October 1, 1909 and October 1, 1913. Hs B. 9—Jones (Polk)—Appropriating

\$100,000 for volunteers engaged in Indian wars of 1855-6. H. B. 10-Libby-One board of regents for University of Oregon, State Agricul-tural College and Normal Schools. H. B. 11.-Umatilia and Morrow County delegations-Appropriating \$3000 an-nually for maintenance of a Government

agricultural experiment station in East-H. B. 12-Mahone-Repealing compulsory pilotage on Columbia and Willam-

ette Rivers.

H. B. 13—Mahone—Authorizing Clerk of Justice Court in Portland to appoint three additional deputies.

H. B. 14—Mahone—Increasing number of deputies and salaries in office of District Attorney Cameron, Multnomah County.

County.

H. B. 15—Mahone—Raising salary of Chief Deputy to District Attorney in Multnoman County to \$3000 a year and of each other deputy to \$2000, and inreasing deputies to five. H. B. 16—Mahone—Registration of vot-

ers by card system. H. B. 17—Mahone—Requiring person who solemnize marriages to file with County Clerk their authority so to of-ficiate and providing index of marriages. H. B. 18-Mahone-(by request)-Pro-hibiting advertising for treatment and urable diseases cure of incurable diseases.

H. B. 19—Mahone—Providing manner of recording plats of towns and additions and prescribing fees.

H. B. 20—Mahone—Amending election law, by providing inspectors to visit election booths and instruct election judges

of the law.
H. B. 21—Bean—Prohibiting sports on H. B. 22—Barrett—Appropriating \$75,-000 for extension of Portage Railway. H. B. 23—Jaezer—Additional appropria-tion of \$50,000 for the Oregon Commis-sion to the Alaska-Yukon-Pac.fic Expo-

H. B. 24-Purdin-Increasing salary of County Judge of Jackson County to \$2500

H. B. 25-Bean-Legalizing written egreements that authorize an agent to ell or purchase real estate. H. B. 26—Jones (Douglas)—Abolishing Ashland and Monmouth Normal Schools and maintaining Drain and Weston. H. B. 27—Miller—Requiring plaintiffs to file bond for costs brought in a county of which the defend-ant is a non-resident.

H. B. 28-Bean-Providing for Incorporation of ports under initiative as mu-nicipal corporations. H. B. 23—Orton—Providing for bank guaranty and increasing powers of state bank examiner and his deputies.

H. B. 39—Davis—Creating office of State Auditor at \$6000 per annum and providing for a uniform system of record keeping in the different counties.

MANY NEW BILLS BROUGHT UP

Senate Gets Eighteen Measures of Varying Importance.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.-(Special.)-Bills were introduced in the Senate today as

S. B. 1, Smith, of Umatilla, for the location of artesian wells by county courts.
S. B. Z. Chase, for incorporation of sea ports under the initiative. S. B. 3. Johnson, for permanent improvement of highways. S. B. 4, Balley, to amend section 185

of the Code, relating to default judg-S. B. 5, Bingham, by request, to amenthe law regulating the deposit of state funds so as to include school funds. S. B. 6. Oliver, to set off one judgment

against another.

S. B. 7. Oliver, to amend section 2346, prescribing procedure on appeal from Jus-S. B. 8, Coffey, to increase the annual appropriation of the State Board of Health to \$10,000.

Health to \$10,000.

S. B. S. Scholfield, providing that the cost of repairing dykes shall be levied upon property benefitted thereby.

S. B. 10, Scholfield, fixing salaries of Justices of the Peace in Seaside.

S. B. 11, Hedges, to amend section 2188, giving the state a lien upon the property of criminals for the judgment entered S. B. 12, Hedges, to provide that a judgnent creditor may renew his judgmen

every ten years until satisfied.

8 B. 13, Notthigham, to provide for the registration of voters who are temporarily out of the state. S. B. 14, Beach, requiring telephone and telegraph companies to guarantee the time within which they will deliver mes-

ages within the state.

S. B. 15, Beach, to amend the law relating to bank deposits upon which there has been no draft for seven years, so as to escheat such deposits, but permitting the depositors to draw the money pending escheat proceedings.
S. B. 16, Kellaher, to provide that all hotels and lodging-houses more than one story high shall have at least one from

fire escape and a rope fire escape.

S. B. 17, Kellaher, to provide that all interurban transportation companies shall provide all passenger cars with tollet-rooms, running water and towels. S. B. 18, Kellaher, to require that all hotels and lodging-houses shall provide their beds with sheets not less than nine feet long.

BILL TO RAISE SALARIES

Advance Proposed for Multnomah Deputies in Attorney's Office. Big increase of salaries in the offi-

cers of Multnomah County's District

Attorney and Portland's Justice Court, attorney and Portland's Justice Court, is the purpose of bills introduced by Representative Mahone. The pay of Chief Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald is to be raised from \$1800 to \$3000; of Deputy Vreeland, from \$1800 to \$2000; of Deputy Page, from \$1200 to \$2000; of Deputy Hennessy, from \$1200 to \$2000. The offices of two more deputies are to be created each at \$2000.

In the Portland Justice Court the salary of the chief clerk is to be raised from \$1200 to \$1800, of the deputy clerk, from \$960 to \$1320. Two more deputy clerks, now paid by the County Court, are to be authorized, one at \$1080 a year, the other at \$1000. The tenure of the two justices is to be lengthened from two years to four, and the justices are to be authorized to retain marriage fees.

GOVERNOR READS MESSAGE

utes to Chamberlain's Paper. SALEM, Or., Jan. 12.-(Special.)-Members of both branches of the Oregon Legbers of both branches of the Oregon Legislature assembled in joint convention in
the House chamber at 1:30 o'clock this
afternoon and heard Governor Chamberlain read his hiennial message, including recommendations to the lawmakers
as to legislation. President Bowerman,
of the Senate, presided and the convention was attended by a great many people from different parts of the state.

When the two houses had assembled.

House and Senate Listen 90 Min-

When the two houses had assembled, committee, consisting of Senators F. Miller, of Linn, and Caldwell, of Yamhill, and Representatives Corrigan, of Yamhill; Beals, of Tiliamook, and

escort the Governor to the assembly hall. A similar committee was appointed to invite and escort to the House chamber the state officers and the members of the State Supreme Court. This committee consisted of Senators M. A. Miller, of Linn, and Cole, of Umatilla; Representatives McKinney, of Paker; Rush, of Wallows, and Buchanan, of Douglas.

The reading of the Governor's message occupied 39 minutes.

Resolutions in Senate.

SALEM. Or., Jan. 12.-(Special.)-S. J. R. 2, Hedges, amending the constitu y increasing the Suprema Court to five judges after January 1, 1911, and authorizing the Legislature to further increase the number of judges when deemed advisable, was referred to the committee

on resolutions.

Copies of resolutions adopted by the Legislatures of Wisconsin, Illinois, Louisiana and Montana, favoring a constitutional amendment for election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, were received and referred to the committee on resolutions.

S. R. 26, Coffey, asking the Mayor and City Council of Philadelphia to permit the Liberty Bell to come to Oregon, re-

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ferred.

S. J. R.—by Coffey, amending the constitution by permitting five-sixths of a
jury to find a verdict and providing for
trial by a jury of six in minor criminal

S. C. R. 12. Balley, that in the pur-chase of public supplies Oregon products be given the preference and that all pur-

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answer This Onstime

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