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#### LEGISLATIVE MATTERS.

Upshot of Senatorial Contest Impossible to Determine-Demands of State Institutions Increasing.

[Special Correspondence.]

SALEM, Or., Feb. 18, 1901. The public mind is very much unsettled today relative to the senatorial situation, so much so in fact that assertions made either in one direction or another are watched with suspicious eyes by lobbyists from all sides. This shows that none of the candidates for such honors are assured of any belief of fact that Oregon must have representation in congress, and at the very last moment it is expected a break will be made in the ranks, but to whom is not known. Corbett bases his hopes on this, yet it is bardly probable that men the wishes of their constituents as to cast their ballot in his favor.

It has today been stated that Senator even, have been supporting Corbett. The facts in the case hardly warrant such an assertion, yet this is one of the possibilities. Mr. Smith is a gentleman of education and ranks well among his tives Tongue, of Oregon, and Wilson, of fellow men, and, should be receive the Idaho, indulged in rather spirited ax honors mentioned, would represent the changes today in the house committee state of Oregon with credit in the upper on arid lands, over the report of th house of congress. This gentleman, Newlands arid land bill. Mr. Wilson ha however, is not a candidate for the moved to report the bill, and when the place, and should be be elected it will chairman, Mr. Tongue, declined to enter be by his friends who recognize in him tain the motion, the Idaho member comtrue worth and merit.

also mentioned. They say, "It a fish- ing the arid sections. wheel or fish-trap is a bad thing in the Willamette, the Rogue river, or any other stream in Oregon, it is also a bad thing in the Columbia." Mr. Hume, on the contrary, claims that "the men who own fish-wheels, fish-traps and other fishing gear on the Columbia, hold these rights from the state; first, through the tide land act, and, second, by right of limitation, customary usage thus making the law."

The fishermen sent up to each of the members of the house, on Monday, a beautiful bouquet to which this card was attached :

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The present legislature promises to be one of the most expensive in the history of the state. It is not to be understood by this that the members are prodigal to their trusts, or unmindful of the Interests of their constituents, but rather that the demands of our institutions and matters of state are daily increasing, enlarging and growing so the expenses become greater and greater each year, until today they naturally are larger than ever before

The state's general expense account, the state hospital, penilentiary, agricultural college, university, normal schools, war veterans, reform schools. BROOKS, are requested to call and deaf-mute school. Eastern Oregon experiment station, soldiers' home, the

Asthma's Clutch several commissions, and a dozen other propositions are awaiting with ever open hands to receive funds from the treasury of Oregon. Besides there are numerous claims of various kinds which when there is a cloud of dust, when are biennially made by those who are a room is being swept, unworthy as well as worthy, and all or when there is a bad taken together it is not surprising that comes most difficult. the amounts regularly appropriated are Often it seems as not much larger than they are. Still someone was the large sum which has been appropriclutching the ated during this session looks to the the throat average tax payer to be an enormous exwith a terri- penditure for so small a state, in so blegrasp. The short a time, and some of the legislators choking sen- will be asked to "explain" when they return to their constituents. Very little has been saved on account of the clerkship evil, although only about onethird of the number of clerks usually employed are now drawing state pay.

The old saying that "a new broom sweeps clean" does not apply to a state legislature composed of new members, unless it means that they sweep the treasury vault clean. In that case it generally remains a true adage.

The voters and taxpayers of Multnomah county certainly knew their business when they refused to elect the republican candidates for the legislatur last June. In their efforts to secur great reductions in their county ex penses, by means of the passage of bill which provides for the consolidation of the offices of county clerk, clerk o the circuit court and county recorder the citizen members were with the tax payers while the republican portion of the Multnomah delegation was agains the adoption of such measures.

Brutally Beats His Own Sister.

WALLA WALLA, Feb. 18 .- Thursda night Mrs. Sarah Smith, of this city, wa brutally assaulted and beaten about the head by her brother, Clem Masterson The assault occurred at the home of their mother, Mrs. Sarah Masterson, on Fire

Clem Masterson had been drinking during the afternoon and evening. Hi mother finally got him to promise tha he would go to a ranch they have about ultimate victory. The only hopes now six miles out of town. He took a horse of an election seems to rest upon the from the barn, and she supposed be had started. Later she learned he had gone back down town and was drinking again. John, a younger brother, and Mrs. Smith, his widowed sister, then went down, found the horse and took it home. When Clem found this out he started home who were elected in direct opposition to after them. He caught them at the Corbett's candidacy will so far forget gate, when John ran away. After abusing his sister a short time, Clem knocked her down, and cruelly beat her about the head. The family are somewhat Smith of Multnomah, a republican reticent about the matter and refuse to elected on the citizens' ticket in that talk much, but it is learned upon reliable county last June, can control a number authority that Mrs. Smith is in a very of republican votes, some of whom, precarious condition. Clem Masterson has left the city and his whereabouts are THE DINING CAR ROUTE FROM PORTLAND unknown.

#### Tongue vs Wilson.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 -Representa mented in a personal manner on th In drawing up the bill for the protec- chairman's course. The matter wa tion of fish in the waters of Oregon, Mr. amicably adjusted, and Mr. Reeder, of Hume omitted to include the Columbia Kansas, was authorized to make the reriver, hence the fishermen are repre- port. The bill sets aside receipts of sented in Salem by a committee which public lands in the arid land states for is endeavoring to have the Columbia purposes of storing waters and reclaim-

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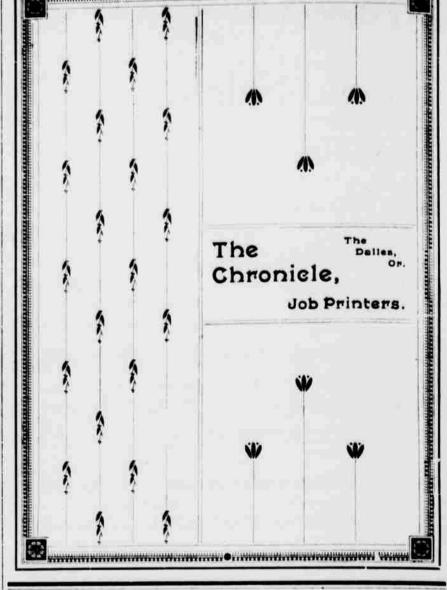


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