The Heppner Gazette

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Fred Warnock

Decered at the Postoffice at Heppner Oregon.

to speaking of Senator Chamber min. Covernor Chamberlain, the men who has held all of the office that he ever asked far in the pas Markette, etc., a strong D macra in a strong Republican state, at anchange says: "Chamberlain be warment friends of bring a man of made as this is getting to be an aw all hinds of extraordinary abilit on the first dies of this mouth Few great non are at precisted un till affine they are done.

The Oregon hothling at th an exhibit from every county in the consisted of measurements to show state. The collection of exhibits that Doherty had shot from a poshould be communeed at once if sition lying on the floor. Marrow county is to be represented. Mr. Phelps announced to the The expense will be small. All court that he would not introduce the cost will be in the collection of any testimony in rebuttal on behalf the products to be exhibited, of the State, Wednesday morning, The Oregon Commission will pay and Deputy Prosecutor Notson all transportation charges and the immediately launched on the openexet of installation. The commis- ing address in summing up the will get out a booklet advertis- case for the state. He was followed ing Oregon, and when taken all to- by Attorney Van Vactor and Judge gether will be of much benefit to Fee for the defense. Judge Fee

COMPLEXION OF THE LEGISLATURE

Statement Men on the Joint Ballot.

With 19 members of the Sepate and 33 members of the House pledged to Statement No. 1, there are 52 Statement No. I soptes on joint ballot. Against these Me 17 Senators and 27 Representatives who are either anti-statement or un before six o'clock the jury retired pledged, a total of 38, and of these latter, for deliberation. it is believed that several of the unplaced members will vote for Covernor the jury was still out; Chemberlain on a showdown.

There are 1J Democrats in the Legis Intere, seven in the House and six in the Senate. Five of these Senators are hold-overs, the new Senator-elect being Turner Oliver. The other Democratic Secretors are Milt A. Miller, L. Mulit, F. R. Caldwell, J. E. Hedges and C. J. Smith. The seven Democrats in the House are I. A. Munke's, J. M Philpot, E E L Berillion, H D. Miller, M. Pur-Jin, M. F. Corrigan and W. F. Jackson. The next Legislature will have many more Democrats than the former one, In the old Legislature there was one lone Democrat in the House, Rothschild, from North Powder, in Eastern Oregon. Interchild was a candidate for re-election, but was defeated.

The Legislature is classified as Statement No. 1 and anti-Statement. On the ApStatement Senators 10 are hold-overs and of these 19 six are Democrats, leaving 13 Republican Statement Senators. In the House, of the 33 Statement Representatives, seven are Democrats and 2 are Republicaus.

If the members classify themselves on the Statement in the or anization of the Senate and House, the Statement meinbers will have control of each branch of the Legislature, irrespective of party. The 12 Senators lavoring the Statement can elect their own President and the 33 Representatives pledged to the statement can perfect the House organization. There is a probability that the Legislabare well be organized with the stateme t playing a prominent part, instead of party. In the latter case, however, there are 32 Republicans in the House to organize and 24 in the Senate. In the orgamization of the Senate at the last sesaion the Democrats voted with the Republicans and were given places on good

he Senate and Speaker of the House tre being discussed. Senator Bingham us a little boom, and there is considerchle talk favoring Bon Selling. While t is unusual for a Senator to be cleeted President in the first a ssion of his term, selling is familiar with the ropes, havng served in the Senate before. Jay inwerman, who was re-elected, is snocen of as a Presidential possibility. One the most likely candidates i Tom Kay, of Marion, who was a receptive and date at the last session. Kay varisthe job and is said to have the apport of several of the hel lover Sensmight gather in several more votes from vail. the Democrats and Statement No. 1 Republicans. Kay's chances at presenconsiderable to organize for a fight for

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DOHERTY TRIAL.

will be the large-t and most com- the case to an abrupt ending Tues- of laws requiring that the person elected must be marked as such. plete state buildregoughe grounds day evening about nine o'clock shall receive a majority of the votes east It is the intention to make a cole after the examination of a few wit-Leaves exhibit of the state's re- nesses to corroborate the story told sources and it is important to have by Mr. Doherty. This testimony

was talking to the jury when a recess was taken for the noon hour and completed his plea in behalf of the defendant about two o'clock in the afternoon, whereupon he was followed by District Attorney There Will Be Flfty-two Phelps who spoke until five o'clock. Mr. Phelps made a strong plea for the State and that justice be meeted out to all alike. He was interrupted by Judge Fee several times during the presentation of his argument upon the ground that the prosecutor was trying to mislead the jury. Judge Bean immediately gave his instructions and shortly

At the time of going to press

The woolbnyers are in town again to pull off the second sale.

Mrs. E. C. Jackson, of Portland, is visiting with Heppner friends

New Laws Adopted By the People.

The Portland Oregonian's Salem correspondent prints the following excellent review of the new laws adopted the people of Oregon last Monday:

The constitutional amendments and bills adopted by the people at the election last Monday will go into effect as soon as the vote thereon can be canvassed and the result proclaimed by the governor. This will probably be three weeks yet, and some of the county c'erks are always slow in sending in returns. Most of the amendments and initiative measures have no immediate effect, however, though they will be in full force as soon as the proclamation has

The recall amendment is self-executory and will be effective at once. It provides that 25 per cent of the voters of an election to be held within 20 days for which election other candidates may be

The reasons for the recall and the defense of the officer may be printed upon the sample batlots in not to exceed 200 words each. No provision is made as to the manner in which rominations shall be made for the special election. Recall petitions cannot be filed until an officer has occupied his position six months, or, in the case of a member of the legislature, until the legislature has been in ression five days.

The act instructing members of the legislature to vote for the people's choice There will be three smiths in the or senator will, of course, never be ef-

egislature, three Milers and two fective as an imperative law, but as a for the candidates for the office. moral influence upon the legis sture its Already candidates for President of significance will be determined next January.

> holding elections from June to Novem- two together will result in minority parber will take effect in 1910.

If the amendment has passed increasing the number of supreme judges from three to five, though it now seems improbable, there will be two judges to elect at the November election this year, for it is so provided in the amendment No - inations must be by convention, assembly of electors or by petition.

any conflicting provisions the act receivors. Being a Statement No. 1 man, he ing the largest affirmative vote will pre-

The proportional representation amen lment merely authorizes the leglature to provide a system of election b which minorities shall be assured representation in all offices to which two or more persons are to be elected. To amendment does not prescribe the man ner in which this small be accomplished but leaves the legislature to adopt any one of a number of plans of attaining

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As this measure increases the opportunities of minority parties and as the direct primary tends to loosen party The amendment changing the time of ties, there is strong probability that the ties securing more representation than that to which they would be entitled upon their actual party strength.

The corrupt practices act limits the expenditures of candidates in the primary campaigns to 15 per cent of the salary for one year, and in general campaigns to 10 per cent of one year's salary, though any candidate may spend It both fishery ills have been adopted \$100 in each campaign. The expendieach will stand, except that if there be tures of close relatives and partners are dramed those of the candidate hin sel.

> Information concerning each can idate is to be printed in a pamphter to be distributed by the secretary of state, as in the case of initiative and referendum measures at present. Each candidate must pay for the space he oc upres in the pamphlet, the limit being one page.

Treating is forbidden, as also is telectioneering on election day. Candidates so Twin Filis 1stabb, for the opening and party managers must file a sworn statement of their expenditures and Communispassage in both directions contributions within 15 days af er election. Promising official appointment is fare age, balf of the above rate. Sai lature to eract laws permitting the voter forbidden, as also are corporation con-The defense brought its side of to express his second and third choice tributions, Paid political advertisements

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