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piano tuner, makes regular trips to
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They All Have Hopes

BUT ONLY ONE CAN WIN.

Mr Fulton is more confident than
ever of success.

Ex-Governor Geer's friends are
jubilant over his senatorial pros-
pects.

Jonathan Bourne wears the same
calm, serene smile.

Col. Mazuma has not opened his
headquarters.

The joint ballot today was feature-
less, but for the fact that Bailey, of
the Multnomah delegation, changed
from G H Williams to Geer just af-
ter the roll call had been finished.
Ex-Governor Geer again received
the votes of the nine Multnomah
county men who cast their initial
ballot for him yesterday, and Paul-
sen, the Clackamas county represen-
tative, who yesterday abandoned the
Clatsop county candidate balloted
for Geer again today. Senator John-
ston, of Eastern Oregon, was pre-
sent at the session today, and this
gave Geer two votes more than he
received yesterday.

State House, Salem, Feb 17.—
There was great excitement in the
House of Representatives at noon
today on the occasion of the ballot
for senator. The long expected
break in the Multnomah delegation
which had all along been voting
together for local favorites came to-
day.

legislature from that County voted
for ex-Governor T T Geer, as their
names were called by the clerk.

The vote stood:

Fulton,	33.
Geer, (15 yesterday.)	25.
Wood,	13.
Williams,	6.
Mills,	1.
Malarkey,	1.
Eddy,	1.
George,	1.
Hermann,	1.

Representative Paulsen of Clacka-
mas deserted Fulton. A storm that
will blow Geer into the United
States Senate tomorrow is predict-
ed on every hand. The stock of the
Marion County man is above par.

WEDNESDAY

Fulton	33
Geer	27
Woods	16
Williams	5
Scattering	5
Absent	5
Total	90

Heavy taxation will be the result
of the many appropriations of the
legislature.

The total of expenditures this ses-
sion and the fixed expenses will
probably exceed \$2,500,00.

Two years ago the amount for the
same was \$1,795,000,91

The ways and means committee
will report Monday a total bill of ex-
penses of \$1 311,506,84, but this
does not include special appropria-
tions, such as the Lewis and Clark
fair, portage railway, etc.

The total now in sight including
fixed expenses, is \$2,303,167.84.

Other appropriations are pending
and some will be granted.

Our New Laws.

The following bills have been
passed by both houses of the legis-
lature and have been signed by the
Governor.

Marsters—To create irreducible
school fund for Douglas county.

Malarkey—To appropriate \$500,-
000 for the Lewis and Clark fair.

Fisher—For a fireboat at Port-
land.

Cornett—Authorizing construc-
tion of a ferry at Harrisburg

Whealdon—To authorize Dalles
City to issue new water bonds.

Reed—Portland charter bill.

Gill—To levy tax in Multnomah
county for support of library.

Hansbrough—To protect fellow
servants.

Eddy—To prevent statute of
limitations running against state.

Phelps—To make term of road
supervisors begin January 1.

Banks—Relating to execution of
deeds in foreign countries.

Riddle—Regulating titles of in-
surance companies.

Phelps—Relative to fences east of
the Cascades.

Charter Bills: Bandon, Ashland,
Elgin, Enterprise, Lexington, Sub-
limity, Coquille, Corvallis, Alamo
Stayton, Ashland, Cornelius, Mil-
waukie.

the illness of Representative Hay-
den is taken from Monday's Ore-
gonian: Representative Hayden, of
Benton county, is at the Salem
hospital and will probably have a
run of typhoid fever. He will not
be in attendance upon the legislature
during the remainder of the session.
A number of the members of the
legislature have been ill since com-
ing to Salem and the general opin-
ion is that their illness is due to the
quality of water supplied for drinking
purposes. Several of the members
upon the advice of their physicians,
have abstained from drinking the
river water unless it has first been
boiled. Mineral water has good
sale during the session of legislature.
Salem's water supply is taken from
the river just above the business
part of town, and there has always
been a great difference of opinion as
to its purity. Men who come from
Portland and Astoria, where the
water is known to be pure, agree
that the water at Salem is not fit to
drink.

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State House, Salem, Feb.16—The
bill appropriating two thousand
dollars in aid for each widow of the
two penitentiary guards killed by
Convict Tracey while making his
famous escape from the Oregon
penitentiary, came up in the House
today. It was defeated.

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