

RUSHES STATE PRIMARY BILL.

Senator Loomis Puts in One While Gov. Dix Is Gathering Facts.

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ALBANY, March 20.—Provision for a State-wide direct primary is made in a bill introduced to-night by Senator Loomis of Buffalo. While modeled on the Democratic League measure of last year it includes New York City within its scope, and makes nominations by the direct method a requisite for every place except State offices. Delegates to State conventions must be elected directly by the people and not at district conventions as at present. The members of party committees are also to be elected directly by the people.

Senator Loomis's bill differs radically from the Hinman-Green measure of last session in that no provision is made for the nomination of candidates by party committees nor for an official ballot. In the bill introduced to-night candidates of the party organization are put on an equal footing with those outside of the organization. This proposed method would enable any enrolled voter to deposit his primary ballot in a specially prepared envelope with all safeguards for privacy.