

# Utility District Bill Introduction Is Expected in Senate Today

## Drafting Work Near Complete

### Debut May Be Postponed; Grange Committee Is Examining Bill

The public utilities district bill, the drafting of which has been in progress for several months by representatives of the Bonneville Power League and the Bonneville administration, virtually was completed Thursday.

Sponsors of the bill said it probably would be introduced in the senate today although no definite decision had been reached late Thursday as to whether this would be possible. The bill will carry

the names of Senator Lynnman Ross, Washington county, and other members of both houses.

Morton Tompkins, member of the senate legislative committee, was conducting an examination of the bill Thursday afternoon. He said the "strategy committee" would meet later and map out a campaign for enacting the bill into law.

Twenty-one new bills were introduced in the senate Thursday while 11 new bills found their way into the house hopper.

Fifteen of the senate bills were introduced in connection with re-consideration of the state agricultural laws. These bills were referred to the senate agricultural committee and probably will be reported out early next week. Senator W. E. Burke said there would be approximately 90 of these agricultural measures.

The house went on record fa-

vorin a memorial, by the agricultural committee, urging congress to pass the so-called Pierce bill calling for the establishment of an electrical reduction plant at Bonneville for the manufacture of sulphite to be used for the extermination of obnoxious weeds.

Representative Henry Semon, Klamath county, said the establishment of such a plant at Bonneville would save the farmers of Oregon hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

**Exempt Dog Licenses**

Four bills were passed by the house during the forenoon session. One of these, by Representative Cantfield, exempting "seeing eye" dogs from being licensed.

Another bill, by Representative Semon, authorized the creation of dog control districts.

The senate voted unanimously for a bill increasing the salary of the county judge of Harney county

from \$1200 to \$2400 a year and the county clerk from \$1250 to \$1500 a year. Senator Robert M. Duncan told the senate that these measures were meritorious.

Reports here late Thursday indicated that both houses would adjourn at noon today until Monday.

**Budgets to Be Acted Upon**

Senator Dean Walker, chairman of the senate ways and means committee, reported that the budgets of a large number of state departments and institutions had been investigated and that action on some of them would be taken early next week.

"I hope to have most of the appropriation bills on the floor of the house not later than the fourth week of the session," Walker declared. At previous legislative sessions many of the legislative measures came in during the closing days.

## Noted Evangelist Sets Series Here

### Rev. Russell M. Brougher at Calvary Baptist January 29

Rev. Russell M. Brougher DD, well-known preacher and evangelist of the Northern Baptist convention will conduct a series of meetings in the Calvary Baptist church Sunday, January 29, through February 12.

Dr. Brougher has just completed 10 years as pastor of the Baptist Temple of Brooklyn, N. Y., where he has had the largest Sunday night audience of any church in Greater New York, averaging 1500. Over 1700 members were added during his pastorate of 10 years.

"Dr. Brougher preaches the old gospel with power and straight from the shoulder," states Rev. A. Q. Wainwright, Calvary pastor. He had just celebrated his 25th anniversary as an ordained Baptist minister during which time he has served as army chaplain and first lieutenant during the world war, pastor of churches at Bakerfield, Calif., Salt Lake City, Easton, N. J., and the Temple of Brooklyn, N. Y.

He will meet members of the church and officers at a banquet on the Friday night before the meetings open.

## Senate Bills

**INTRODUCED THURSDAY**

SB 71, by Jones—To create the office of county auditor in Marion county.

SB 72, by revision of laws committee—Relating to operation of savings and loan associations and repealing clause relating to depreciation of real property held by such associations.

SB 73, by revision of laws committee—Amendment eliminating an exception on favor of certain foreign corporations.

SB 74, by revision of laws committee—Relating to legal service on out-of-state corporations.

SB 75, by revision of laws committee—Relating to operation of savings and loan associations.

SB 76, by Staples and Representative Nash—Relating to authority of county court and commissioners and providing for settlement of taxes on estates which have deteriorated because of an act of God, etc.

SB 77, by Strayer—Relating to estates of wards and the sale of estates.

SB 78, by agricultural committee—Relating to appointment of county officers.

SB 79, by agricultural committee—Relating to management of Oregon state fair.

SB 80, by agricultural committee—Clarifying law relating to handling Oregon state fair.

SB 81, by agricultural committee—Repealing part of the pro-

## Legislative Sidelights:

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and made a good record as a neophyte. He has been connected with industrial organizations during his period of service in Portland.

The only evidence of the gallows left in the execution chamber at the state penitentiary is a large circle left hooked in the ceiling of the room. It was from this hook that the noose was suspended when men were dropped to their death. The 18 stair steps are long since gone. One change in execution procedure in the new, streamlined method is the elimination of uncertainty as to what person actually performs the execution. Three prison attendants sprang the levers which sent the doomed man through the trap; only one was the lever to spring the door, and the attendants were never certain which one had "killed" the prisoner. In the new lethal chamber there is only one lever

## Here and there behind and in front of the scenes at the 40th legislative assembly.

to spring the cyanide pellets into the sulphuric acid and the man who operates that lever does it in full view of the spectators.

Jimmy Carroll, 10, a Salem fourth grade pupil, sold 27 copies of a popular magazine to members of the house of representatives because he is a republican. Jimmy had hardly entered the house when some member asked him if he was a republican or a democrat. "I'm a republican," he replied.

The house is republican by approximately 3 to 1.

Included in the long list of bills introduced by the senate agricultural committee, designed to re-codify the agricultural laws of Oregon, there were only two carrying the emergency clause. One referred to apiaries and the other to economic poisons. Obviously, it is an emergency if one gets stung or takes poison by mistake.

## Auditor's Office Bill Introduced

A bill to create the office of auditor for Marion county and require an annual audit of county affairs by the state division of audits was introduced in the state senate yesterday over the names of Senator Ronald E. Jones and other members of the local delegation.

The auditor would be appointed at the June meeting of the county court to take office July 1. He would have access to all financial records of money handled by county officers and reports would be filed with him by the county treasurer and other officers who are "authorized by the law to charge any fee, commission, percentage, allowance or compensation."

## Barber Hours and Prices Bill Due

R. E. Baxter, secretary of the state board of barber examiners, said Thursday a bill would be introduced in the house by Rep. Frank J. Loneragan (R-Portland) to set minimum prices and maximum hours for barber shops.

The bill, which Baxter said follows the lead of eight other states, would provide for the regulation of prices and hours by barbers of each county. Baxter said the bill would not in general raise present prices but would tend to eliminate cut-rate competition.

Baxter said he had petitions from 96 per cent of the barbers in the state favoring the legislation.

stock district No. 2 and prohibiting stock running at large therein.

HB 57, by McAllister and Newberry—Providing for the disconnection of lands from cities, towns or villages.

HB 58, by McAllister, Newberry and Sen. Dunn—Amending Sec. 6, Ch. 29, Oregon laws, relating to infected or infested horticultural or agricultural stock and areas.

HB 59, by French—Amending sections 41-2001 and 41-2013, 1935 supplement, and numerous other sections, as amended, relating to milk control board.

HB 60, by McCourt—Amending Secs. 25-262 and 25-263, Oregon code, 1937 supplement, relating to corporations.

**PASSED IN HOUSE**

HB 5, by Cantfield—Amending section 20-2317, Oregon code, pertaining to exemption of "seeing eye" dogs from license tax.

HB 12, by Semon and Balentine—Relating to impounding livestock.

HB 14, by Semon and Sen. Balentine—Prohibiting livestock from running at large in certain portions of Klamath county.

HB 18, by Semon and Sen. Balentine—Relating to establishment of dog control districts and duties.

HB 2, by agriculture committee—Materializing congress to pass HB 196 of the 76th congress relating to the manufacture of chemicals for the killing of noxious weeds.

## Non-Partisan Vote For JPs Is Plan

A bill to place the election of justices of the peace in Oregon on a non-partisan basis will be introduced at the current legislative session by the Association of Oregon Justices of the Peace, now in session here.

Elections of supreme court justices and circuit judges already are on a non-partisan basis.

Another bill will seek that justices of the peace be given full jurisdiction over misdemeanors. This would include authority to remit fines.

## House Bills

**INTRODUCED THURSDAY**

HB 50, by McAllister, Farrell, Fuhrer, French and Sen. Stelver—Amends the present income tax law. Provides for specific deductions from the tax instead of deductions from taxable income; a deduction of \$14 allowed to an unmarried person; \$35 to a married person and \$34 to an unmarried head of a family.

HB 51, by Hempstead, Hilton, Duncan and Delch—Codifies the law relating to partnership.

HB 52, by Smith—Relates to the disposition of the remains of decedents.

HB 53, by committee on medicine—Provides for the correction of certain birth and death records.

HB 54, by committee on medicine—To provide for the registration of unreported births.

HB 55, by committee on medicine—Relates to registration of illegitimate births and provides for filing of decrees of adoption with the state board of health.

HB 56, by Hockett and Sen. Zurcher—Creating Wallowa county

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Bananas Firm and Ripe lb. <b>5c</b>	1 Lb. FRANKS Both for <b>15c</b>
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GRAPEFRUIT 3oz Tins 3 tins <b>25c</b>	SHRIMP Dry Pack 2 tins <b>24c</b>
COFFEE 1-Pound Tin, Reg. or Fine Ground <b>25c</b>	OYSTERS 5-Oz. Tins 3 for <b>25c</b>
WHITE KING Washing Powder, Close-Out, Med. Size <b>17c</b>	NUCOA The New Oleo 2 pound pkg. <b>39c</b>
<b>BROOMS</b> Four-Row, Good Quality <b>25c ea.</b>	<b>SALAD DRESSING</b> Quart Jar <b>23c</b>
	<b>FIG BARS</b> <b>9c lb.</b>