

### Senate Beats Non-Partisan Assessor Bill

By a vote of 23 to 6, the senate Thursday indefinitely postponed a bill by Sen. Joe McKenna, providing for the election of county assessors on a non-partisan basis.

Following the defeat, Senator McKenna asked and was granted permission to withdraw two other proposals relating to county assessors, providing that candidates for county assessor should submit to an examination by the state tax commission before their names would be eligible for a place on the ballot, and the other providing for an equalization of county assessors' salaries, under which increases would have ranged as high as \$400 a year.

A bill which would increase the salary of the state engineer from \$4500 to \$4800 a year was referred to the joint ways and means committee.

A senate bill, by the labor and industries committee, creating a five-man contractors state license board empowered to pass on the qualifications of contractors and to revoke their licenses under certain conditions, was indefinitely postponed.

Sens. John Carson and Frederick Lamport, Marion county, Thursday introduced a resolution under which the constitutional provision forbidding Chinese to hold real estate in Oregon would be eliminated. If approved both by the senate and house of representatives the bill will be referred to the voters at the next general election.

### Psychiatric Program Gets Reconsideration

The senate, upon motion of Sen. Thomas R. Mahoney, Thursday reconsidered the vote by which a bill providing for establishment of a psychiatric hospital in Multnomah county was defeated at Wednesday's session. The bill later was referred to the committee on public buildings and institutions for amendment.

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### In the House

**Bills passed Thursday:**  
 HB 163—continues salary increase of justice of peace of Harney county.  
 HB 174—increases salary of Grant county officials.  
 HB 175—adds \$1500 to amount counties can pay on advertising.  
 HB 226—continues increases of salaries of Washington county.  
 HB 347—provides that educational facilities for veterans be administered by director of veterans affairs.  
 HB 377—increases salaries of Yamhill county officials.  
 SB 8—provides for interim committee to study statutory revisions.  
 SB 41—increases to \$7,500,000 (from \$4,500,000) the industrial accident fund reserve.  
 SB 48—extending provisions for county payment of fire protection.  
 SB 68—validates divorce decrees which otherwise might be challenged on the basis of residence (particularly relates to service folk).  
 SB 71—provides penalties for violation of forest protection laws.  
 SB 86—extends term for board members in a Multnomah county school district.  
 SB 99—putting fish commission on direct appropriation basis.  
 SB 101—allows city to buy surplus war goods without bidding.  
 SB 102—continues salary increases for Willows county officials.  
 SB 109—lets veteran organizations draw on certain counties for burial expenses not to exceed \$100 for funeral expenses of indigent veteran or member of his family.  
 SB 191—salary increases for Marion county officials.  
 SB 203—defines terms in narcotics control laws.  
 SB 221—authorizes extra court report for Marion and Linn circuit courts.  
 Repassed with senate amendments: HB 118.  
 "Do pass" committee reports adopted:  
 Referred to committees: HB 385, 386, 387; SB 38, 168.  
 New bills:  
 HB 388, by taxation and revenue committee—to provide a simplified income tax table and tax return.  
 HB 389, by assessment and taxation committee—amends section 110-313, as amended, relating to assessment and taxation of ships.  
 HB 390, by insurance committee—relating to insurance companies.  
 HB 391, by insurance committee—relating to insurance companies.

### Proposed Redistricting of State Senate Areas Likely To Add New Fireworks

Additional fireworks—and time—at the tag end of the 43rd legislature appeared a possibility today with announcement by Sen. Marshall Cornett of Klamath Falls that he would introduce Monday a bill to reapportion state senatorial districts of eastern and southern Oregon.

The proposed measure is similar to that which almost passed last session. It would eliminate the 19th district, now served by Sen. Rex Ellis of Pendleton, and split Cornett's own 17th district which now includes one-fourth of the state—Klamath, Lake, Deschutes, Crook and Jefferson counties. The redistricting would be as follows:  
 District 17—Klamath and Lake counties.  
 District 18—Sherman, Gilliam, Wheeler, Morrow.  
 District 19—Deschutes, Jefferson, Crook.  
 Whether the proposed elimination of Ellis' 19th district—now Morrow, Umatilla and Union county—would bring repercussions from friends in the Multnomah delegation was not definitely known. Multnomah members have declared that on the basis of Portland's swollen population a redistricting of that area on a population basis would give it from 10 to 13 senators—compared to the current five. Upstate counties have 25.  
 If the Multnomah group countered Cornett's proposal with a bill for general redistricting, the resultant battle could last for days.  
 Under present districting, Pendleton has two senators—Ellis who serves three counties including Umatilla and Sen. Carl Engdahl who serves Umatilla alone (20th district). Terms of both Ellis and Engdahl expire before the next legislative session.

### Columbia Valley Authority Opposed

The senate irrigation and drainage committee introduced a memorial Thursday asking congress not to pass legislation creating the Columbia Valley Authority. The memorial asks that states be permitted to keep control over irrigation, flood control and power rights.

### PAY BILL UP TODAY

The senate judiciary committee recommended passage of a bill to increase the fees of jurors from \$3 to \$4 a day. The bill originally asked for \$5. Final action is scheduled today.

### In the Senate

**Bills passed:**  
 SB 215 by Senators John Carson and Frederick Lamport, Marion county, providing for the creation of a game refuge in Polk county.  
**Bills introduced:**  
 SB 248, by Cornett and Newberry—relating to contributions deductible in computing state income tax.  
 SB 249, by Hilton—relating to tourist camps.  
 SB 250, by Cornett and Newberry—relating to state income tax.  
 SB 251, by Lee Patterson—relating to the salary of the quarter-master general and chief of ordinance attached to the state adjutant general's office.  
 SB 252, by Wallace—making it unlawful to take or fish for crayfish in any waters of the state of Oregon by any means in any year from April 15 to June 1, prescribing penalties and declaring an emergency.  
 SB 253, by Strayer—relating to cruel treatment to animals.  
 SB 254, by game committee—to authorize creation of game management areas, their regulation and providing penalty for violation.  
 SB 255, by Marion county delegation—increasing the salary of the justice of the peace of the Marion county district from \$2400 to \$3000 a year.  
 "Do pass" committee reports adopted: SB 125, 61, 94, 219, 62, 226, 232, 243, 150, 218, 8, 136, 143, 74, 27; HB 138, 5, 352, 351, 306, 100, 15, 339, 211, 216, 330, 355, 362; HJM 5.  
 Reported out without recommendation: SB 82.  
 "Do not pass" reports adopted: SB 93, 6, 45, 67, 224, 36, 146.  
 Re-referred: SB 62.  
 Referred to committees: SB 244, 245, 246, 247; HB 356, 357, 364, 365, 375, 183, 185, 218, 271, 306, 320, 326, 327, 342, 346, 349.  
 Introduced: HB 174, 178, 299, 347, 377; HJR 8.

### Game Refuge in Polk County Gets Senate Approval

The senate Thursday passed a bill (SB 215) by Sens. John Carson and Frederick Lamport designating the following Polk county area as a game refuge for the next six years:  
 "Beginning at a point on the bank of the Willamette river directly beneath the center of the Polk county-Marion county bridge at Salem; thence southwesterly along the center line of said bridge and road to center line of Wallace road the same being state highway No. 221; thence northerly following the center line of said county road to the county line between Polk and Yamhill counties; thence easterly along said county line to the Willamette

### Unemployment Benefits Set At \$18 Week

The senate labor and industries committee—Thursday agreed upon an unemployment benefits formula providing for a maximum of \$18 for 20 weeks with a limit of one-fifth of the worker's base year earnings. However, Chairman Lew Wallace reserved the right to bring in a minority report calling for a maximum of \$20 for 20 weeks with a limit of one-fifth of the annual wages.  
 The formula was decided upon following hearings at which representatives of employers and unions discussed senate bill 78, which would have set the limit at \$25 for 26 weeks and one-third of the annual earnings.  
 The present law fixes an upper

### Senate Committee Favors Service Bills

The senate committee on military affairs Thursday sent out "do pass" reports on four bills to increase the salary of the senior officer of the Oregon national guard from \$4800 to \$6000; provide that probationary teachers now in the armed forces shall accumulate credits while so serving towards teaching certificates; give veteran associations free quarters in armories; levy an annual 45-100 mill tax for 10 years, if voters approve, for financing construction of armories in 20 Oregon cities.

### Salary Increase for Justice of Peace Asked

A bill was introduced in the senate by the Marion county delegation Thursday to increase the salary of the justice of the peace for the Marion county district from \$2400 to \$3000 a year.

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| <b>Sirloin Steak</b>                                  | Grade A, lb. 40¢         | Grade B, lb. 33¢ |
| Every steak must please you, or money back—11 points. |                          |                  |
| <b>Leg of Lamb</b>                                    | Grade A, lb. 38¢         | Grade B, lb. 34¢ |
| Shanks cut off before weighing—7 points per pound.    |                          |                  |
| <b>Shoulder Lamb Roast</b>                            | Grade A & B lb. 34¢      | 4 points per lb. |
| <b>Pork Sausage</b>                                   | Country Style (2 points) | Type 3 pound 32¢ |
| <b>Link Sausages</b>                                  | Type 3 (2 points)        | lb. 41¢          |
| <b>Rib Lamb Chops</b>                                 | Grade A, lb. 43¢         | Grade B, lb. 39¢ |
| 7 points per lb.                                      |                          |                  |

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| <b>FANCY RICE</b>                      | 5-lb. Pkg. 44¢ | <b>HEINZ KETCHUP</b> 19¢ (30 B. Ripe Tomato, 14-oz. bot.)       |
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| <b>Ritz Crackers</b> Butter Wafers, 1-lb. pkg.                    | 21¢           |
| <b>Pancake Flour</b> Sperry's 10-lb. pkg.                         | 69¢           |
| <b>Pancake Flour</b> Susanna 20-oz. pkg.                          | 9¢            |
| <b>Kellogg's All Bran</b> 1-lb. pkg.                              | 17¢           |
| <b>Grape Preserves</b> Libby's 308 jar                            | 25¢           |
| <b>Cheese (3 Red Points)</b> 5-oz. jar                            | 17¢           |
| <b>Kraft Miracle Whip</b> Quart jar                               | 40¢           |
| <b>Chopped Olives</b> Libby's No. 3 1/4 tin                       | 13¢           |
| <b>Sandwich Bags</b> Valley Gold (40 B. Pkgs.) No. 2 1/2 can      | 10¢           |
| <b>Whole Apricots</b> Silver Grill (60 Blue Points) No. 2 1/2 can | 21¢           |
| <b>Pears</b> Highway No. 2 1/2 can                                | 24¢           |
| <b>Tomatoes (38 Blue Points)</b> No. 2 1/2 can                    | 17¢           |
| <b>Pumpkin</b> Del Monte Fancy, No. 2 1/2 can                     | 10¢           |
| <b>Rippled Wheat</b> Loose-Wiles, 9-oz. pkg.                      | 9¢            |

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|                    |                                   |                    | <b>Cauliflower</b> Oregon, Snow White Heads, lb. 15¢         |
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