

Editorial E COOSH EEWA: (The way it is)



Letters to the Editor Aren't people concerned?

To the editor:

A recent visit to Kah-Nee-Ta Village left me embarrassed and ashamed. It sure looked terrible. Boards and shovels were lying around, weeds were 2-3 feet high, and half the front lawn was dry.

I hate to see Kah-Nee-Ta let down that way. Aren't our

people concerned about their resort? A lot of time and money have been invested in that enterprise, but now I see complete disregard for its upkeep.

I used to be the groundskeeper at the Village and I was proud of it then. But I'll tell you something—I'm not going back there.

Chesley Yahtin

Thanks for flowers

The family of Annie Dick would like to express appreciation for the many flowers that were given in her memory and for all those people who attended the funeral. Special thanks to those who helped out at the longhouse. It means so much to know that people care.

Rose Mitchell and family

Appreciates courtesy

We would like to thank Pacific Power and Light office manager Jim Welch and his engineer for being so courteous in dealing with the power line problem that arose the other day.

Apparently last fall, tribal council passed a blanket resolution, approving the repair of underground power lines in West Hills.

PP&L was informed by the Realty department that it was

unnecessary for them (PP&L) to contact individuals in West Hills who would be affected by the construction.

We were not informed at all by anyone that such work was going to be done. Mr. Welch was kind enough to decide to install the new line across the street from our house rather than run the line through our lawn.

Thank you again.
Ray and Wauna Calica

Berry not retired

In the July 27 issue of Spilyay Tymoo, the article about Dave Berry incorrectly stated that he was retired from Kah-Nee-Ta. In fact, Berry was injured on the job in November and is on compensation from Industrial Indemnity and has not yet been released by his doctor to return to work.

An invitation you can't refuse
All you have to do is give a nod
Anything else will be a poor excuse.
Come and celebrate with God!

Real Life Crusade

The Warm Springs Baptist Church extends an open invitation to put real life back into your life just come as you are to receive the free gift, the door prize that opens the way to a joyous existence. There will be special guests from Nesa, Arizona that will be sharing the Good News, rejoicing, singing, giving testimony, and inspiring others to receive the greatest gift of all! Pastor Arnold Enos, a Pima Indian, of the Fergerson Memorial Baptist Church will be the messenger during the services which will be held nightly on August 19-26 beginning at 8:00 p.m. Also, now that summer school is over, the summer Rec Program is ending, consider the fact that the real life of your child is just beginning. Encourage your little ones from ages 6-12 to attend Vacation Bible School on Monday-Friday (9:00-11:00 a.m.) on the same dates as the Real Life Crusade. Then on Sunday, the 26th, there will be an opportunity to share your favorite recipe by bringing a main dish, salad, or dessert to the Potluck following the morning service. Come to meet new friends, old friends, and to thank the one who makes life livable!

Old news is bad news

Why are copies of Spilyay Tymoo available in stores five days before they appear in mailboxes?

This is a question we hear often. Unfortunately, there are some who feel that we are trying to increase our sales. We'd like to correct that misconception.

The papers have not been getting back from the printer until around 5:00 p.m. Friday, making it impossible to get them in the mail that day. The post office can't accept bulk mail on Saturday, so the papers sit around all weekend. They are mailed on Monday and subscribers don't get them until Tuesday.

We try to get the paper in the stores as soon as possible after they arrive—always that evening for Warm Springs, and sometimes the following morning for Madras. This is done for your convenience, not to generate extra quarters from people who can't wait to read the latest Spilyay.

We are trying our best to get to the printer earlier so that papers will get into the mail Friday and boxholders will receive them Saturday, the old schedule that everyone became accustomed to. We don't like old news any better than you do, and we're working out ways to get it to you faster.

Shoeless swimmers beware

The Warm Springs Public Health Clinic advises swimmers in the creeks and rivers, to protect their feet from broken glass. The doctors have treated many patients this summer with injuries on their

feet because they weren't wearing shoes of some kind while swimming.

The clinic also warns against riding in the back of pickups, saying that one never knows when a child might fall out and be seriously injured.

Cattlemen to meet in Albuquerque

The National American Indian Cattlemen's Association will hold its 6th annual convention in Albuquerque on September 14 & 15 this year. John Fredricks, President, announced.

New Mexico Governor, Bruce King, will be the keynote speaker at the luncheon on September 15. Other speakers on the convention agenda include Jess Karlor of Karlor Packing Company, Phil Harvey, President of the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association, Barry Welsh of the Area BIA Office, Lee Tilton of NASA Earth Resources Laboratory, and Charles Colombe of the Indian Agricultural Credit Consor-

tium. Business activities scheduled are the election of directors, agricultural credit, hedging of cattle, and other pertinent business involving Indian cattlemen.

Other activities include the Cattlemen's princess contest, banquet and Stockmen's ball. The convention will be held at the Holiday Inn.

The National American Indian Cattlemen's Association is a nation-wide organization of Indian ranchers which seeks to improve the Indian livestock industry through better credit, marketing and training in agriculture and agribusiness.

Ullman injured in fall, cancels visit to reservation

Oregon Congressman Al Ullman suffered a cracked knee cap in a fall at his home this Monday, August 6. Following X-Rays on Tuesday, doctors directed him to stay off his feet for the next month.

Ullman had to cancel his scheduled trip through Eastern and Central Oregon and a weekend visit to the reservation. He had planned to do some fly fishing on the Deschutes and to attend the Huckleberry Feast and rodeo at HeHe. He also canceled news conferences in Ontario, Oregon and Boise.

Speaking by telephone from Washington, D.C., Ullman said Wednesday that regional energy legislation now before the House of Representatives will provide rate relief for all residential and small farm consumers in Oregon.

"Domestic and rural customers in Oregon will all receive the cost benefits of low-cost federal hydro-electric power, \$200 million in the first year and increasing rapidly after that," Ullman said by phone. "With or without the legislation, power costs are going up. But with this bill, the savings will offset some of the increases for Oregon consu-

mers."

Ullman, chief sponsor of the legislation, said the extensively amended bill approved by the Senate last week provides an excellent foundation for deliberation in the House.

In addition to the rate relief, Ullman noted, "The power cost and power supply benefits of this legislation to Oregonians are enormous:

- Publicly owned and cooperative utilities will receive new contracts from the Bonneville Power Administration with rates guaranteed to be no higher than they would have been without the legislation;
- Direct service industries (seven located in Oregon) will receive new long-term contracts, enabling them and their employees to plan their future in the state.

"While the rate relief may be the most visible benefit," Ullman said, "the legislation emphasis on the systematic and region-wide development of conservation and renewable resources may be the most important."

Under the bill amended by the Senate, conservation and renewable resources are made the top priority resources for meeting power needs.

Bonneville is permitted to acquire conventional generating resources only if conservation and renewable resources are insufficient.

Ullman said, "This is a tough conservation bill, representing the first regional conservation legislation in the country."

Ullman said that anti-nuclear critics of the legislation are off-base.

"What this bill does is reduce the likely need for nuclear power in the Pacific Northwest.

"As a practical matter, we know that the fate of nuclear power in the region and the nation will be decided at the national and state level, independent of this particular legislation," Ullman said.

"As a legal and practical matter, it is not desirable to exclude nuclear power from this legislation, but the conditions already in the bill assure that the region will have new nuclear power plants only if all other resources leave the region with adequate power."

Ullman's schedule was to have taken him to Nyssa, Vale, Burns, John Day, Condon, Fossil, Heppner, Pendleton, Hermiston, Milton-Freewater, Elgin, Enterprise, LaGrande, and Baker.

Tribal Council Agenda

August 13 Tribal Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

1. 9:00 a.m. Fish & Wildlife Committee Report/Water Management and Intertribal Fish Commission
2. 10:00 a.m. Auditor's Report/Leo Molatore
3. 1:30 p.m. Court Task Force Recommendations

August 14 Tribal Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

1. 10:00 a.m. Kah-Nee-Ta Board-Progress Report
2. 12:00 noon Luncheon
3. 3:00 p.m. Justice Facility-Progress Report
4. 4:00 p.m. Community Perimeter Fence

August 15 Tribal Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

1. 10:00 Housing Concerns:
Ken Smith, Ed Manion, Bob Finch, Satish Puri, IHS Representatives, James Cornett, Don Schmith (Roads) and Harlow Nasewyewa (Assignments, Heirships, land ownership)

August 20 Tribal Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

1. 10:00 a.m. Realty Sherars Bridge Purchase
2. 2:00 p.m. Enrollments
3. 3:00 p.m. Powerhouse Project/Jerry Dibble

August 21 Tribal Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

1. 10:00 a.m. T/C Compensation-Constitution Amendment
2. 2:00 p.m. Darrel Wright, Superintendent, 509-J
3. 3:00 p.m. Scouting Program/Satch Miller

August 27/29 Annual Convention Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians — Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge