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Heading South

Canadian Geese adapt to numerous environments from the Arctic to Mexico. Many varieties, though, fly south to avoid the cold winter months. Schoolie flats provides some ideal grazing grounds for geese on their way south.

After a meal of grain the swift flying Canadian Geese take to the air in formations. Their habit of calling constantly during flight has earned them the name of honker.

Spilyay Tymoo photo by Shewczyk

November 20-23. . .

14th Indian Ed. convention

With the Federal Administration proposing cuts and program changes or deletions of programs which have been of vital importance to Indian tribes and Indian people in past years, health, education, housing, jobs training and employment assistance; These and many other topics will be covered in the annual convention.

It is very important that everyone join together in support of N.I.E.A. to provide a unified voice on such matters as:

1) The transfer of the Title IV Indian Education Program from the Department of Education to the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

2) The Administration's proposal to reduce by 21 percent Impact Aid assistance.

3) The Administration's proposal to close several boarding schools serving Indian children.

4) The Administration's failure to request any funds for advanced planning or construction of any new schools.

New methods in education will be discussed, trends examined and new theories discussed.

The National Indian Education Association Board of Directors is inviting you to attend the 14th annual NIEA Convention, which is being held in New Orleans, Louisiana on November 20-23, to discuss these important matters of concern for the Indian people today.

Weather

October	High	Low
15	66	41
16	67	44
17	51	41
18	52	26
19	53	23
20	51	24
21	48	38
22	72	40
23	64	48
24	63	35
25	66	42
26	53	43
27	54	31
28	42	32
29	49	42
30	54	40
31	52	32
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1	56	31
2	50	26
3	56	35

—Voter turnout high—

The elections are over and for the next two years or so, we won't be plagued with radio and TV advertisements that tell us how to and who to vote for.

Incumbent Vic Atiyeh was reelected as governor, heavily defeating his opponent Ted Kulongoski. Republican Bill Bellamy defeated his opponent Bill Olsen for the State Representatives seat.

Verne Duncan was reelected as superintendent of public instruction. All but one of the six ballot measures failed. Voters decided they wanted a freeze on nuclear weapons.

Jefferson County's proposed tax base failed, but the COCC tax base passed. College officials were pleased that it passed since the tax base will eliminate annual budget levies. Unofficially, the tax base passed by a 60% to 40% margin. It was the only tax base to pass in the state.

In local Jefferson County races, incumbent judges Herschel Read, Gordon

Shown, Cecil Zemke and Elaine Henderson were all elected. Zemke and Henderson were running unopposed.

Turnout was high for an "off year" election. It was estimated that 76% of registered Jefferson County voters visited the polls.

Miss Warm Springs Contest. . . Represent your tribe

Young ladies, it is that time of the year to begin thinking about being a representative of your tribe and vying for the title of Miss Warm Springs. As Miss Warm Springs you will learn, you will teach, you will have a lot of fun. It will be an enriching experience. It will be worth it to give one year of your life. This is a great opportunity for personal growth. The Miss Warm Springs Committee is now making preparation and would like to encourage all eligible ladies in our community to pick up an application form.

Any girl must be 18 to 25 years of age. She must never have been married, or have dependents. She must be a member of the Warm Springs tribes and a resident of the Warm Springs Reservation for at least one year.

As Miss Warm Springs she will always maintain and present herself in a proper and responsible manner throughout her term, as will her alternates. If for some reason Miss Warm Springs cannot meet her obligations, her alternates shall represent the Tribes.

This year Miss Warm Springs will be selected on Tuesday night, December 28. There will be a dinner at 6:00 p.m., a farewell honor dance and speech for the outgoing Miss Warm Springs, judging of the contestants, then the new Miss Warm Springs will be crowned.

The contestant will be judged on their appearance, poise, and personality, a 3 to 5 minute talent presentation (their choice of either a modern or a traditional talent), dancing abilities, and interviews with the judges. She will also have a 3 to 5 minute speech presentation of herself which will be judged.

You may pick up application forms from Rosie Tom at the Tribal Council Office, Anna Clements at the Cultural Heritage Program, Aurolyn Eagle Speaker at the Finance Department, or Frances Allen at the Personnel Office. Ladies, please try to return applications as soon as possible. The deadline for applications is December 24th.

Come on girls, let's make this year's pageant a great one!

Revenue Sharing Funds

The Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon will hold a public hearing at the Administration Building in Warm Springs, Conference room #1 on November 15, 1982, at 1:00 p.m., for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comment from the public on proposed uses of Revenue Sharing Funds for 1983.

All interested citizens, groups, senior citizens organizations, are encouraged to attend the Hearings. Persons attending the Hearings shall have the right to provide written and oral comment and suggestions regarding possible uses of Revenue Sharing funds.

Following is important planning information for the proposed use Hearing:

Amount of unappropriated Revenue Sharing Funds in the local trust fund **\$104,550.00**

Amount of Revenue Sharing Funds expected to be received in the coming fiscal year **\$62,000.00**