

## Rep. Mann Holds Hopes of Passing Tax Relief Plan

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economic situation, however, it appears that another \$30 million will have to be taken from the budget to balance with income.

6. Continued the repeal of the inventory tax. After offering 5% relief on this tax in 1965, the 1967 legislature brought it down another 10%.

7. Passed a hunting and fishing license increase that will provide a big game range improvement program which will also help livestock ranges, will set up a better hunter-landowner program, and will be used to continue the fish impoundment program.

8. Passed a bill to provide \$500,000 for a sea grant college at OSU. This will enable the university to get \$2 million in federal funds and put OSU in the forefront in ocean science, Rep. Mann said.

**Truth Bill Hailed**

9. Passed the "truth in taxing" bill, which he called one of the best bills of the session. This will place property on tax rolls at true cash value, and taxes will be stated in dollars and cents instead of mills.

Rep. Mann said that the legislature failed to pass a consti-

## Bristow Awarded U. S. Flying Medal

Major John L. Bristow, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bristow of Lone has been awarded the U.S. Air Medal for meritorious achievement while flying, according to word received here by his parents.

Since Major Bristow has received the medal and two oak leaf clusters previously he was given a third oak leaf cluster in lieu of the air medal. The award was made by Major General Kenneth O. Sanborn.

Major and Mrs. Bristow and children, Doug and Linda, live in Greenville, Texas, where he works with LTV Tempo-Aero flight systems.

tutional amendment that would give itself the power to call a special session. At present the State Emergency Board has the power to spend \$7,900,000 between sessions without legislative sanction. Had the bill passed the legislature could go into session when needed to authorize major emergency appropriations.

At the forthcoming special session, Mann feels sure that the federal deduction on income tax in Oregon will be eliminated.

"This will keep a larger percentage of the taxes in Oregon," he said.

The session will also have to call upon the Ways and Means committee to find \$30 million that can be pared from the budget.

## Harvest Season Nearing Close

Morrow county's grain harvest is nearer its finish with an estimated 85% completion, according to Gene Winters, county extension agent, and Harlan McCurdy, Jr., manager of Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc.

McCurdy said early this week that all elevators of MCGG were still receiving grain except for the one at McNabb. It is expected, however, that the elevators in the north and central part of the county will be virtually through by the end of the week but harvest continuing only in higher elevations, particularly the southern part of the county.

Elevators are not "bursting at the seams" as had been predicted in the spring. The onset of hot, dry weather is principally blamed for shriveling and the light production.

Some ranchers reported fairly good yields, but many were far below expectations. It is still too early to determine a county average, but McCurdy hazarded a guess that it might run about 21 bushels per acre on wheat.

About the only generally happy thought for the harvesters is that the cutting has not been interrupted by rain this year. They would have been happy to have a rain as late as June but were glad that it didn't come late to hamper the harvest.

## Sudden Illness Claims Florence; Rites in Eugene

Memorial services were held in Eugene on Saturday, August 5, for Eugene Lewis Florence, 51, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Florence, and brother of Mrs. Dean (Mary Eleanor) Gilman, all of Heppner.

Florence died Wednesday, August 2, of a heart attack while on a fishing trip with his wife and friends on a boat out of Winchester Bay. He had previously suffered a serious attack in 1965. For several years he had made his home in Eugene at 570 Antelope Way, and had been associated with the realty firm, Oregon Settlement Association. Before then he had worked for the Union Pacific Railroad at Eugene. He had visited here often with his parents, especially during the hunting seasons.

Born July 30, 1916, in Heppner, he spent his boyhood here and attended the local schools. He was graduated from the Eugene High school. On February 25, 1939, he was married to Marjory Kinny of Eugene. They have one son, Gary A., an accountant in Eugene.

He was a member of the First Christian church; Eugene Elks Lodge No. 357; Eugene Moose Lodge No. 686; and of the Eugene Realty Board.

Funeral services were held

## Balm Fork Fire Hits Wheat, Range

Fire broke out Saturday afternoon in wheat lands on a farm being operated by Merritt Gray on Balm Fork, southeast of Heppner, and burned a large area of wheat and range lands before it was brought under control. It was difficult to determine the acreage covered, but it was estimated roughly at some 400 acres, of which 150 to 200 acres were in wheat.

Heppner Firemen with rural trucks went to the scene to battle the fire during the afternoon, and a helicopter came from Fossil to assist. It checked the fire by flowing back the flames and helping extinguish them. Many neighbors and others came to help.

Origin of the fire is indefinite but it is thought to have started from a combine.

Saturday, August 5, at 10:00 a.m. in Lounsbury-Musgrove Funeral Chapel, Eugene, with the Rev. Marion McQuary officiating. Interment was in West Lawn Memorial Park.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Florence; one sister, Mrs. Mary Eleanor Gilman, all of Heppner; his wife, Marjory K.; one son, Gary A. and one two-month-old grandson, all of Eugene.

Among relatives who attended the services from here were an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beamer.

## Public Notice

### CALL FOR BIDS FOR LANDSCAPING AT RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 28th day of August, 1967, at 2:30 p.m. PDT, the directors of Morrow County School District R-1 will receive sealed bids for landscaping of grounds at Riverside High School, Boardman, Oregon.

Bids will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Box 368, Lexington, Oregon until 2:30 p.m. and will be presented to the directors at a special meeting to be called for 8:00 p.m., August 28, 1967.

Specifications for the work and bidding documents may be obtained from the office of Howard Leonard Glazer, A.L.A., 1028 S. W. First Ave. Portland, Oregon, 97204.

The Morrow County School District R-1 board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids must be in sealed envelopes and clearly marked "Landscaping bid". Donald McElligott, Chairman Alice Vance, Clerk 24-25c

### CALL FOR BIDS ON CONTRACT BUS RUN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 28th day of August, 1967, at 2:30 p.m. PDT, the directors of Morrow County School District R-1 will receive sealed bids for a bus run to pick

up students on the route from Roger Palmer ranch to the Robert Van Scholack ranch to be transported to a regular bus run.

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