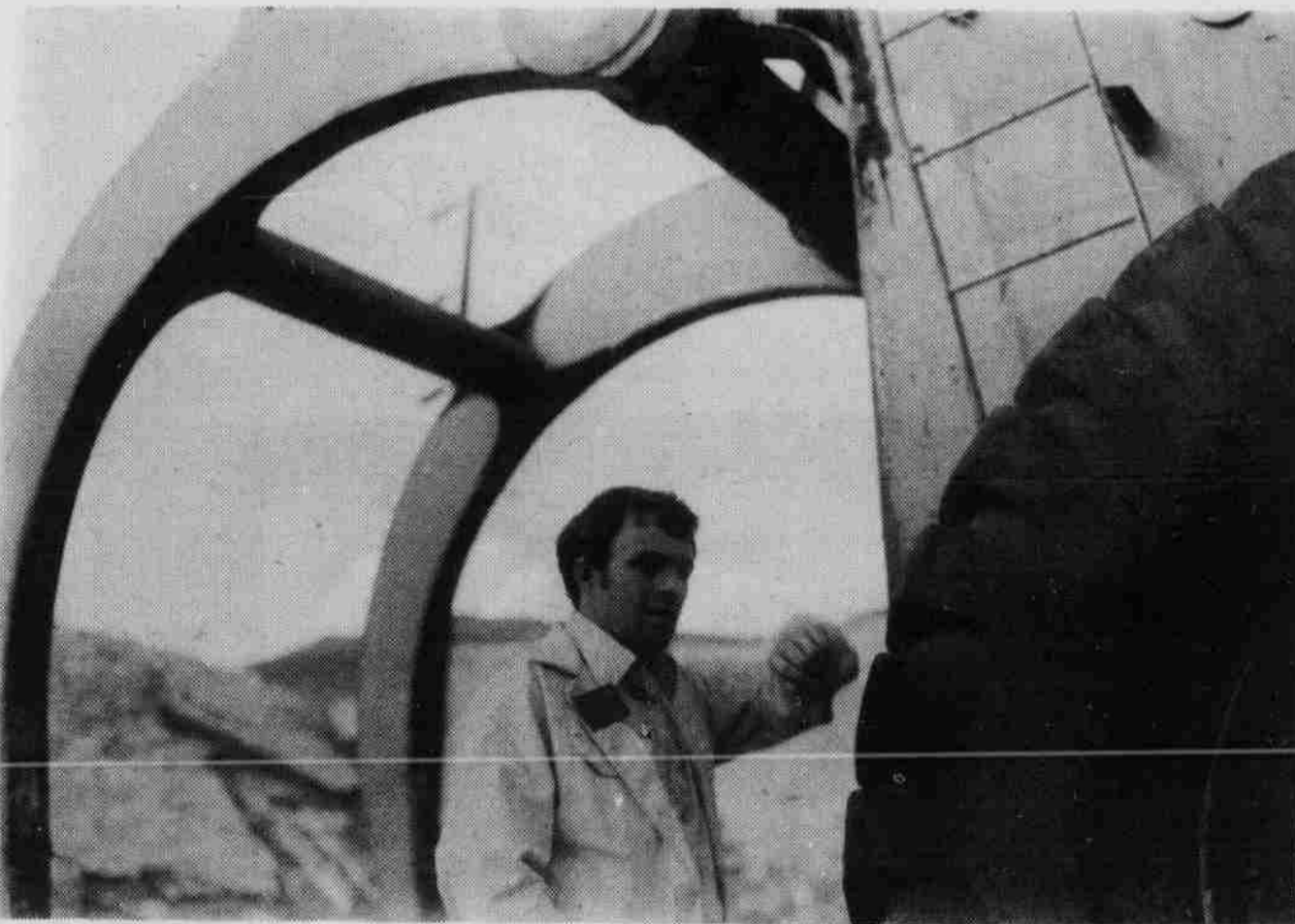
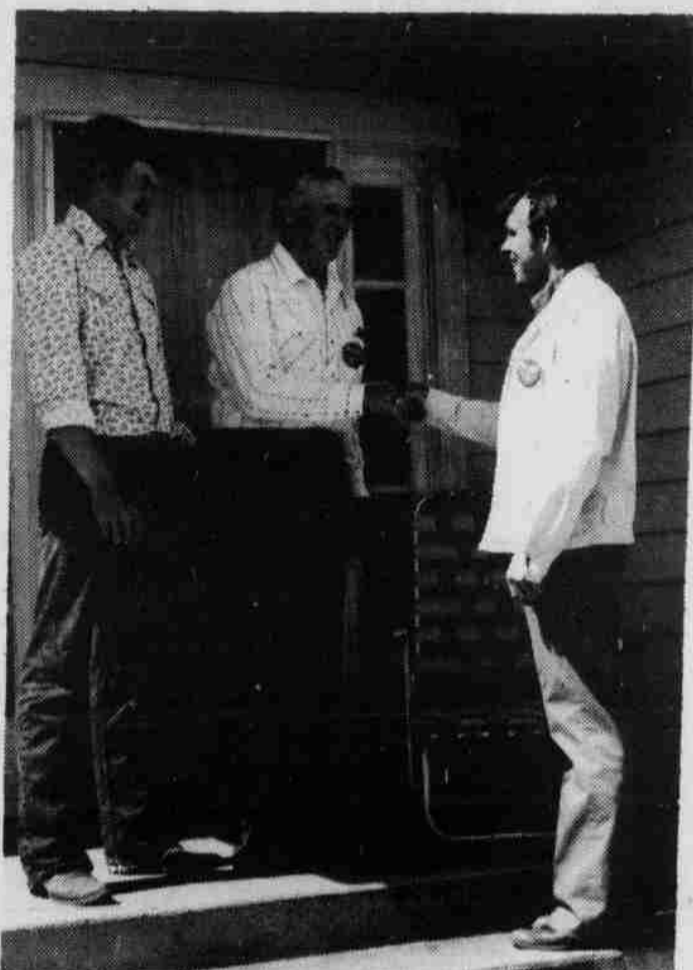


BELLAMY:

"Government has increased too much"



TOP LEFT: Bill Bellamy speaks to a group about government control and regulations. TOP RIGHT: Bill Bellamy speaks to Homer Hughes while door to dooring. Bill Bellamy spent almost all of October personally meeting people. ABOVE: Government regulatory agencies need to work with the

businesses they regulate. If more interaction between agencies and businesses took place, regulations could benefit instead of hinder small business. Here Bill Bellamy looks over a piece of equipment from a logging operation.

Government

"Government has increased too much in terms of programs and in terms of the amount of funds needed to maintain these programs," commented Bill Bellamy. There is a definite need for a decrease in the overall scope of government both on the state and federal level, he said.

Salaries

Salaries for the state legislature have increased significantly in the past two sessions. "I will not support any other salary increase," said Bill Bellamy. Efficiency cannot be expected from government when the lawmakers continue to increase their benefits.

Profession

"I strongly endorse the working legislature concept, where the legislators must maintain a profession in order to make a living," said Bill Bellamy. Salaries should not be large enough to support an existence. "I support biennial sessions instead of annual sessions, he said.

Agencies

Government regulatory agencies must work with the people and businesses when regulating. "The agencies can't just demand regulation. Local people should be involved in decisions and flexibility must be established in the agencies policies," said Bill Bellamy.

Bureaucracy

The bureaucratic process is becoming more and more burdensome to the local people and local businesses. A simpler, more efficient form of government needs to be established, said Bill Bellamy.

Business

Fiscal accountability should be a must for government. The people should know where their money is being spent. Agencies should be held strictly accountable for their funds both to the government and to the people. "Government should be run as a business," said Bill Bellamy.