

Oil Industry To Pass Taxes On

Los Angeles—UPI—A spokesman for the oil and gas industry warned today that Gov. Edmund G. Brown's proposed tax on the oil industry would be passed on to the consumer.

Felix Chappellet, general manager of the Western Oil and Gas association, said a state severance tax on oil and gas production would increase taxes on motorists and cost of residential gas.

"This is a tax on the consumer—not a tax on the oil industry," he said. "A basic fact of life is that all taxes must be passed on, one way or the other, and the consumer pays them all."

"If a severance tax is added to the taxes already levied on oil production in California, the total tax will be completely out of line with the tax in other oil producing states where there are severance taxes."

Chappellet said property taxes in those states—Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma—were lower or non-existent. He said oil taxes in this state now are comparable or higher than in those states.

Acme Hardware One Of Retail Finalists

Acme Hardware company, Medford, is one of 558 retailers in the United States, Canada and Hawaii competing in the annual "Brand Name Retailer of the Year" honor.

The finalists will submit full presentations of their 1958 brand advertising, sales training and other promotional activities which will be reviewed by a judging panel in March. The winner will be announced April 15 at an awards ceremony in New York.

Court Records

DISTRICT COURT
Morton E. Gossett, failure to make traffic stop, \$10.
William H. Davis, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Virgil L. Brown, overload, \$38.
Mervyn R. Thompson, no motor vehicle license, \$10.
James O. Koler, failure to make traffic stop, \$10.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION
Charles Melvin Stehl, Medford, and Frances Ann Plant, Marysville, Calif.

FORMER EDITOR DIES
Philadelphia—UPI—William Blair Craig, 79, associate editor of the Philadelphia Bulletin at his retirement in 1948, died Tuesday.

Westside Beefy's 4-H Club

The last beef club meeting was held at the home of John Fisher Jan. 18. The officers filled out the program of the year. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Mrs. Fisher, then Marvin Terry helped each member make a rope halter.

Clint Gibson, Reporter.

PARK VISITORS

Washington—UPI—The National Park Service reports that a record 216 million persons visited 2,216 state parks in the U.S. during 1957, an increase of some 16 million over 1956.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Howard Feeders

The Howard Feeders 4-H club met at the home of Mr. Newman Jan. 10. We talked about going to a comedy show at McLoughlin Junior High school in Medford. We decided that starting next month we would have our meetings on the first Saturday of every month.

Cathy Carlson, Reporter.

Applegate Knitwits

The meeting of the Applegate Knitwits 4-H club was called to order by president, Sally Herriot. We started the knitted project. Secretary of knitting is Lynn Sanders, reporter is Linda Pittock and game leader is Christy Jones.

We received two flags that we ordered. Christy Jones and Susen Head demonstrated cocoa. We played games. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served.

Linda Pittock, Reporter.

Southwest Medford Livestock Club

The January meeting of the Southwest Medford Livestock 4-H club was held at the home of Mrs. Nougier, assistant leader. Business discussed was a 4-H window for 4-H club week. We voted that we begin and end each meeting with a song. We also discussed each person's projects.

Raymond Nougier led the club in games and gave a demonstration on what to look for in candling eggs.

The next meeting will be held at the home of the Sorums. Each member must bring one safety poster which they have made.

Carole Leon, Reporter.

Upper Applegate Grange

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