

NEWS FROM BIG BEND

BY GOLDIE ROBERTS

BIG BEND - David Lodzinski of Idaho Falls arrived Oct. 26 for his wife and children who had been visiting for three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sillons.

Stuart and Kelly Bennett of Kingman Colony spent Oct. 26-27 with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blevins visited Oct. 26 with Mrs. Dean Edwards in Caldwell.

Mrs. Jim Carroll and daughters visited on the evening of Oct. 23 with her grandmother, Mrs. Florence Henderlinder in Nampa. It was Mrs. Henderlinder's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bishop of Caldwell were Oct. 27 afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verl Bishop and Steve.

Ted Avery left on the morning of Oct. 28 to attend a Seed Growers' meeting in Corvallis.

Mmes. Walter Bishop, Phil Clucas, Edythe Prosser and Mr. Denver Edwards attended funeral services on the afternoon of Oct. 25 for Mrs. Eva Robinson at the Roswell Presbyterian church. The deceased was a longtime resident of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins attended an Oct. 22 family birthday dinner for his sister, Mrs. Dan Smith in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGinnis Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Whitten of Joseph, Ore., spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James McGinnis.

Forty-five patrons attended the Oct. 26 Halloween party at the Big Bend hall.

Philip, Bob and Bill Hatch and Mike Mahoney of Bend were recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis and Steve.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith left Oct. 26 to visit relatives in Grants Pass, Ore.

Mrs. Ola Worden and her mother, Mrs. William Kinney left Oct. 26 to make their home in Medicine Lodge, Kans. Elmer

Wood has purchased their property here.

Nancy and Bradley Kadel of Caldwell spent a recent weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hobbs and daughter left Oct. 26 for their home at Longview, Wash., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cartwright and other relatives.

Mrs. Edythe Prosser, Mrs. Dyre Roberts, Mrs. Jim Sheehan and Margaret called on the evening of Oct. 25 to visit with Mrs. Florence Henderlinder in Nampa.

Mrs. Ernest Seuell and Mrs. Beatrice Coons visited in Nyssa with Mrs. Peggy Murphy of Nyssa and Mrs. Lucile Midyett of Hale, Mo., on the afternoon of Oct. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greene of La Grande spent a recent weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Avery.

Mrs. Verl Bishop attended a recent meeting of the Malheur County Homemakers' Advisory committee at the home of Mrs. Coralee Williams in Juntura.

Mr. and Mrs. Varner Hopkins had as dinner guests on Oct. 27, the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Mordhorst of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van De-water.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Richardson of Vallejo, Calif., visited last week with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Delno Brock of Sunset Valley, Carol Brock of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts were Oct. 27 dinner guests of Mrs. Edythe Prosser. The occasion honored the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Jim Sheehan.

Norman Nelson of Seattle spent a recent weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson.

Gay Morinaka, a student at Eastern Oregon college in La Grande spent a recent weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morinaka.

NEWELL HEIGHTS ITEMS

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NEWELL HEIGHTS - Mrs. Howard Fenn and girls were Oct. 27 afternoon visitors in the home of Mrs. Carl Fenn.

Mrs. Grace Day of Adrian was an Oct. 27 dinner guest of Mrs. Dale Witt.

Dale Holden of Coos Bay had been visiting cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Borge and hunting pheasants in the area. He left Oct. 25 for Burns where he planned to hunt ducks and geese.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eilers and Peggy Sue moved Oct. 27 to the Jake Borge home. He will continue farming the Borge ranch next year.

Recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb included her son, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Butler, Lea and Shad of Oregon City.

Mrs. Bob Webb entertained with a birthday party on Oct. 20 for Mrs. Bill Webb. Among guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Butler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stam and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb and Bob Webb.

Hunters who visited recently in the Bill Webb home included Dick Stam and friends, Lyman and Ken Barker of Ashland, Ore.

Mrs. Mary McConnell and Mrs. Blanche Weeks of Nyssa went to the Rollo Fenn home on the evening of Oct. 21 to visit with their hunter-guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jones of McMinnville; Mr. and Mrs. Art Ferguson of Depoe Bay left Oct. 22 for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parsons left for Portland the following Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rust of Nyssa visited on the afternoon of Oct. 22 with the Rollo Fenns.

Mrs. John A. Stewart and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Erban Keyser of Buhl spent Oct. 27 visiting the former's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Krieger and family.

Among those from this area who attended a Presbyterian meeting last week in Boise were Lillian Fahrenbruch, Evelyn McKinley, Marie Moore and Eleanor Topliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Hill, Lee and Terri; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stam and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Phifer were all guests in the Kenneth Price home following the Oct. 25 Adrian-Wilder football game.

Mrs. Marie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Al Azar were Oct. 22 luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. I. Peterson in Adrian.

Oct. 23 evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Piercy were Mr. and Mrs. Al Azar, Mrs. Marie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston.

Oct. 24 afternoon visitors at the Mervil Hutchinson home in Payette were Evelyn McKinley, Verlie Johnston, Marie Moore and Lore Ann Azar.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Farr recently spent several days visiting their daughters and families in Utah. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Gale Allred, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dahl and Marilyn Farr, who is a student at Brigham Young university in Provo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Farr were Oct. 27 afternoon visitors in the Jay Gibson home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Franks of Redmond visited on the afternoon of Oct. 27 in the M. L. Judd residence.

Mrs. Boots Howe of Bend arrived Oct. 21 to visit Mrs. Thelma Hammon and to do some pheasant hunting. She returned home the following Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goldsmith and Patty, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rieves and family of Eugene arrived Oct. 20 and had their campers parked on the Hammon property. They spent a week pheasant hunting in the area. Both men are on the police force at Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz went to Boise Oct. 23 and visited until the following Friday with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Eunice McLaughlin. They also visited an aunt, Mrs. Ethel Stafford in the Idaho capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stringham of Farmington, Utah; and his father, Roland Stringham of Bountiful, Utah, arrived Oct. 25 and were weekend guests of their sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chamberlain and family. They also visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schulthies, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Strawn and Mrs. Dale Witt.

They left Oct. 28 for their home. The Bob Stringhams are former residents of this area.

PERSONALS

Don Harrington of Long Beach, Calif. arrived Oct. 26 for a week's visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miner.

Mr. and Mrs. Muri Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Mel Ingebrigtzen; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rettig attended an Oct. 26 evening birthday dinner club meeting at the Harry Anderson home in Payette.

SAMPLE BALLOT

FOR PRECINCT

Malheur County, Oregon, November 5, 1968

Mark (X) in the square between the number and name of each Group or Candidate voted for; and to vote on a Constitutional Amendment, Measure or Question, Mark (X) in the voting square after the word "YES" or after the word "NO".

NATIONAL

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT, AND ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT. Vote for One Group

(To vote for President, for Vice President, and for Electors of President and Vice President, make a cross (X) inside the voting square between the number and the group containing the names of your choice for President and Vice President. Your ballot so marked will be counted as one vote for each of the six candidates for presidential electors to support your choice for President and Vice President.)

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

101 ☐ For President, HUBERT H. HUMPHREY. For Vice President, EDMUND MUSKIE. For Democratic Presidential Electors: Mrs. Margaret Hensley; Don Reed; Mrs. Nellie Ripper; William Way; James Weaver; Mrs. B. Hughel Wilkins.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

102 ☐ For President, RICHARD M. NIXON. For Vice President, SPIRO T. AGNEW. For Republican Presidential Electors: Irving Enna; Bert Keith; Mrs. Theodore Shay; Mrs. John Venator; Gordon Wood; Mrs. Frederic W. Young.

INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES

103 ☐ For President, GEORGE C. WALLACE. For Vice President, S. MARVIN GRIFFIN. For Independent Presidential Electors: Flora Mae Croft; Allegra Doane; Robert P. Kendall; Wesley M. Kent; Ray Ridge; Vernon E. Schroeder.

NATIONAL

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR. Vote for One

104 ☐ WAYNE MORSE Democrat

105 ☐ ROBERT W. PACKWOOD Republican

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Baker, Crook, Deschutes, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Sherman, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco and Wheeler Counties. Vote for One

106 ☐ MARV ROOT Republican

107 ☐ AL ULLMAN Democrat

STATE

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE. Vote for One

108 ☐ CLAY MYERS Republican

109 ☐ GEORGE VAN HOOMISSEN Democrat

FOR STATE TREASURER. Vote for One

110 ☐ ANCEL S. PAGE Republican

111 ☐ ROBERT W. STRAUB Democrat

FOR STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL. Vote for One

112 ☐ LEE JOHNSON Republican

113 ☐ ROBERT Y. THORNTON Democrat

FOR STATE SENATOR, SIXTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Baker, Grant, Harney and Malheur Counties. Vote for One

114 ☐ ANTHONY YTURRI Republican

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

Harney and Malheur Counties. Vote for One

115 ☐ ROBERT F. SMITH Republican

COUNTY

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Vote for One

116 ☐ HENRY ESPLIN Republican

117 ☐ JACOB FISCHER Democrat

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR. Vote for One

118 ☐ FRED E. BURGESS Republican

119 ☐ JOHN KOOPMAN Democrat

FOR COUNTY SHERIFF. Vote for One

120 ☐ ROBERT G. INGRAM Democrat

FOR COUNTY TREASURER. Vote for One

121 ☐ JEAN "PAT" BOND Republican

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No. _____

To Be Torn Off By Clerk

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Submitted to Voters of the State at Large

Vote YES or NO. Mark (X) in the Square for the Answer Voted For

Referred to the People by the Legislative Assembly

1 **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT BROADENING VETERANS' LOAN ELIGIBILITY** — Purpose: Article XI-A amended authorizing farm and home loans to Oregon Veterans with 210 days of active duty service, part of which service occurred after January 31, 1955, or discharged for disability. Application to be made within 20 years after leaving service. World War II cutoff date changed from December 31, 1946 to July 25, 1947. World War II and Korean veterans qualify where part of 90 days service occur within war dates. Yes ☐
No ☐

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL EFFECTS: An estimated 60,000 additional Veterans would be made eligible for Oregon Veterans' farm and home loans upon passage of this amendment, and an approximate 9,000 each year thereafter. To meet the loan needs of this new group, additional bonds would have to be sold in the amount of \$3,500,000 prior to June 30, 1969, and \$10,000,000 for the following two-year period. This money, plus interest, would be repaid by the Veterans borrowers, so there would be no cost to the State or the taxpayers.

2 **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT FOR REMOVAL OF JUDGES** — Purpose: Empowers legislature to provide procedure for Supreme Court to remove judge of any court from office for: Yes ☐
No ☐

(a) Conviction in any state or federal court of a crime punishable as felony or which involves moral turpitude; or

(b) Wilful misconduct in a judicial office, involving moral turpitude; or

(c) Wilful or persistent failure to perform judicial duties; or

(d) Habitual drunkenness or illegal use of narcotic drugs. Amendment's removal procedure and Article II, section 18, recall provision, made exclusive.

3 **EMPOWERING LEGISLATURE TO EXTEND OCEAN BOUNDARIES** — Purpose: Amends Article XVI, Oregon Constitution. Permits legislature to extend state's seaward boundaries or jurisdiction under authority of laws heretofore or hereafter enacted by Congress of United States. Yes ☐
No ☐

4 **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT BROADENING COUNTY DEBT LIMITATION** — Purpose: Broadens present county constitutional debt limitation so as to authorize agreements to purchase or lease real property for a period not to exceed 10 years. Agreements entered into by a county must be made pursuant to law and for a public purpose. Yes ☐
No ☐

5 **GOVERNMENT CONSOLIDATION CITY-COUNTY OVER 300,000** — Purpose: Amends Section 2a, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution. This amendment would provide for the consolidation of city-county governments in counties having a city with more than 300,000 inhabitants. The Legislative Assembly is to provide by law the manner of consolidating the government so that it may function under one set of officers. Incorporation to be made under general laws providing for municipalities. Nonconsolidation provisions of constitution are still applicable to cities and counties. Yes ☐
No ☐

Proposed by Initiative Petition

6 **BOND ISSUE TO ACQUIRE OCEAN BEACHES** — Purpose: Constitutional amendment confirming existing public rights to ocean beaches and accesses. Authorizes state acquisition of privately-owned beaches bordering Pacific Ocean from extreme low tide to natural vegetation line, and accesses. Authorizes at any one time not to exceed \$30,000,000 state general obligation bonds for acquisition. Prohibits construction of highways on beaches and ocean sand spits. Imposes for four years one cent per gallon tax on fuel for private passenger motor vehicles to retire bonds. Yes ☐
No ☐

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL EFFECTS: The proposed amendment authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds by the Legislature in amounts up to \$30 million at any one time, plus the interest payable on such indebtedness. Such bonds, if retired, could be re-issued for the purposes of the amendment. The amendment further provides that a 1c per gallon increased passenger vehicle fuel tax be levied for four years with the proceeds dedicated to retirement of the bonds and interest. State revenues from this source are estimated to be \$41.5 million for the four year period. Additional revenues to the State would accrue from the interest earned on these funds between the time of their collection and the time of their application in payment of principal and interest on the bonds.

7 **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT CHANGING PROPERTY TAX LIMITATION** — Purpose: Repeals 6% limitation. Limits property taxes to 1 1/2% market value. Exempts: Yes ☐
No ☐

(1) Existing bonded indebtedness;

(2) levies approved in November by majority equaling 20% of registered voters.

ESTIMATE OF FINANCIAL EFFECTS: If the voters approve this proposed constitutional amendment, the State Tax Commission estimates that property taxes levied locally by counties, cities, school districts and special districts such as rural fire protection districts would be reduced by about \$150 million in the first year of its effect.

The State would then automatically collect at least \$6,500,000 more after the first year from personal income taxes, corporation excise taxes and other taxes. This gain in State revenues would result primarily from: (1) smaller deductions for property taxes on itemized income tax returns of homeowners; and (2) smaller property tax deductions on business and commercial property owners' income tax returns.

The administrative costs to carry out this proposed amendment cannot be determined until enabling legislation is enacted.

Oregon law limits this statement to the effect of this proposed amendment on State government finance.

NON-PARTISAN BALLOT

Mark (X) in the Square Between the Number and Name of Each Candidate Voted For

Candidates for Non-Partisan Offices

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. Vote for One

201 ☐ WALTER BLAKE. "Outstanding teacher-administrator. Will accomplish needed changes for better education."

202 ☐ DALE PARNELL. "Retain Parnell, he's qualified, incumbent."

OFFICIAL JUDICIARY BALLOT

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, POSITION NO. 1. Vote for One

203 ☐ WM. M. McALLISTER. "Re-elect Justice McAllister, an experienced, capable and impartial judge."

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, POSITION NO. 6. Vote for One

204 ☐ ARNO H. DENECKE. "Re-elect Justice Denecke. Present Supreme Court Justice. Capable, Impartial."