

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

By Rep. D.E. (Denny) Jones

This is the 19th legislative report from Rep. Denny Jones. The new Revenue Committee has been holding their regular scheduled meetings. I visited with two members of the committee and was informed that they would be coming out next week with a proposal for the rest of us to work on. I think the general feeling is that they will up the basic school support money to at least 40% and possibly up to 50%. They are undecided at this time just what to do about the homestead exemption—perhaps it may be along the lines of what is already on the books, with some possible changes. There is a possibility also that farm machinery may be included as inventory and phased out under the existing inventory schedule.

From Monday's calendar of bills on final passage I will go through and list a few of the bills that passed or failed that I think would be of interest to you. HOUSE BILL 2478, which passed, would allow the Oregon Liquor Control Commission to issue licenses for wine to be purchased for large groups such as conventions, fairs, picnics, et. These are one-day licenses. HOUSE BILL 2697, which failed, would prohibit prisoners in county or city jails from being assigned to public work projects outside jails. There was a motion to reconsider on this bill, which passed, so this bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee. HB 2972, which passed, allows county clerks to raise their recording fees.

On Tuesday the big hassle that day was on HB 2282, the very unpopular, at least in our part of the state, all-terrain vehicle bill. This bill passed by just the required number of votes on Tuesday—31 aye votes—with lots of discussion on this. I spoke in opposition to it. This is going to be real hard to administer—it is bound to cause a lot of trouble. Though I am not opposed to some regulations, I think this is trying to go too far. The bill was re-

considered on Wednesday, but it also passed again.

In the regular Agriculture Committee meeting last Tuesday we gave a report on the progress of the Tansy Ragwort weed budget. There had been a request in for a million dollars for research on Tansy Ragwort and what can be done with it. It's spreading real rapidly in Western Oregon and causing great losses in cattle and horses and some sheep who would die after eating this weed. We recommended that we give \$212,000 as a fund to study how the weed can be controlled.

SENATE BILL 117 was also considered in committee. This is a bill to allow counties to create control areas for various problems such as weeds and insects, primarily insects. It was set aside to do a little more work on the amendments. HOUSE BILL 3196 was voted out "do pass". This is a bill deleting the provision that allows the state to pay a bounty on seals at the mouth of the Columbia River, which is the only place it applies to. In the last two years the Federal government passed a law to prohibit the paying of bounty on seals. The purpose of this bill is compliance with Federal law so that Federal funds would not be withheld for the Fish Commission budget. HOUSE BILL 3055 was considered. This is the Soil & Water Conservation Commission bill that is real controversial as far as farmers are concerned because there are no goals or guidelines set out in it, and there is a possibility that it might be real tough to comply with some of the things in this bill. There was a motion to hold it over and assign it to the interim committee for a study in the hopes that maybe it could be ironed out to where it would be workable. Then it could come back to the next legislature. SENATE BILL 265 was voted out "do pass" as amended. This is a bill to allow private fish hatcheries to be established at the coast and in the mouths of some of the rivers there. There was a feeling that maybe there

Kingman Kolony

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KINGMAN KOLONI — Mr. and Mrs. Carl Piercy's weekend guests were her mother, Mrs. Joe Louk, her brother, Jim and her sister, Mrs. Richard Sheer, all of Idaho Falls, Idaho. They came Friday and stayed to attend the graduation exercises at the Adrian School Sunday evening. Guests in the Carl Piercy home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arden Atkinson, Parma; Mr. and Mrs. Monty Spelman, Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Corn, Ted Morinaka and Mrs. Bill Toombs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Corn were also guests in the Carl Piercy home after the graduation exercises Sunday evening.

Willis Conant's father, Jerry Conant of Orleans, Nebraska died Sunday, May 13. Willis accompanied his two sisters and a brother-in-law on a trip to Nebraska, Monday. They returned home Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conant helped on the ranch while he was gone the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Laan were among those who attended the graduation exercises at the

Adrian School Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Laan took Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam on the Malheur County "Top Op" tour Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Kygar, Mrs. Buster Talbot and Mrs. Thomas Duncan attended the TOPS convention in Pendleton, Thursday and Friday.

Gus Silliones spent the weekend with Jay Kygar. Sunday the Earl Kygars and guest were dinner guests in the Tom Duncan home in Ontario.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar called on LaVone Culbertson who recently returned from Nampa Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon (Louise) Slippy and Lee of La Grande came Friday evening to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Walters in Nyssa. Sunday they were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Campbell and family. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell and Erika and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cutler and Noel, Doris, Dennis and Talch. The group attended the graduation exercises in Adrian Sunday evening. Connie Campbell is a member of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowers are keeping Marvin Wright of Boise while his parents Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright have gone on a ten-day business trip to Hawaii. They left on Thursday.

Mrs. Myron Osborn and Sandra visited her father, J. E. Clearley of Emmett in the Caldwell Hospital Saturday. They moved him out of intensive care Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Osborn and family attended the graduation exercises at Adrian School Sunday evening. Mark Osborn was one of the graduating class.

Steve and Kip Ervin and Ben Conklin spent the weekend along the coast at Coos Bay, returning home Monday May 14.

Robert and Mary Radford and family of Nyssa are moving on the Pete Franks place in Kingman Kolony.

Mrs. Joe Edens was a Wednesday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ervin.

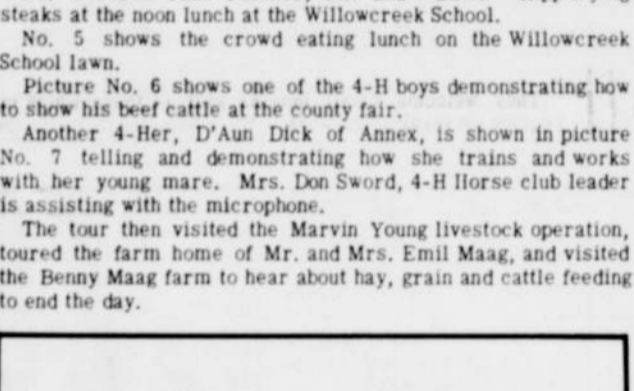
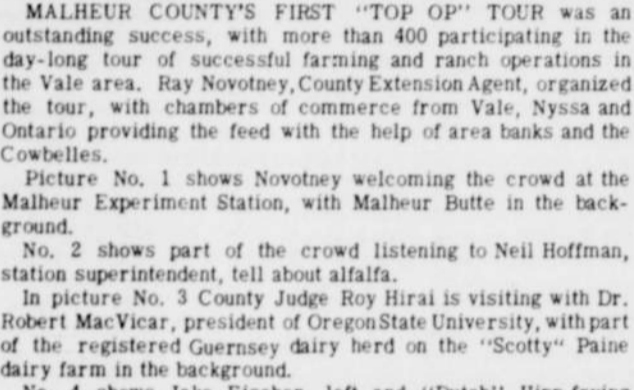
Mrs. Mary Anker of Big Bend and Mrs. Dale Witt were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Begeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes and family went fishing at the Owyhee Dam Sunday. They report fishing was poor.

should be a limit put on, which the committee did include—a limit of four hatcheries for the biennium. Then it would be up for review again at the next legislature. SENATE BILL 476 is a meat inspection bill and had some other regulations in it. This is to upgrade the state's portion of the meat inspection process, and we voted it out of committee "do pass".

The new chairman of the Consumer and Business Affairs Committee really has a load. This is new to him, and there is a backlog of bills which have to be heard and some action taken on them. He's got a real job to try to get these bills brought up to date. I have a couple of bills in this committee that will be brought out in the near future. One is the electric line pole bill which will allow us to charge out-of-state electric companies that buy electricity from Bonneville power a fee for transporting this energy over the government owned lines.

Malheur County "Top op" Tour



MALHEUR COUNTY'S FIRST "TOP OP" TOUR was an outstanding success, with more than 400 participating in the day-long tour of successful farming and ranch operations in the Vale area. Ray Novotney, County Extension Agent, organized the tour, with chambers of commerce from Vale, Nyssa and Ontario providing the feed with the help of area banks and the Cowbells.

Picture No. 1 shows Novotney welcoming the crowd at the Malheur Experiment Station, with Malheur Butte in the background.

No. 2 shows part of the crowd listening to Neil Hoffman, station superintendent, tell about alfalfa.

In picture No. 3 County Judge Roy Hirai is visiting with Dr. Robert MacVicar, president of Oregon State University, with part of the registered Guernsey dairy herd on the "Scotty" Paine dairy farm in the background.

No. 4 shows Jake Fischer, left and "Dutch" Hipp frying steaks at the noon lunch at the Willowcreek School.

No. 5 shows the crowd eating lunch on the Willowcreek School lawn.

Picture No. 6 shows one of the 4-H boys demonstrating how to show his beef cattle at the county fair.

Another 4-Her, D'Aun Dick of Annex, is shown in picture No. 7 telling and demonstrating how she trains and works with her young mare. Mrs. Don Sword, 4-H Horse club leader is assisting with the microphone.

The tour then visited the Marvin Young livestock operation, toured the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Maag, and visited the Benny Maag farm to hear about hay, grain and cattle feeding to end the day.

STEAM WAY CARPET CLEANING

Skeet Rowe
Owner

The name in this section that people have come to trust is Steam Way Carpet Cleaning at the Lindsay Soft Water office in Ontario, phone 889-5405. Steam Way is well known for fast efficient and economical method of carpet care.

The authors of this 1973 Review suggest Steam Way Carpet Cleaning for professional service—it's guaranteed.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY

Bud Anderson

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Jim Hysell
Owner

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Jim Hysell Pumps is fully equipped to repair all types of pumps and pumping equipment. Call 473-2020 for more information.

SPUDNIK EQUIPMENT CO.

Ralph Walsh
Manager

Spudnik Equipment Co., located at North 16th Ave. in Caldwell, phone 459-6511, manufactures the popular SPUDNIK potato loader, SPUDNIK potato handling equipment and SPUDNIK pliers, potato handling equipment.

SPUDNIK equipment has stood the test for years. It can be depended upon to give the maximum service per dollar invested.

They are noted for square dealings and will stand up to the job. Drop in and see the new models. Here "Potatoes are handled like Babies."

FANGEN FLORAL

Bob & Betty Hopkins
Owners



Fangen Floral located West of Nyssa on Route 1, phone 372-3437, offers a complete floral line and Greenhouse bedding plants will be available soon.

They feature flowers for every occasion. They have established themselves as leaders in floral originality and as such, constantly strive to provide Nyssa and surrounding area residents, highly distinctive floral displays.

Fangen Floral is glad to accept your floral order by mail or telephone if you are unable to stop in person. They can be depended on to select and deliver beautifully arranged flowers or plants that express your message in an appropriate manner.

NOAH BASS UNION OIL CO. DISTRIBUTOR

Noah Bass Union 76 Service is located at 304 Main in Nyssa, phone 372-3145.

This is a modern, up-to-date service station where you will find the employees courteous and accommodating. They feature the well-known UNION 76 products. Every type of automotive service is available including brake work, tune-ups, shocks, and electric repairs.

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Mike O'Brian - Owner

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John Dority - Owner

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Robert Sheets - Manager

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When you buy home and auto supplies, be sure to get the best at reasonable prices at D & B Supply Co.

The writers of this 1973 Review offer our commendation to this store.



UNITED STATES STEEL FARM SERVICE CENTER

Jack Schweikart - Manager

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United States Steel Farm Service Center has made it a point to study the latest products on the market and carries in stock a complete line of fertilizers and chemicals.