



MANCEL BISHOP, MASTER OF GOLDEN RULE LODGE #147 Nyssa, is pictured with Grand Master of Masons of Oregon, Frank Coumont, at his official visitation to District #9 last Saturday in Vale.

JUNIOR FICTION

The Perilous Guard - Elizabeth Marie Pope - In this book, the author tells a compelling and breathtaking story, as Miss Pope's story unfolds, readers find themselves in the hands of a master storyteller, an author who knows well the prehistoric lore on which her story is based, and knows too, the secrets of the human heart.

The Sky Dog - Brinton Turkle - The author's simple text and delicate, haunting illustrations capture the magic of the beach on a day when it is possible to believe that a sky dog might become a real one.

The True Story of Smokey the Bear - Margaret Wise Brown - In the Spring a bunny came down the road. He was going to find a home of his own. A home for a bunny, a home of his own. Where would a bunny find a home?

Secretary Of State Candidate Visits Nyssa

State Senator Blaine Whipple (D-Washington County) brought his campaign for Oregon Secretary of State to Malheur County Monday with appearances in Nyssa, Vale and Ontario.



Sen. Blaine Whipple

Senator Whipple, principal sponsor and architect of the bill requiring lending institutions to pay interest on the monthly mortgage tax reserve payments, is also known for leading the fight to repeal the unconstitutional criminal records act. Because of his work, Oregonians still have access to all public records.

The Senator's slogan in his campaign is "Government Should Either Help Us or Leave Us Alone." He maintains Oregonians want accountability from government and as the state's chief auditor, he pledges a constant review of the effectiveness of government operations.

"Like each of us, Oregon counties and cities are

fighting the battle of higher costs and not enough money. Therefore, making your government accountable and getting full measure out of each tax dollar will be my goal as Secretary of State."

Senator Whipple also expresses concern about government by administrative rules, about the increasing tendency of agencies and bureaus to regulate our lives, acting as prosecutor, judge and jury as they administer the very rules they created.

He pointed out that in the 2-year period 1974-1975, 1,300 administrative rules were imposed on the people of the state. That's 1.57 rules for every law the legislature passed last session. While acknowledging many of them were necessary, Sen. Whipple said he would work to make certain the people were informed 'before' the rules were adopted. "With input from the people who are to be affected by the proposed rules, we may discover many of them are unnecessary, and at the very least, we should wind up with more reasonable rules," he said.

Sen. Whipple is married and has one daughter and two sons. He is completing his 10th year as a school board member and his eighth year as Oregon's Democratic National Committeeman. He is President of Whipple Development Corp., earned a masters degree from the U. of Oregon and is a Navy veteran of the Korean War. He is 46 years old.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Cancer is the common foe of all mankind and will strike 675,000 Americans this year, and

WHEREAS, Many forms of cancer are curable if detected early and treated properly, and

WHEREAS, One of three who now get cancer is being cured, but at least half of those who get cancer could and should be saved by early diagnosis and prompt treatment, and

WHEREAS, The American Cancer Society, in addition to support of vital research, alerts the public to cancer's warning signals, and conducts other programs of public and professional education, and

WHEREAS, Many cancers can be prevented, such as lung cancers, mainly caused by cigarette smoking, and most skin cancers, caused by frequent exposure to direct sunlight, and

WHEREAS, The medical profession is kept informed by the American Cancer

Society of the latest advances in the treatment of cancer, and nurses are informed how best to care for cancer patients, and

WHEREAS The American Cancer Society provides useful and compassionate aid to women who have had breast surgery, through its Reach To Recovery Program, and conducts other rehabilitation programs seeking to improve the quality of survival, and

WHEREAS, April is Cancer Control Month, by Presidential Proclamation and Congressional Resolution,

Therefore, Be It Resolved—that all residents of this county be urged to support educational and fund raising efforts of the American Cancer Society as part of Cancer Control Month in April.

Done under my hand this first day of April in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Six.

Roy Hirai
County Judge
County of Malheur



MR. KRAUSE DAY was held at the Primary School last Thursday, honoring their custodian, Virgil Krause.

In the top photo Mr. Krause is demonstrating his kite-flying ability, and later all the kids tried out their kites,

and a few actually flew.

This was a nice tribute to the man who "keeps their school clean," and posters throughout the school were drawn by the youngsters honoring Krause.

ADULT FICTION

Shotgun - James Clavell - This story is in two volumes, and the setting is Japan in the year 1600. Mr. Clavell provides a spellbinding depiction of a nation seething with medieval world violence and intrigue, as it moves from ancient to modern world.

Skate - Jon Appleby - This is the story of Skate Williams, known to his friends as "the hermit". This parable-like tale of love and hate and of understanding and misunderstanding that alternately unite and separate human beings is written with deceptive simplicity.

Shake Hands Forever - Ruth Rendell - Whoever strangled Angela Hathall with a gold necklace had been neat about it. A woman's scarred fingerprint was the only piece of evidence Chief Inspector Wexford had to work with. Once again Ruth Rendell combines an ingenious plot with strong psychological suspense to deliver a chilling tale of people caught up in the old-fashioned business of murder.

The Last One Left - John D. MacDonald - Crissy Harkinson knew all about the cash that has left the Gold coast of Florida, headed for the Bahamas on board a pleasure boat. It was Texas money - unrecorded, intended as a bribe. And there was enough of it to change a dozen lives. Or end them....

Judge Dorroh Attends Judicial Conference

Interpretation of statutes, communication with juries and recent Supreme Court opinions about evidence are among the educational programs prepared for more than 100 Oregon judges who will attend the annual meeting of Oregon Judicial Conference in Eugene April 15-17.

The Judicial Conference, established by state law, studies and makes recommendations on the operation and administration of Oregon courts. It consists of all judges of the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Tax Court, Circuit Courts and District Courts.

Chief Justice Kenneth J. O'Connell, chairman of the

Judicial Conference, will formally open the session at 9:30 a.m., Thursday, April 15. However, this will be preceded on Wednesday by an all-day workshop for probate judges and staff and an all-day meeting of the Uniform Jury Instructions Committee.

One of the committee reports will be made by Circuit Judge Jeff D. Dorroh as chairman of the Court Reporting Committee.

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