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Dated march 15, 1952

BURDICK ASKS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TRIBAL COUNCIL

Last Thursday, Rep. Usher L. Burdick (R-ND) introduced a Resolution requesting the Secretary of the Interior to make an investigation into the business affairs of the Fort Berthold Tribal Council. According to the resolution as reported, some Indians are complaining that the Tribal Council has:

1. Expended tribal funds in an unauthorized manner and in amounts not justified.

2. Withheld funds due some Indians from payments made by the government to compensate for flooding of Indian lands by the Garrison Dam.

knowledge and consent of the individuals affected.

4. Shown favoritism in making loans to Indians from tribal funds.

5. Refused to give some Indians information with respect to their mineral rights on lands taken over by the government.

Tribal Council members interviewed stated that the accusations were "false and foolish", but that the investigation would be "welcomed, because it would give us a chance to put an end to the rumors and wrong information that has been passed around on this reservation", and that "it's just too bad that the tribe has to spend a lot of their money to pay for the investigation; should make those guys pay."

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We now have a Kooler, so whenever you're in Town and want to enjoy a good cold glass of POP, -H ere is the place you can get it.

You can also come in and enjoy playing a game of Whist while having a good Hot cup of Coffee. "Thank You" from the Junior Class (from THE WARRIOR, March 3, 1952) The Junior Class wishes to thank the

following merchants for contributing very generously to their Bingo Party:

Halliday-Wassum's Hardware, Mel's Recreation, Eddy's Recreation, Gerhart Motor Sales Co., Red and White, Swenson's Hardware, Hanewald and Weigum, and Halliday Drug;

Garrison--Garrison Drug, McCray and Benshoof, Garrison Bakery, Andersgard, Coast to Coast, Haugen's Jewelry, Bayer Brothers, Variety Store;

Parshall--Coast to Coast, Cooper Mercantile, Richerson's Store, Parshall Gas Co., Andersgard & Co., Parshall Implement Co., Farmers Union, Rexall Drug, Ulrich Mercantile, Super Value Store, A & B Refrigeration Co., Ford Garage, Philco Electric Co., Butler Jewelers, Chevrolet Garage;

Raub--Liebel's Store:

Elbowoods-Lee's Recreation, Red and White, Ted's Store, Guimont's store. M. C. Reporter

The Annual Reservation Grade Tournament (from THE WARRIOR, March 3, 1952)

The annual reservation grade tournament was held here at Elbowoods on February 7, 1952 with schools from different districts of the reservation participating. The children from the different schools were divided into three separate groups, A, B, and C. The girls also played in this same order.

The winner in each group was as follows: Boys "A" Nishu, "B" Shell Creek, "C" Nishu. In girls play: "A" Elbowoods, "B" Shell Creek, "C" ELbowoods.

There was a very large crowd on hand for all the games.

Evan Burr Reporter

The Dickinson Experiment Station found that in a long time average, wheat yielded on fallowed ground 21.6 bushels per acre when started on June 1, and only 17.6 bushels per acre when started July 1. Wheat planted after small grain only yield an average of 13 bushels per acre.

