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Campaign financing of The 44th Washington State Legislature, 1974-1975.

by **JOLENE UNSOELD** Foreword by Marvin B. Durning



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Assumptions Underlying This Report:

1. The 2000 hours spent on its preparation were insufficient to insure total accuracy.
2. More hours would have eliminated some of these errors.
3. Total accuracy is unattainable due to confusion of original records and discrepancies between the reports made by contributors and recipients.
4. Accuracy over-all is estimated as within 1%.

So, with sincere apologies for those embarrassing errors which I am sure have been inadvertently included—and with a keen awareness of the sheer gall required to offer such a report to the public at all—I submit it to you as at least a first approximation of the kind of summary which must be produced in the future if Initiative 276 is eventually to do the job for which it was designed.

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12 D. in Senate '74 election
8 were actively supported
or not opposed by U.F.W.
66.6%
4 were actively opposed

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60 Demos in House '74 election

43 actively supported
71.6% of caucus
opposed by U.F.W.
15 actively opposed

Demo group blasts 'immorality' of 'purchase' of Senate leadership

By ERIK LACITIS

The liberal Metropolitan Democratic Club yesterday said it viewed with "shame and anger" the "immorality" it said took place in the "purchase" of the

THE DEMOCRATIC club said all the senators in that caucus who voted for Mardesich should be censured "for partaking in this scheme for selling the leadership."

ceived from his late law associate, Archie Baker.

The government Baker, in turn, \$80,000 from Sea-F Household

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Wining And Dining And Utility Bill

BY DEAN KATZ

OLYMPIA — (AP) — A bill that almost certainly would boost electricity rates and telephone rates was passed by a legislative committee, most of whose members received money, food, or liquor in private utility companies. The chairman of the State Utilities Transportation Commission (TSC) said the bill was approved by the Senate and House.

Big Business And Olympia

BY MIKE LAYTON
P-I Olympia Bureau

OLYMPIA — Contributors to United for Washington, the big business political fund-raiser, have been told that the \$90,987 they gave to legislative candi-

COMMENT/OPINION Legislation for Sale

Although Senator August Mardesich was found not guilty charges that he extorted \$10,000 in 1971, and did not report money as taxable income, most people will agree with comment of visiting U.S. Judge Charles Renfrew, who Mardesich after the verdict was rendered: "Mr. Mardesich are a very fortunate man. There was sufficient evidence record on which a jury could have found you guilty counts." Watergate on national level, it is sickening t in our own state. It is another for the young, wh

Mardesich Testifies:

'\$10,000 Put in a Box'

BY WALTER

Evans campaign got \$2,500 from state officia

OLYMPIA — (UPI) — er officials appointed by chairman of the State Gov- tee action, Dolliver imme- Dolliver's revelations that near, former state revenue health-services Gov. Dan Evans' campaign Evans. government Committee. diately drafted a letter to most of the state, which

