REP. A BREY DIRLAM 14th district—Redwood county

Rep. Aubrey Dirlam is probably the legislature's most effective champion for im-

proved roads. He has been on every study committee that ever examined the problem, helped write the proposed constitutional amendment on distribution of highway-user taxes



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and was on the interim commission readying legislation to implement the amendment.

Dirlam hasn't neglected other legislative assignments during his house stretch that dates back to 1941. He was chairman of the house agriculture in the 1953 session, last to be controlled by the conservatives, and two years ago retained his position on it as well as the committees on highways, public institutions, taxes and university.

In the coming session, Dirlam will be the conservative minority assistant leader, or "whip," a post giving him considerable voice in conduct of minority business. He was elected to the job in November. Mrls 5167

Dirlam has farmed in Redwood county since his family moved there from Iowa when he was six years old. He has served in a variety of local posts, with agricultural groups and his township and school boards.

He and his wife, Hazelle, belong to the Methodist church. They are the parents of Gordon, 6, and Kenneth, 3.

Between Nov. 1956 Jan. 1957