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age is reported, crews are dispatched to patrol lines and check substations and begin the restoration process. They work to restore power to the greatest number of people as quickly as possible through first clearing transmission lines that serve hundreds of substations.

Then, if necessary, the crews restore power to substations that convert high-voltage power to levels people can safely use at home.

Another priority is restoring power where it is needed most such as hospitals, police and fire stations. In the next phase of restoration, crews work to restore power to concentrated areas through distribution and tap lines.

Distribution lines travel from the substations to neighborhoods and serve between 1,000 and 3,000 customers. Tap lines then feed into pockets of 20 to 30 homes. Lastly, crews restore power to individual homes and businesses, a task that usually takes the longest.

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MEGAN CLARKE

Seven FFA members from I.V. attend national convention

Megan Clarke of Cave Junction was one of seven Illinois Valley High school students who attended the 2002 National Future Farmers of America Convention in Louisville, Ky.

The convention, Oct. 30 through Nov. 1, was attended by more than 50,000 people.

"We went to career shows," said Clarke. "Toyota and Chevy were there to show us their products. Colleges

were there to advertise their schools.

"We went to a Tennessee Walking Horse farm and saw the invitro fertilization process. There were sessions where we learned the history of FFA."

Others attending the convention from IVHS were Kaylah Arnett, Leslie Ballard, Casey Taylor, Lisa Crammrine, Aaron Gilkey, and Jessica Mason.

OSU sets research fund records

Total research funding, as well as income from "technology transfer" programs at Oregon State University (OSU) in Corvallis set new records during the latest fiscal year, said OSU.

It reflects a continued growth in university research activities and the new products, companies, jobs and business they help to generate.

During fiscal 2001-02, OSU had more than \$159 million in funded research programs, up nearly 10 percent from the prior year, and approximately \$13 million more than the previous record set in 1999, the university said.

During the same period, OSU's Technology Transfer Program, which works to identify, patent and license to

private industry the products of university research, also had a record \$1.25 million income from licensing efforts.

The technology transfer programs, in particular, reflect two decades of work to more closely coordinate the work of university researchers with the needs and interests of private industry. These efforts are now beginning to show significant benefits.

During the past five years, officials say, more licensing agreements have been signed than in the previous 15 years, and 21 start-up companies have evolved from OSU research since it began its tech transfer programs in 1980.

"OSU's contributions to Oregon's economy go far beyond student education and

addressing the work force requirements for the state," said Rich Holdren, OSU vice pro- vicer for research. "The research generates significant economic value for the state, but also helps provide the skills and perspective to lead the economic revolution our region is experiencing.

"By getting students involved in discovery, they learn how new ideas are generated, and they learn how to translate those ideas into practical, usable, and commercially viable enterprises."

OSU is helping the state build on its traditional strengths in the natural resource areas, Holdren said, in addition to other programs vital to the Oregon's growth, such as high technology, sustainability, and human health.



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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3
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A Look Back This Week

On December 1, 1660, the British Parliament passed the First Navigation Act, regulating colonial commerce to suit English needs ... November 30, 1782, a preliminary agreement wherein England recognized the U.S. as independent was signed in Paris ... December 2, 1823, President James Monroe enunciated his Monroe Doctrine which opposed European intervention in the Americas ... November 29, 1916, the U.S. established a military government in the Dominican Republic ... November 26, 1950, in response to U.N. military action, China sent troops across its border ... December 1, 1955, Rosa Parks, a black woman, refused to give her seat to a white man on a bus in Montgomery, Ala. ... November 30, 1993, President Bill Clinton signed the Brady Bill, a major gun-control measure, into law ... November 28, 1995, the Federal speed limit of 55 miles-per-hour was repealed ... December 1, 1998, Exxon Corp. announced that it planned to buy Mobil Corp. and thus create the world's largest company as measured by revenue ... November 26, 1999, the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service released Elian Gonzalez, a 5-year-old Cuban boy whose mother had drowned while trying to get them to the U.S., to relatives living in Florida ... November 28, 1999, Cuba's Foreign Ministry said that Elian Gonzalez's father, Juan Miguel Gonzalez, contended that the boy's mother, from whom he was divorced, had kidnapped the child ... November 29, 1999, as trade talks opened at the 135-nation World Trade Organization's meeting in Seattle, 2,000 people marched through downtown Seattle in protest ... December 1, 1999, the British Parliament completed legislative action that permitted the transfer of power in Northern Ireland from Britain to a new provincial government.

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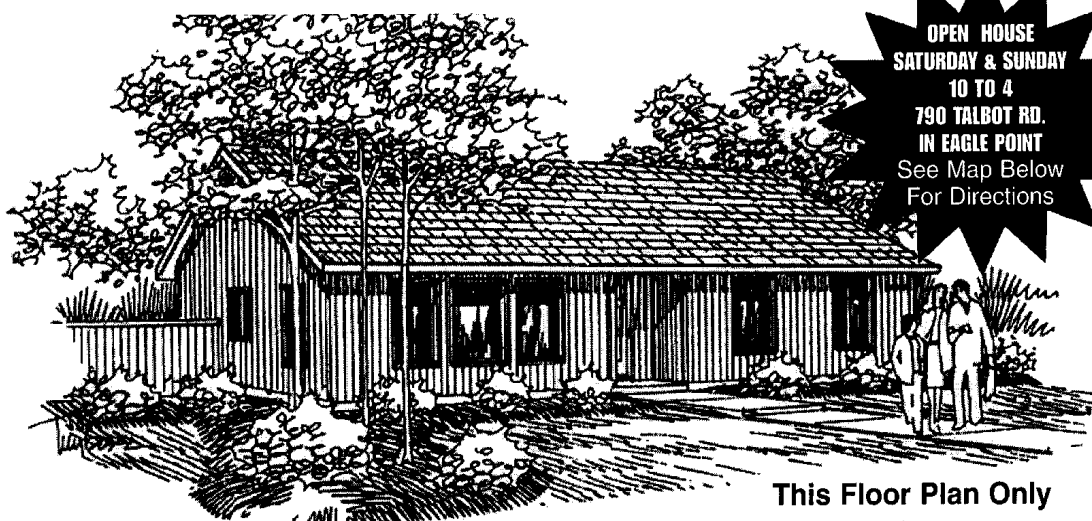
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