

Weather Stays Hot At Boardman, Fires Numerous

By MARY LEE MARLOW

The weekend brought warmer temperatures here again, with the maximum Saturday up to 97, and Sunday's going over the 100 mark again. 102 was reported in town, and 99 out on the project. Monday's maximum was held down to 96 by light winds. The heat still continues to be added to by grass fires. Twice last week railroad maintenance crews were called out to put out fires on the railroad right of way. Thursday there was a fire about three miles west of Boardman and Saturday afternoon a fire was put out at Willows station below Heppner Junction. Both the Boardman city fire truck and the Arlington truck were at the scene. The Umatilla Ordnance Depot fire truck came to Boardman to stand by while the city truck was gone.

The dates for the North Morrow county fair have been set for Sept 11-13.

The Mobile X-ray Unit will be in Boardman Tuesday, Aug 19, at the Hitchin' Post cafe from 3 to 7 pm. Free chest X-rays will be given to all persons 21 years of age and over. Persons under 21 who are contacts or have

known positive tuberculin skin tests will also be given free X-rays.

Tuberculosis cases in Oregon are now occurring chiefly in the 40 to 60 age groups. Since an X-ray survey is an expensive service, the Oregon State Board of Health requests that persons under 21 have a tuberculin skin test from either their family doctor or from the Health Department. Then, if they have a positive skin test, they will be X-rayed.

A chest X-ray is the most effective method of finding early tuberculosis. It will also find other chest disorders such as tumors, lung cancer and certain heart conditions. Your report is confidential. It is sent only to you, your doctor and the Health Department. A chest X-ray at the Mobile Unit takes only a half minute of your time. No undressing is necessary.

The survey in Boardman is sponsored by the Tillicum club, the Morrow county Health Department, the Morrow County TB and Health Association, Morrow County Physicians, and the Oregon State Board of Health. Members of the Tillicum club

are acting as clerks and hostesses the day of the survey. They will also baby-sit, or will furnish transportation, if you will call. Call either Mrs Joe Tatone at Hunter 1-2575, or Mrs Dewey West at Hunter 1-2625.

Keith Tannehill has received his discharge from the U S army, after two years of service, the last sixteen and a half months being in Korea. He landed at Seattle, Wash July 26, and received his discharge at Fort Lewis, Wash. He and Mrs Tannehill have been visiting the past week at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Tannehill. They left Monday to spend a few days at Wallowa Lake. They will also visit at the home of Tannehill's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Don Tannehill, in LaGrande. August 20 Tannehill will return to his former position with the Pacific Supply Co-operative in Portland.

Mr and Mrs Warren Dillon and children Jim and Debbie visited Dillon's parents, Mr and Mrs Charlie Dillon, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Jack Getz, from Thursday through Sunday. They are moving from Coeur D'Alene, Ida to Dodson, Oregon.

Mr and Mrs Earl Briggs went to Portland over the weekend to take Briggs' sister, Mrs Edith Reed, home after she visited the past week here. They stayed overnight at the home of Mrs Briggs' brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs C C Carnegie, and returned home by way of their summer cabin at Wildwood.

Mr and Mrs Vern Wilkie and daughter, Barbara of Mattawa, Wash were visitors at the home of Mrs Wilkie's uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Zearl Gillespie, from Saturday till Monday.

Mr and Mrs Adolph Skoubo attended the annual Boardman Old-timers' picnic at Benson state park near Multnomah Falls Sunday. Mrs Jim Howell of Provo, Utah, former resident here, returned home with them to visit this week.

Mr and Mrs Elvin Ely and daughter, Eileen went to Emigrant state park at Meacham Sunday where they met their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Eldon Lilly and family of LaGrande, for a picnic. Jay Lilly returned home with his parents after visiting his grandparents for a week.

Visitors last week at the home of Mr and Mrs Don Downey were Downey's parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Downey of Prosser, Wash, and his aunt, Mrs Howard Mason and sons Davy and Danny of Lodge Grass, Mont.

Mr and Mrs Marion Morlan and daughters, Nancy, Cindy and Andy spent the weekend at Vancouver, Wash, visiting Mrs Morlan's parents, Mr and Mrs Earl Yoder.

Mr and Mrs Darrell Marlow visited at the home of Marlow's cousin, Mr and Mrs Danny Ransier, at Stanfield Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ed Skoubo and children Davy and Janelle spent the weekend in Portland.

Mrs Mike Cassidy and son Pete and daughter Rose of Walla Walla, Wash have returned home from a trip to Tekoa, Wash, where they visited Cassidy's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Ivan Ellwart, and to Spokane, Wash, where they visited Mr and Mrs Fred Baxter, friends Mrs Cassidy had not seen for about 40 years.

Mr and Mrs Claud Worden went to Baker Sunday where they met Mr and Mrs Dallas Forthman and Wanda Forthman, and Mr and Mrs Charles Forthman and family for a picnic. Mrs Dallas Forthman and daughter Cathy returned home with them to visit.

Mrs Florence Root was a guest in Arlington Sunday at the home

of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Al Macomber, and also visited with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Arthur Mefford and son Bobbie, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Max Deweese of Grandview, Wash, who were visiting there. Overnight visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Seth Russell Saturday were Mr and Mrs Delbert Walpole and three children of Tillamook.

Mr and Mrs David Brown and daughter Linda of San Francisco, Calif have been visiting the past week at the home of Mrs Brown's father, Vet Conyers. Saturday they were dinner guests at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Seth Russell.

Mrs Earl Briggs was hostess for the Ladies Aid society of Community church Wednesday of last week at her home, with Mrs Ruth Lyons as co-hostess. There were 15 members present. Guests were Mrs Bessie Woods of Yamhill, Mrs Edith Reed of Portland, and Mrs Walter Hayes. Mrs Elvin Ely was in charge of the devotional program. The ladies voted to have a booth at the North Morrow county fair here Sept 11-13. Mrs Claud Worden was appointed chairman to be in charge of making the booth.

Mrs Seth Russell accompanied her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Vernon Russell, to The Dalles Saturday evening to the home of another son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Dale Russell. Sunday Mr and Mrs Vernon Russell attended a reunion of the Cople family at Blue Lake in Portland, and Mrs Russell and Mr and Mrs Dale Russell went on a huckleberry excursion on Mt Adams. Mrs Vernon Russell remained in The Dalles this week to visit at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs George Cople.

Mrs Allen Ely and Mrs Elvin Ely attended the wedding of Mrs Allen Ely's brother, Eugene Osborne, and Maryland Sherman in Hermiston Saturday. Visitors at the home of Mr and

PP&L Completing Work on Power "Step-Up" in Area

Work is being completed by Pacific Power & Light company crews on a power transmission line project which will strengthen the Heppner power supply and improve electric service to Pacific customers in the area, according to J R Huffman, local manager.

PP&L is converting its 15-mile transmission line between Heppner and Jordan from 22,000 to 66,000 volts at a cost of more than \$40,000. At Jordan the line ties into a 66,000-volt circuit running from the company's substation at Hermiston.

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have been made on the line and work is now under way on various equipment installations at the Heppner substation.

He pointed out that PP&L line-men worked the line project "hot" in order to avoid service interruptions to customers. By using special insulated tools designated for safe handling of "hot" wires, the crews made the

conductor and insulator changes without interrupting service. Huffman also reported that Pacific crews are in the final stages of an important distribution voltage conversion project in the lone area. Power lines serving the community are being raised from 2,400 to 12,000 volts.

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