

# Well to Provide Water For New Cubing Plant

By MARY LEE MARLOW

**BOARDMAN** — The Port of Morrow Commission has leased an abandoned well from the U. S. Corps of Engineers and has agreed to install a water main to the L. M. Docken Co. who is constructing an alfalfa cubing plant in the industrial Park being developed by the Port. The line would also serve other tenants in the nine waterfront industrial tracts of the Park on the Columbia River.

In other action at a meeting last week policy procedures were established for nuclear power siting and the irrigation use of the coolant water.

A lease was agreed upon for a concrete batch plant for a five year period with Shockman Concrete Inc. of Hermiston. An agreement was reached with Henry Gantenbein, vice-president of the Boardman Industrial Development Corporation, to sell 15 acres of Port land along the Union Pacific Railroad to the developers.

Communications on the proposed navy move were discussed by the commission. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Seehafer were hosts for the annual picnic of Greenfield Grange Sunday afternoon at their home. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ball, Mrs. Glen Carpenter, Mrs. Rollin Bishop, Mrs. William Bates and daughter Stacy, Mrs. Hazel Miller, Mrs. Frank Marlow, Mrs. Winifred Morgan, Jack McEntire, and Tracy, Shannon and Janet Essex.

Spec/5 James A. Hoffman has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hoffman, after completing 21 months of service at Rose Barracks in Bad Kreuznach, Germany, with the 8th Infantry Division, being a TAB equipment repairman. He received the army commendation medal. Mrs. Hoffman and son Timothy, who was born in Germany, went to Bedford, England, before coming home to visit her brother, Jerry Franke, who is stationed there with the Air Force. She then came to Olaj, Calif. to visit her grandfather, Hubert Reinartz, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Stevens, before joining her husband here. Hoffman received his discharge at Fort Dix, N. J. June 11 before coming to the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Meyer and children Jack, Jeff and Tina have returned home from a two week's vacation trip to Billings, Mont., and Yellowstone Park. June 27-29 they attended a reunion of the Rendo family at the home of Mrs. Meyer's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martratt. Among those attending were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cleary of Albany, N. Y. July 4-6 they attended a tenth year reunion of the 1959 graduating class of Billings Senior High school, of which Mrs. Meyer was a member. The last week of their trip was spent at Yellowstone Park where they visited Mrs. Meyer's uncle, H. E. Rendo, who is fire marshal at the park.

Mrs. Jerry Peck and sons Jimmie, Bobbie and Michael have returned home from a five week's visit in Scottsdale, Ariz., at the home of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Robert Heald. Mrs. Ted Penages and children Michelle and Sharon of Boise, Idaho, visited last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rash, Diane Rash returned home after visiting in Boise.

Tracy, Shannon and Janet Essex of Fair Oaks, Calif., are here for a two week visit at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Seehafer. Other visitors were the Seehafer's nieces, Sally Morgan of Modesto, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Padilla and son Jimmy of McChord Air Force Base. Padilla is just back from Vietnam. Mrs. Padilla and Sally are the daughters of Mrs. Winifred Morgan, who has been spending the summer at the Seehafer home.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shannon were Mrs. Shannon's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Boston, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Christiansen of Spokane, Wash. Others included Shannon's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lilly and daughters Roberta, Jo Lynn and Patricia of Echo. Mrs. Charles Higuera and



HO! HUM! WE WIN AGAIN . . . at least that's the impression the look on young Danny Marshall's face seems to say. As a matter of fact, his team, the Elks-sponsored Braves, did top the Dodgers that night in Willow Creek Little League action. (G-T Photo)

children Karen and Jeffrey of Othello, Wash., were week-end visitors at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bedord. Joyce Lilly of Pendleton is visiting this week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ely. Mrs. Glen Carpenter and nephew Frank La Chance were recent visitors in La Grande at the home of Mrs. Carpenter's sisters, Mrs. Esther Emmons and Eva LaChance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor were hosts for a party Sunday at their home in honor of the second birthday of their son Kevin. Guests included Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Irwin of Hood River; her uncle and aunt and brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and Billy Irwin of Lexington; her grandmother, Mrs. Florence McMillan of Lexington; Willie Moreau of Seattle, Wash.; Algy Taylor and Davene David.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lough of Half Moon Bay, Calif., were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Lough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Smith. Visitors last week at the Smith home were their granddaughters, Mrs. Patty Kidder and children Deana and Jeffrey of Honolulu, Oahu, and Mrs. Maxine Smith and children Robin and Richard of Heppner. The Boardman Tillicum Club will have a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Rod Flug July 16 in honor of the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo Court and their mothers and chaperone. The club met Tuesday night

of last week at the home of Mrs. Ralph Skoubo. Final plans were made for the dance July 19 at Heppner in honor of Princess Rhonda Bellinger, sponsored by the club. There will be no other meeting in July, the next one to be August 12 at the home of Mrs. Ron Daniels with Mrs. Frank Bates co-hostess.

Judy Hinton, Vivian Phillips and Donna Pummel, Riverside High school cheerleaders for next year, are in Portland this week attending a cheerleaders school at Lewis and Clark College. Diane Black, the other cheerleader, was unable to attend. When they finish at the school the girls plan a trip to the coast.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hinton were Hinton's grandmother, Mrs. Effie Murphy of Berwyn, Alta, Canada, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hinton of Ukiah.

**Insect Survey Due On State Forest Lands**  
Staff personnel from the State Forestry Department and the U. S. Forest Service were to begin on Monday, July 7, their annual cooperative aerial survey of insect damage to Oregon's forestlands.

The survey will take approximately a month, according to Insect and Disease Forester Mike Vandehey, and will involve a State Forestry single-engine aircraft and a plane from the U. S. Forest Service, each carrying a pilot and two observers. Up until this year, the survey has been conducted using one plane, he added. One of the main reasons for using two planes is to speed up the survey so its results can be more quickly distributed to the districts.

The survey will cover all forested land in Oregon. It has served since 1950 as an effective means of keeping track of trends in insect population. On a clear day, observers can spot damage up to three miles on either side of the aircraft. By observing the kind of damage that occurs, the species of trees and the ground elevation, the observer can make an educated guess as to the particular culprit responsible for the damage, Vandehey says.

Infested areas are mapped, and maps are provided to the districts and to industry. Vandehey says ground checks are made when observers are not able to identify the insect species from the air, or when a new or large infestation is sighted. "Sometimes we have ground checked where we thought a certain insect was damaging trees and find there were two or three kinds of insects involved," he said.

These surveys serve as a basis for adjusting management plans. For some infestations there are no practical means of control. In this case, Vandehey says, the damaged trees can frequently be salvaged by logging. State Forestry Pilot Bob Franklin says the surveys are flown at elevations of 800 to 1000 feet above the trees and speeds of 120 to 130 miles per hour. This year the state will be zoned into sectors and divided up, part being done by the State and part by the U. S. Forest Service.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Alderman from Santa Rosa, Calif., recently have been her sister, Mrs. Irene Nevis, and her granddaughter, Mrs. Jeanne Childs, who made the trip by plane to attend the annual Lovgren family reunion, held over the July 4 week-end at the mountain cabin of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lovgren.

## Lumber Market Yield Highest in 17-Year Period

Oregon's 1968 log production totaling 9,727,692,000 board feet was an increase of more than 17 percent from last year and is the highest it has been since 1952. This year's increase follows a three-year decline in timber harvest.

The lumber market started to pick up in 1967 and was at a high during the first three months of 1968. Mills were stimulated by increased lumber prices to gear for maximum production. Many ran two shifts. Short mill inventories and high competition for the available timber drove stumpage prices to record highs, but the result was the biggest timber harvest in 16 years.

The Douglas fir region of western Oregon produced some 7,785,739,000 board feet of this past year's volume, while about 1,941,953,000 board feet were grown in the ponderosa pine region of eastern Oregon. This was an increase over last year in western Oregon of some 1,244,353,000 board feet, and 201,578,000 board feet more in eastern Oregon.

Of the 9,727,692,000 board feet harvested by the forest industry in Oregon this past year, some 4,338,456,000 board feet or about 44.5 percent was logged from private lands. Some 3,641,624,000 board feet or about 37.4 percent came from U. S. Forest Service managed national forests and 1,470,290,000 board feet or about 15.1 percent from Bureau of Land Management forests. Of the remaining 3 percent, 172,867,000 board feet was harvested from state, county, and municipal forest lands; and 104,455,000 board feet came from Indian lands.

Douglas county was again the top timber producer in the state for the fourth straight year with a harvest of 1,856,278,000 board feet. For the fourth year also, Lane county has remained second in log production with a harvest of 1,582,433,000 board feet, and Linn county retains the third place with a log production of 702,111,000 board feet. Coos county which has held fourth place for several years dropped during 1968 to eighth place with a log harvest of 380,457,000 board feet.

Jackson county moved up to fourth place and Lincoln county moved to fifth. They had harvests of 551,730,000 board feet and 452,877,000 board feet respectively. Clackamas county jumped from eighth place last year to sixth place this year. The harvest there amounted to 421,632,000 board feet.

In the forests of eastern Oregon, Klamath county remained on top where it has been for seven years with a harvest of 398,490,000 board feet. Lake county switched places with Grant county for second place this year by harvesting 396,131,000 board feet compared with Grant's 236,951,000 for third place.

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## Trail Ride Ends At Johnson Creek

Many of the "regulars" were missing from the annual Wranglers overnight ride because of vacations. A large group of teenage and younger members, accompanied by three adult members made the ride.

Riders started from the Paul Hiler ranch at noon, June 28, heading for the Ebb Hughes' cabin on Johnson creek. It took the horses about one and a half hours to make this part of the trip.

Several exploring trips around the area of the cabin were taken on Sunday. Horse races were held "just for fun" in the spare time.

Turkey dinner on Sunday was open to the public. Among those coming up for it were Mr. and Mrs. Don Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin, Mike Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nelson and Kristin, and their guest, Amund Kvam. The International Farm Youth Exchange student took many pictures and even rode a horse. Meals were cooked and served by Mr. and Mrs. Jack McTimpeny.

Special guests of the Wrangler Club for the trek were Princesses Patti Healy and Sherri O'Brien.

Art Vance was in charge of arrangements for the ride.

## IRRIGON NEWS

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON

Four girls, most of them graduating from Riverside High this year, made a vacation trip into Canada. They were Anita Pummel, Toni Zielinski, Lorrie Peterson, and Karen Gronquist. Karen is a '68 graduate of Pendleton High. The girls all plan to attend college next year.

They visited Anita's uncle, Bob Waters in Kirkland, Wash. Then traveling by car they took the ferry to Sidney, B. C., and on to Victoria, where they stayed at the Empress Hotel for two nights. They crossed on ferry again to Port Angeles, and driving down the Washington coast they crossed the Columbia at Astoria where they stayed over, and on to Portland on their return trip.

The Cemetery Board gave a contract to Slurry Seal, Inc., of Eugene, to blacktop the driveways of the Desert Lawn Memorial Cemetery. Work has begun on this project.

## College Calls Huson

Kay Huson has completed the first week of school at Northwestern Business College in Portland. She has enrolled for a nine month's course in Fashion Merchandising which will end next March. Kay was home to visit her family and attended the kickoff dance.

The Curtis Culp family has returned following a three week vacation trip to McBride, B. C., where they stayed with her father, Floyd Caywood, for a visit, and to Vanderhoof, B. C., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woods.

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