

Blalock Sands Study To Be Made For Building Site Proposal

By MARY LEE MARLOW

BOARDMAN—A large delegation of Morrow County ranchers attended the Port of Morrow regular meeting Thursday night seeking irrigation water for their lands. The Port nuclear siting program was reviewed, as was the private projects and the Bureau of Reclamation South Side Project which is now being initiated.

Ken Turner and David Baker were appointed temporary co-chairmen to organize a county wide irrigation development committee to coordinate promotional activities.

The Port Commission has asked the State Department of Geology to examine the sands of Blalock Island to determine if the material meets the specifications of the National Homes Corporation Ytong pre-molded home process.

Bids will be asked for printing 4,000 copies of a map of the West Waterfront Industrial Park dock sites and Morrow County's district tax data to be released to the 3,000 holders of the Port of Morrow brochure across the nation.

The commission discussed the Attorney General's opinion for pumping regular irrigation water and reviewed engineering company's interest in a water grid to cool a nuclear plant.

Awards for Saddle Bronc Rider
Harry Noble, NRA champion saddle bronc rider, received several awards at a recent NRA convention and awards banquet

held in The Dalles. He was awarded a saddle, buckle, pair of Tony Lama boots, a gift certificate from the Pendleton Grain Growers, and a gift certificate from Al Berg of Berg Bros., both of Hermiston.

This championship is a first for Harry in the NRA. He finished out the season with \$2,263.14 in the only event he enters.

He entered 23 rodeos that were approved by the NRA this season and placed at all of them. It is a pretty good record when you can go home from every rodeo you have entered with a pay check in your pocket.

He also has another record in having ridden every horse to the whistle that he has mounted on this season. He was disqualified on one horse and the rest were marked as qualified rides.

Mrs. Noble and daughters Jody and Jeri accompanied him to the banquet.

School Choirs Named

The Riverside Junior-Senior High School band and choir presented a Christmas program Tuesday night at the school under the leadership of Dennis Surmon, music instructor.

The junior high choir sang "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day," "The Snow Lay On The Ground" and "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas." The high school choir sang "Carol of the Bells," "The Little Drummer Boy," "Sing Gloria," "Mary Had a Baby," "Do You Hear What I Hear," and "Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light" from the "Christmas Oratoria." Pam Kuhn and Donna Pummel presented a duet, "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers," accompanied by Mrs. Albert Partlow. Final selection by the choir was "Silver Bells."

Members of the junior choir are: first soprano, Jody Noble, Danette Leighton, Denise Henkle, Greta LeBlanc, Debbie Grochowski, Kathy Beal, Linda Rayner; second soprano, Pamela Hug, Amy Hilling, Kay Hamilton, Dorena Wilkie, Michelle Graham, Cynthia Matthews, Becky Kauffman, Karen Phillips, Barbara Hilling; altos, Linda Ball, Pam Schmeder, Pat Hamilton, Becky Johnson, Terri Taylor, Peggy Hinkley, Reta Phillips, Nora Pourier.

The high school choir included: first soprano, Pamela Kuhn, Vicky Hobbs, Georgia Hinton, Wanda Jackson, Kathy Ryan; altos, Diane Black, Debbie Abercrombie, Joni Tiller, Robin Brandt, Linda Hoffman; tenor, Donna Pummel, Debbie Walter, Donna Doubledee; bass, Grant Walter, Leon Wilson, Richard Shoemaker.

The junior high band played

"Angels We Have Heard on High", Three Christmas carols—"Away In The Manger", "We Three Kings", "O Come All Ye Faithful", and "Rudolph The Red-Nosed Reindeer." The high school band played "Frosty The Snow Man", two collections of Christmas carols, "The Christmas Party", and a tribute of carols with the audience and choir joining in the singing. The final number on the program was the choir singing "Hallelujah" from "The Messiah" by Handel.

Members of the junior high band include: clarinets, Denise Henkle, Sharon Stewart, Debra

Huwe, Karen Richards, Debra Keith, Neta Phillips; flutes, Edythe Brasel, Mary Dixon; cornets, Jerry Donovan, Don Russell; baritones, Tim Rice, Carl Wiley; trombone, Chris Snyder; saxophones, Sheryl Partlow, Roberta Acock, Pamela Hug, Roberta Scaud and Dale Lindell; percussion, Roger Kestler, Melodie Risley, Jody Noble.

Members of the high school band are: cornets, Jody Tatone, Darrel Pummel, Mike Proctor, Patsy Skoubo, Rob Adams, Steve Acock; clarinets, Ricky Proctor, Kathy Ryan; flutes, Rick Snyder, Joni Tiller, Debbie McCoy,

Diane Rash; trombones, Albert Phillips, Bill Acock, David Richards; baritone, David Franke; saxophone, Ron Baker, Casey Kuhn; baritone saxophone, Frances McDonald; saxophone and bassoon, Tammy Snyder; bass clarinet, Judy Franke; percussion, Darwin Christiansen, Randy Baker, Judy Snyder.

Garden Club Has Party

The annual Christmas party of the Boardman Garden Club, was held Monday night at the home of Mrs. Rollin Bishop. Present from out of town was Mrs. Charles Anderegg of Pen-

dleton. Roll call was answered by naming a tree that could be used for a Christmas tree.

Mrs. Bishop read a story, "Christmas In Birdland—How It All Began"; Mrs. Hazel Miller read the "Legend of the Robin", and Mrs. Frank Marlow read "A Visit From Saint Nicholas" from the Oregon Newsletter.

The date for the district spring convention was tentatively set for April 15. The Boardman Garden Club will be host for the affair.

The evening ended with an exchange of gifts.

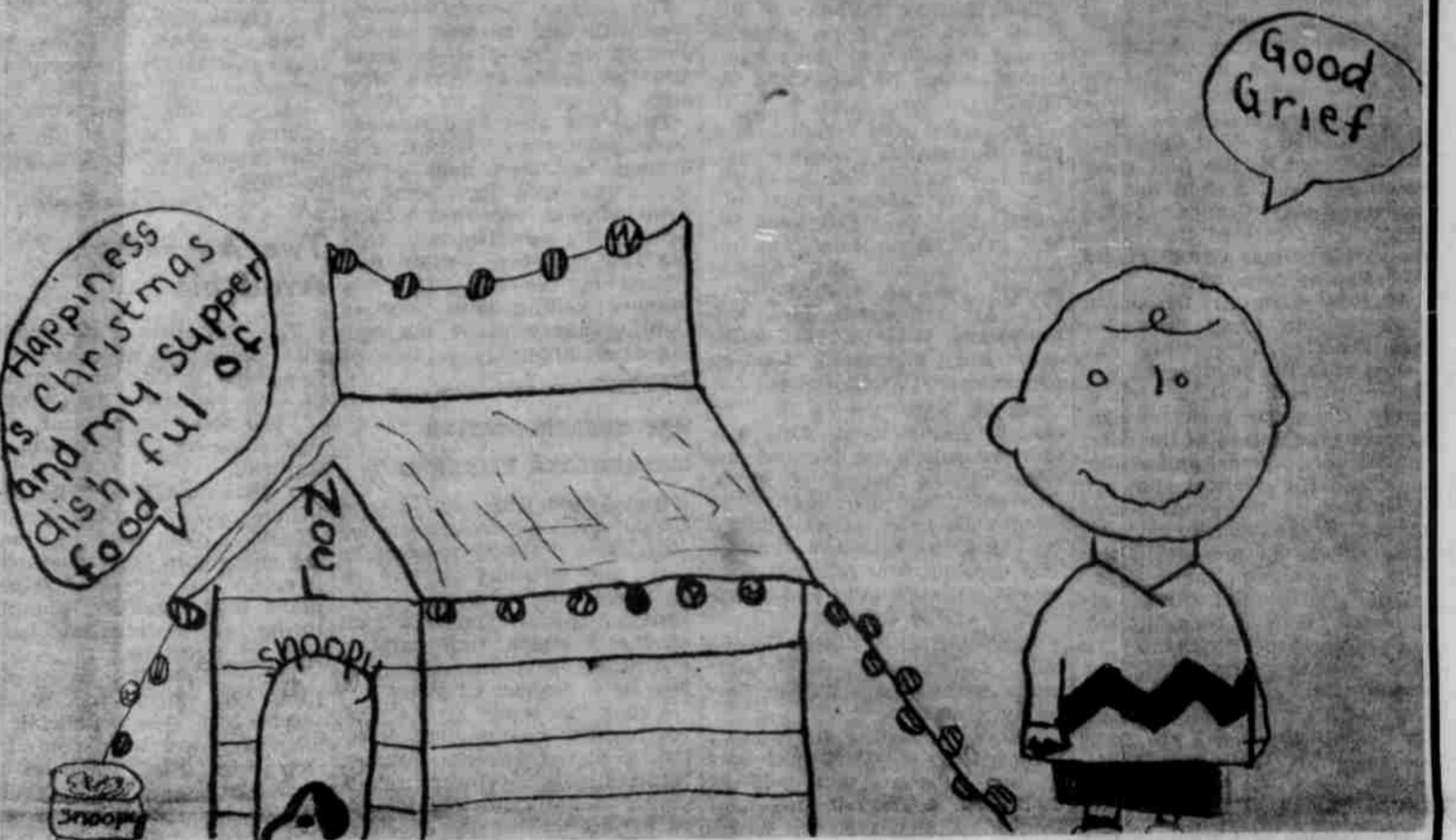


Our sincere thanks—we appreciate the opportunity the season brings to say "Thank You" and to wish you a Merry Christmas.

ELMA'S APPAREL

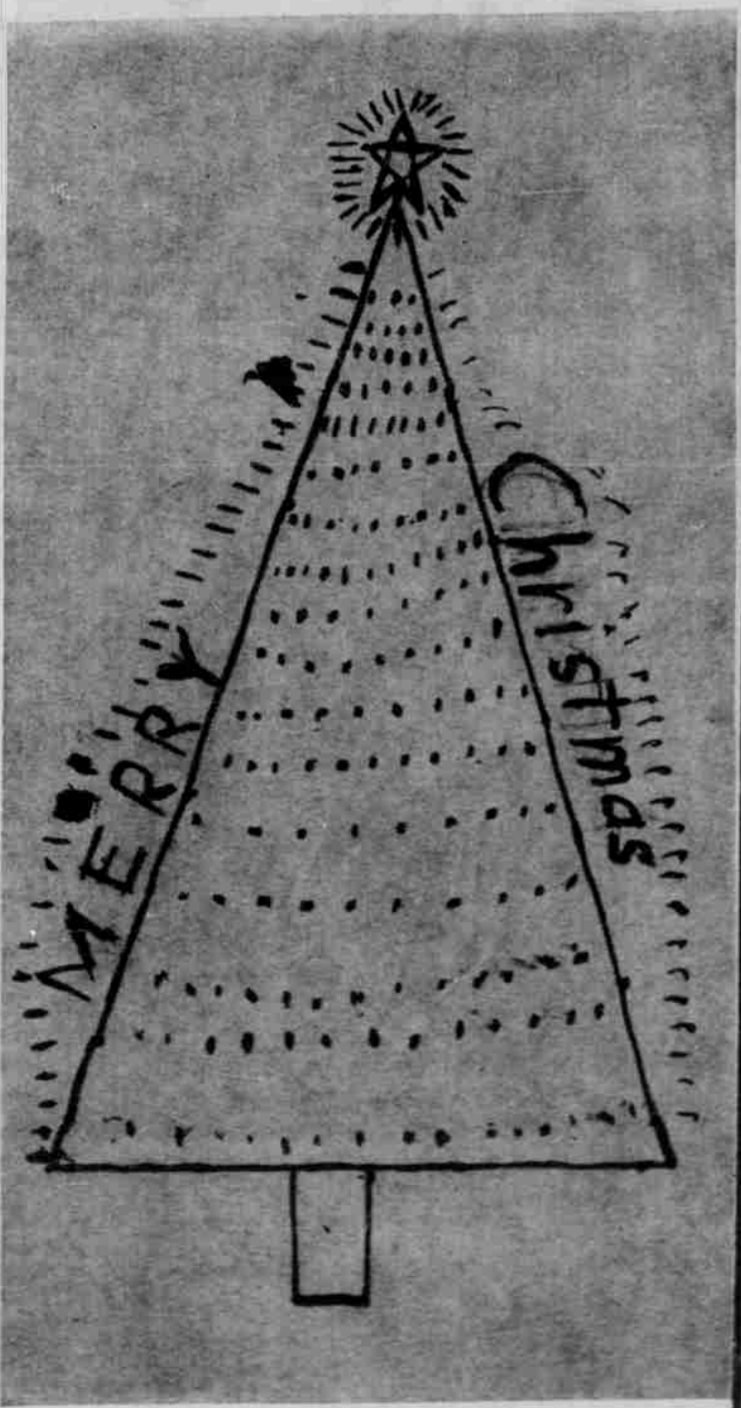
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