

### First graders spread Christmas cheer around Boardman



Photo by Joyce Hensley

First graders from Sam Boardman Elementary, place bells, birds, and stars which they made in class for this special occasion, on the Christmas tree in the Inland Empire Bank in Boardman, then take off a red and white striped candy cane for themselves. Singing Rudolph, Up on the House Top, and We Wish You a Merry Christmas, to other businesses in town, is also on the afternoons agenda for the lively children, after they munch down a Christmas cookie given to them as a treat by the employees of the bank.

### Hit and run suspect arrested in Irrigon

By Joyce Hensley

"It was a dark and stormy night" in Morrow County when a hit and run suspect made the wrong decision, December 2, in choosing to park his 1965 Chevrolet pickup in the middle of the east bound lane of Highway 730 at 8:30 p.m. just outside the city limits of Irrigon, after allegedly colliding with the back of a potato truck on I 84 near mile post 177 at 8 p.m. then leaving the scene.

Jonathan Harry Evans, 26, Route 2 Box 3-B, Echo, was found passed out in the front seat of his truck, lights out and motor shut off, by Irrigon Police Officer Rob Elkins and Chief Steve Mackey upon investigating the vehicle.

After arousing the suspect, he became abusive and was cited for disorderly conduct, driving while suspended, and resisting arrest, according to Chief Mackey.

Before being transferred to Deputy Sheriff Gary Warren's Patrol car

for the trip to the Umatilla police department for an intoxication test, Evans proceeded to kick out the rear window on the drivers side of officer Elkins' patrol car. He was then cited for criminal mischief.

After being offered the intoxication test five times at the Umatilla Police Department and refusing, he was cited for driving under the influence of alcohol, then transported to the Benton County jail by deputy sheriff Warren and officer Elkins where he was lodged, according to Elkins.

December 7, Evans was given a citation for failing to perform the duties of a driver in a motor vehicle accident involving the December 2 incident where Evans allegedly collided with the rear end of a Simplot potato truck, driven by Milton Lee Tate, 1800 N.E. 10, Number 86; Hermiston, then fled the scene, according to the hit and run investigating officer, Trooper Allen Muhs of the Hermiston Oregon State Police Department.

### Outdoor lighting contest held Dec. 20

The Outdoor lighting contest, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce will be judged this Sunday, December 20.

The prizes offered in this contest are for first place, a \$50 gift certificate, second place a \$25 gift certificate, and third place a \$10 gift certificate. These certificates are to

### Tourism committee met Dec. 8, Lundin chairs again

The Tourism Committee met December 8. As there was a lack of nominees, Fred Lundin will continue as chairman.

The committee received a letter from Dominique Monahan, an ex-Heppner resident. He was interested in getting the committee to sponsor a passenger train from Portland to Heppner to celebrate the railroad's 100th birthday in 1988. They decided it was too large a project for this

group at this time. Mr. Monahan also suggested a possible contact for future motel development here and the chamber will be asked to contact him.

Don Cole reported that the Umatilla National Forest has published a draft land and resource management plan, and the plan does not address recreation. He encouraged people to respond to this plan. There are copies available at Don's

office (Heppner Elementary School), the Gazette Times, or USF office.

Fred Lundin reported the Oregon Department of Transportation is reviewing the transportation and is looking for input on January 21 in Salem. Don will attend and carry the concerns of the committee with him.

The next meeting will be held January 19, 1988 at 8 a.m. at Columbia Basin Electric.

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### Jam session held in Irrigon for Cystic Fibrosis victim

By Joyce Hensley

A nine-hour country western jam session was held Sunday for three month-old Corrin Warr, a cystic fibrosis (C.F.) victim.

She won the hearts of the manager and employees at Paul's Inn of the Road, in Irrigon. Her plight stirred them to give an open invitation to bands and musicians to help put on a benefit to raise funds for her family.

Nineteen groups such as Mike Timpy and Company, from The Dalles and Pendleton, with Harlene Patterson doing a tune periodically, and Lita Hildman and her four teenage daughters, the Family Tradition from Tri-Cities; all country western groups, donated their talent for the session. Groups came from Vancouver, Pendleton, and Walla

Walla, to perform with the local talent.

Approximately \$730 was raised, according to Harlene Patterson, bartender for Paul's Inn of the Road, and also coordinator for the benefit. "The community can really be proud of what they did," said Patterson.

The bar proceeds from the 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. time slot, amounting to \$307, were donated by Pharis Timpy, manager, and \$423 came from donations and the raffle, according to Patterson. "People were donating gifts to be raffled off, such as bags of groceries, and hamburgers, even during the raffle," she said. "It was fantastic."

Corrin, daughter of Steve and Annette Warr, Hermiston, and granddaughter of Gale and Darrel Jones, Irrigon had to be flown to Portland because of an intestinal blockage the day after she was born. She was later diagnosed as having C.F.

The expense of therapy, medication, periodic hospitalization, and other medical expenses will cost the family \$10,000 a year.

C.F. is a hereditary disease in which the body produces abnormally thick mucus. The mucus becomes so thick that it forms plugs in many body organs, reducing their ability to work properly.

"It is easy for them to get lung disease," said her father, "that is why many C.F. patients don't make it to adulthood."

"I closed the doors of my business while she was in the hospital, so we could stay with her there in Portland, not knowing how long we would have her," said Warr, who runs his upholstery business in Hermiston. "It really hurt."

Cans have also been placed in several businesses in Irrigon for those who would like to help.

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