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(For those who don't want to drink the water)

It rained and rained by Evan Kramer

The City of Port Orford switched over to drawing water from Garrison Lake on Thursday afternoon at 1:15pm. The change from Hubbard Creek water to Garrison Lake water was caused by last week's rains which increased turbidity to unacceptable levels in the Hubbard Creek water supply. The excess silt in the water was caused by road construction above the reservoir which included shaving the side of a hill exposing a large mass of serpentinite.

The Sixes Grange sponsored a meeting at their hall last Friday night concerning the city of Port Orford's water supply. A large group of citizens attended the meeting. Dean Madison, city manager of Port Orford attended the meeting along with County Commissioner Terry Hanscam and D.E.Q. employee Ruben Kretzschmar.

Madison and Hanseam answered questions during the hour and a half meeting. Madison stated the city determines if the lake water is safe to drink, and that it is safe. He also said he has no problem drinking lake water and is a heavy drinker (of water.) He told the audience that the cost to the city so far been under \$5,000. Members of the audience were vociferous in their desire that the property owner (Bussmann) pay for all the city's costs due to changing water source and any damage to the

reservoir. Madison said the city had hired an engineering firm to do a study of the silt levels in the reservoir now and at a future date. This accounted for the largest share of money the city has spent so far. Someone asked if there was scepage into the lake from the closed county waste site. Dean referred them to the Umpqua test. The last complete testing of Garrison Lake water was done in September, 1992. The test was conducted by Umpqua Research Company of Myrtie Creek, Oregon, The water sample was taken from the now closed Pinchurst Dock. Umpqua tested for heavy metals including arsenic. barium, lead, mercury and selenium. The results showed the lake water levels of these elements at or below EPA standards in every case. Umpqua also tested for organies in the water including endrin, lindane, methoxychor, taxaphen, 2,4-D and 2,4,5-TP (Silvex). I spoke with Dennis Gehrke and Dean on Tuesday afternoon, December 7 and they told me

the city has hired Umpqua Research to do a similar test on lake water immediately. This will cost approximately \$1,800.

The city also had a test conducted by Coast Medical Lab of Coos Bay drawing water from the lake on December 3. Their microbiological analysis indicated an absence of coliforms and fecal coliforms in the water. People at Friday evening's meeting expressed a lot of concern over the contents of the city drinking water and this test is something the people want.

Some of the other things that came out at the meeting were that the Bussmann property is zoned R-2 meaning housing sites can eventually be developed on it. It was stated that the failed septic systems around the lake had been repaired though which specific houses were involved wasn't made clear. The 1989 report that Ruben Kretzschmar referred to at the

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Year's Day. Christmas Eve is the day when many people resolve to do their Christmas shopping early next year.

The Cristmas Tree That Gives by Evan Kramer

Can you believe Christmas is a short two weeks off? I can just hear all the groans from people who aren't ready yet. More gifts to purchase, decisions on who gets what, have to go select a tree, send everything off in time for it to get there.

One of Port Orford's nicer traditions is back with us this year. It's called the Giving Tree and what it is, is two Christmas trees. One is at the Port and Starboard Restaurant and the other is at the Wheelhouse restaurant. Each one has a large number of tabs hanging on it.

The object is to have people pick a tab or tabs and for each one, buy a gift for a child. The tabs will tell you the age and gender of the child. So you take a tab and bring back a gift that goes under the tree by December 19. On that date the gifts will be assembled and then distributed to the young people.

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Goodbye to a Good Guy by Evan Kramer

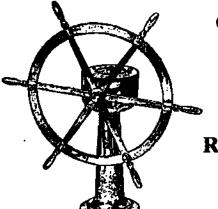
On Saturday evening, December 4, Doyle Greene was killed when he was struck by a car while crossing Highway 42. Doyle had seen a vehicle flip over and go into a ditch while driving to Coquille. He stopped his car and attempted to run across 4 lanes of traffic to aid the occupants of the car which had flipped over when he was struck by another car.

Doyle's funeral was held in Port Orford at the Port Orford First Community Church on Wednesday morning with burial later in Coos Bay. Doyle owned and operated Western Builders Supply in Port Orford along with his wife Edna and his brother-in-law Glenn Robertson.

Thave served with Doyle for the past two and a half years on the Port Orford Rural Fire Board. Doyle had been elected earlier this year to another four year term. His presence on the rural fire board will

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be sorely missed. The board is moving closer to a decision on purchase of a new fire truck and Doyle brought a tremendous amount of working knowledge on heavy trucks to the group. Doyle was a hard worker and very well liked by those who knew him. It says a lot about this man that this accident happened to him while trying to help another person in trouble.

Memorial contributions can be donated to the Doernbecker Children's Hospital located in Portland. They can be made at any branch of Western Bank or locally at the Western Bank in Bandon, P.O. Box 39, Bandon, OR 97411.

We'll miss you Doyle.

Huckleberry's Hints

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The renowned blues band, Samual and the Waders, swing into Port Orford this Friday night, December 10, for a dance concert. They'll play at Pete Lenihan's beautiful Star Theater located on Highway 101 next to Bartlett's restaurant.

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I don't want to meet Kil You of Kansas City, MO but L C. Money in Indianapolis, IN could be fun. I feel sorry for the kidding Mack Love of Gary, IN orFred N. Nerd of Sacramento, CA may have had to endure. The two I'd really like to meet are Tom Cat of Sugar Land, TX or Bob Cat of Chicago IL.

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Letter to the Editor

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It all started when three teenage girls were caught red handed pulling up flowers

by the roots in our yard and throwing them by the side of the road. Since then, one owl statue was taken from our yard and put in a neighbor's front yard, more flowers pulled out by the roots and a Century 21 For Sale sign was uprooted and thrown across the street.

Two weeks ago the owl and one raceoon were stolen. We put a sign, "Hey thief, you forgot me" on the one remaining raceoon. The thieves took the last

remaining raccoon and left a sign, "Got vour raccoon, sucka".

George Armstrong Port Orford

Only during the Christmas season will your neighbor keep you awake till the wee hours with his loud stereo playing, "Silent Night."

You know who really hates Christmas? Just ask any letter carrier!

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Herblock's Law: It it's good, they'll stop making it.

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Woody Allen said that the lion shall lay down with the lamb, but the lamb won't get much sleep. To which add Clopton's Law: For every credibility gap there's a gullibility fill.

The Checkbook Balancer's Law holds that in matters of dispute, the bank's balance is always smaller than yours. But if you think the problem is bad now, Epstein adds, just wait until we've solved

Kramer's law of reading: If you're really interested in your paper, something will



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The City of Port Orford is now taking water from Garrison Lake instead of from Hubbard's Creek, where we normally get our water.

The City was forced into changing to the lake as a water source due to road building upstream from the city property and impoundment on Hubbard's Creek. The road building, plus the recent rains, has made our branch of Hubbard's Creek too muddy to use as a water source.

The water we are now taking from the lake is filtered and treated in our treatment plant and is safe to use. It meets or exceeds all of the state specifications for drinking water.

As soon as we are sure that Hubbard's Creek is stabilized enough to use as a public water supply we will once again take our water from that source.

Bev's Country Crafts

Starting Dec. 6th We will be open

Mon-Sat 10:30am-5:30pm Christmas Eve till 6pm

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Port Orford

Morry Christmas to All

Although not the city's fault we apologize for any inconvenience that this may have caused you.

> Dean Madison City Manager

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maybe there's some tonesome old guy
somewhere who sends out millions of
cards but never gets any back? Well,
whoever is responsible, Happy Holidays
to you! Just remember, if you get your
addresses wrong, the Postal Service will
bring you many happy returns!

We will be Closed Dec. 19 - Jan. 3 Re-open Jan. 4

Season's Areelings Have a happy Holiday!

Jennie's Mexican Cantina

Whale Watching Seminar

This is it! This weekend, Port Orford will be hosting our second whale watching seminar at the Port Orford City Hall council chambers from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. I encourage everyone who wants to learn more about our whales to take advantage of this great opportunity. Families are especially encouraged to come and join the fun. Over 30 people along the South Coast have already signed up. The program will be given by Don Giles. It is sponsored by the Oregon State University Hatfield Marine Science Center, and the Oregon State Parks and Recreation.

Because he insisted that our seminar be free, Giles wasn't given any travel expenses. Do we have a great surprise for him! In true Port Orford fashion, several businesses have generously helped out by hosting Don and his wife. I'd like to extend my deepest appreciation to Joyce Spicer, Alan Mitchell and his "Home By The Sea" bed and breakfast,

The Truculent Oyster, The Wheelhouse, and our new Crazy Norwegian. State Parks has also generously offered to provide the handouts for all who attend. We all owe these people a big "Thank you".

We will be having a lot of fun! We hope to fill the room. Anyone wishing to help with refreshments can call me at 332-3771. Again thank you Port Orford. Hope to see many of you there.

Cheryl Douglass Sixes, Oregon

Sixes Grange Meeting

The Sixes Grange will met on Friday evening, December 10, at 6:30pm at the Grange Hall.

The agenda will include a potluck dinner and a business meeting.

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We will be having a wreath making party on the Friday, December 17, from 1:00-5:00pm in preparation for the Christmas gathering. Anyone interested in coming out to help the Grange Hall with boughs of holly and glitter are encouraged. We ask that if possible, bring along something free of fancy, such as greenery of any and all sort including ribbons, dry flowers, holly, clippers, gloves, small wire, pinecones, cookies, wire cost hangers, Italian lights, tinsel and any other decorative ideas. All that we make at the party will be hung at the Grange for 2 days and then can be taken home with you after the party on Sunday. For more

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De	ute	Hig	h	Low	High	Low
Thu	Dec. 9	7:24am	8.0	1:02am 2.0	8:52pm 5.4	2:39pm -0.1
Fri	Dec. 10	8:14em	8.4	2:01am 2.4	9:58pm 5.7	3:34pm -0.9
Sat	Dec. 11	9:00am	8.7	3:00am 2.6	10:53pm 6.0	4:24pm -1.4
Sun	Dec. 12	9:47am	8.8	3:53am 2.8	11:45pm 6.2	5:13pm -1.7
Mon	Dec. 13	10:36am	8.7	4:45am 2.9	NONE	5:58pm -1.8
Tue	Dec. 14	12:31am	6.3	5:37am 2.9	11:21AM 8.5	6:41pm -1.6
Wed	Dec. 15	1:16am	6.4	6:26am 2.9	12:07pm 8.1	7:24pm -1.2
Thu	Dec. 16	2:02am	6.4	7:17am 3.0	12:52pm 7.5	8:06pm -0.8

Perinatal Program

The Curry County Perinatal Program nears completion of its fourth full year providing clinic, hospital and home care for low income pregnant women and their families. Since the program began in January, 1990 the rate of inadequate prenatal care in Curry County has dropped from 9.3% in 1989 to an exceptional 3.6% in 1992. Coos County's rate of

inadequate care was 8.5% during this same time period. The state averaged 6.1. Statistics for 1993 are not yet available.

The Curry County Perinatal Program totals about 75 births per year and provides prenatal care to more than 100 women yearly. Approximately 200 babies are born to Curry County residents each year.

The Perinatal program is an effective public private partnership of the Health District, County Health Department and private practioners.

Prenatal and postpartum clinics are held at the Health Department with deliveries most often at Curry General Hospital. All clients receive home visits from registered nurses during pregnancy and after the baby arrives as part of Maternity Case Management.

In 1994, perinatal care will continue to be provided by the Health Department and Curry General Hospital staff, Ted Taylor, D.O., Reg Williams, M.D., and Michael O'Gara, D.O., as well as registered dicticians Linda Zia and Bea Nash. Michael McKeown, M.D. From the North Bend Medical Center is the primary obstetric consultant to the perinatal program.

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Curry County Arenacross - Motorcycles - Quads, December 11-12 Curry County Fairgrounds, Gold Beach, OR Call Mike Phillips (503) 247-2697.

Hanukkah: Thu, Dec. 9

Pacific High School Choir will be performing for the Rotary Club Thurs. Dec. 9 at 12:00 Noon at the Senior Center, Port Orford.

Ratneoast Arts Gallery - Langlois, Dec. 12 thru Jan. 12. Showing new works by photographer Wood Sabold.

Regular Non-Weekly Events

Breakfast: 8-1:30pm Sun. Dec. 12 at the Port Orford Senior Center. 332-5771 VFD - RFPD: 7:00pm Tue. Dec. 14 Rural Fire Board meets at Port Orford fire hall. 332-3681

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Regular Weekly Events

AA: 8:00pm every Thursday at Zion Lutheran Church. 332-4381 and at noon every Tuesday at 1403 N. Oregon St. 332-4381

Bingo: 1-3pm every Tuesday at the Gold Beach Senior Center, 247-7506

Bingo: 6:30pm every Wednesday at the Gold Beach Moose Lodge

Bingo: 7:00pm every Thursday at the Port Orford Community Building. (Early Bird Bingo at 6:00pm) 332-3535

Bridge: 12:30pm every Tuesday at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

Fun Night (pool & cards): 7:00-10:00pm every Wednesday at the Gold Beach Senior Center 247-7506

Genealogical Society: 7:00-9:00pm every Thursday at the Port Orford LDS Church. 332-7633 or 332-2495

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Story Hour: 4pm every Wednesday at the Langlois Library 348-2278

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DONNA ROSELIUS

Friday meeting was not available on Tuesday at city hall.

Dean stated he had not been on the property though State Forestry officials have been to the Bussmann property twice including Friday, December 3.

Commissioner Terry Hanseam spoke about the Watershed Protection Council. He said there is 5 million dollars available for south coast basin watersheds. He also said individual cities could form their own watershed protection council. He spoke about a presentation concerning watershed councils that will be held on

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Friday afternoon, December 10 starting at 1:30pm in the Gold Beach Courthouse Annex building. The public (that means us) are invited. This is an excellent opportunity for people concerned about their water supply to get personally involved.

three reporting stations, one located at a point along the reservoir and the other two located where the two forks of Hubbard's Creek flow into the reservoir. On Monday and Tuesday of this week the turbidity level at station 2 (coming from Bussmann property) registered 26. On Wednesday, December 1 it registered

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85. A reading of 4 or higher is already unacceptable. The water flowing into the reservoir looks like chocolate milk at this point.

Toward the end of Friday's meeting it was requested that the city issue press releases informing the people of what is going on with the water situation. Madison said he would make an effort to keep the papers supplied with information. We welcome anything they can provide us with, and will be glad to print it (subject to available space.)

The next meeting of the Port Orford City Council takes place on Monday night, December 13 starting at 7:00pm in the council chambers. Water will be on many of the minds of those in attendance,

One small concern overshadowed by the larger problems is the temporary loss of the Pinehurst dock and boat launch. The dock is a fishing spot for some while for others it is a place to go watch the abundant bird and animal life that makes Garrison Lake such a treat and for some a place to launch their cance or boat. It is one of the very few public access points on the lake and wifl be missed.



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