

## Picture Pages

### A SAFE YEAR:

Workers achieved one year without a first-aid case last week when they completed excavation of the 618-5 Burial Ground. Also included in the safety achievement was excavation of the adjacent 618-4 Burial Ground, which contained 786 drums of depleted uranium



waste. About 35 workers from the Department of Energy, Bechtel Hanford, CH2M HILL Hanford and Eberline Services Hanford, along with remedial-action subcontractor Federal Engineers and Constructors/Thompson Mechanical, have been working at the two sites north of the 300 Area since early 2002. Although 618-5 has been excavated, most of the waste must be sorted and transported to the Environmental Restoration Disposal Facility. All work at the site should be completed by next August.