

**Volunteer Firemen Stage Annual Ball Christmas Night**

For the 69th year the Roseburg Firemen's Association will stage its annual Christmas ball at the Rose Hotel. The ball will be held on Friday, Dec. 21, at 8 p.m. Each year the firemen allocate receipts from the ball to a fund for the purchase of equipment for the department. This year they hope to buy a new resuscitator, equipped with all the latest features. The mechanism will cost around \$775, and firemen expect to fall short of their goal. Last year the ball grossed approximately \$1000, but net receipts were considerably less.

In preceding years, the firemen have purchased a hose drier and furnishings for the club room. The annual banquet is also financed from dance proceeds. Here is what the 31 volunteer firemen provide Roseburg residents in the way of fire protection. When volunteers answer fire alarms they are paid \$1.50 for answering the call. If they are engaged in actual fire fighting, they are paid \$2.50, regardless of time spent.



Wally Heider

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**License Plates' Re-Use Planned To Save Metals**

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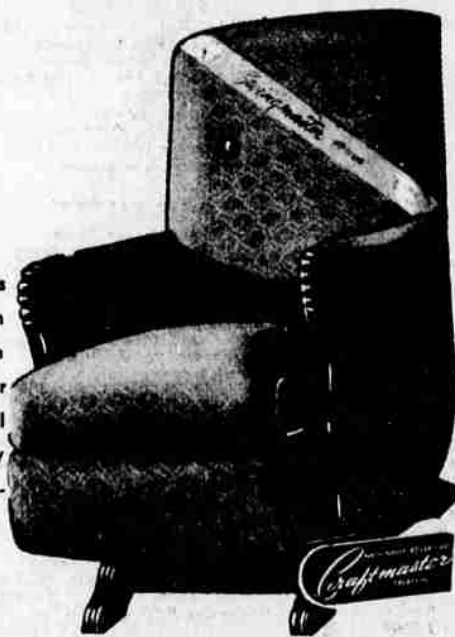
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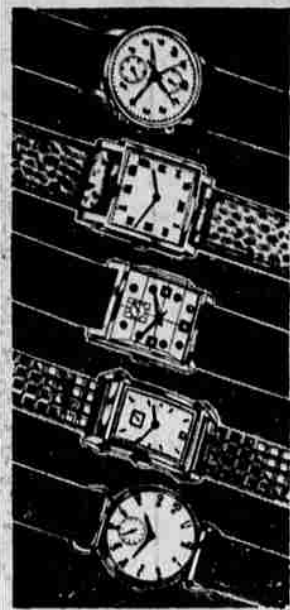
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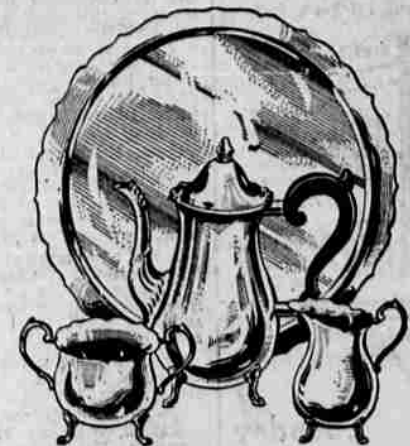
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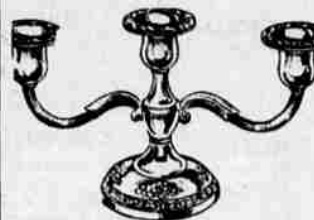


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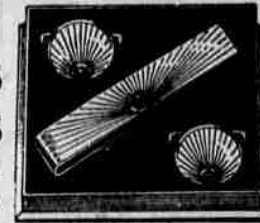
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