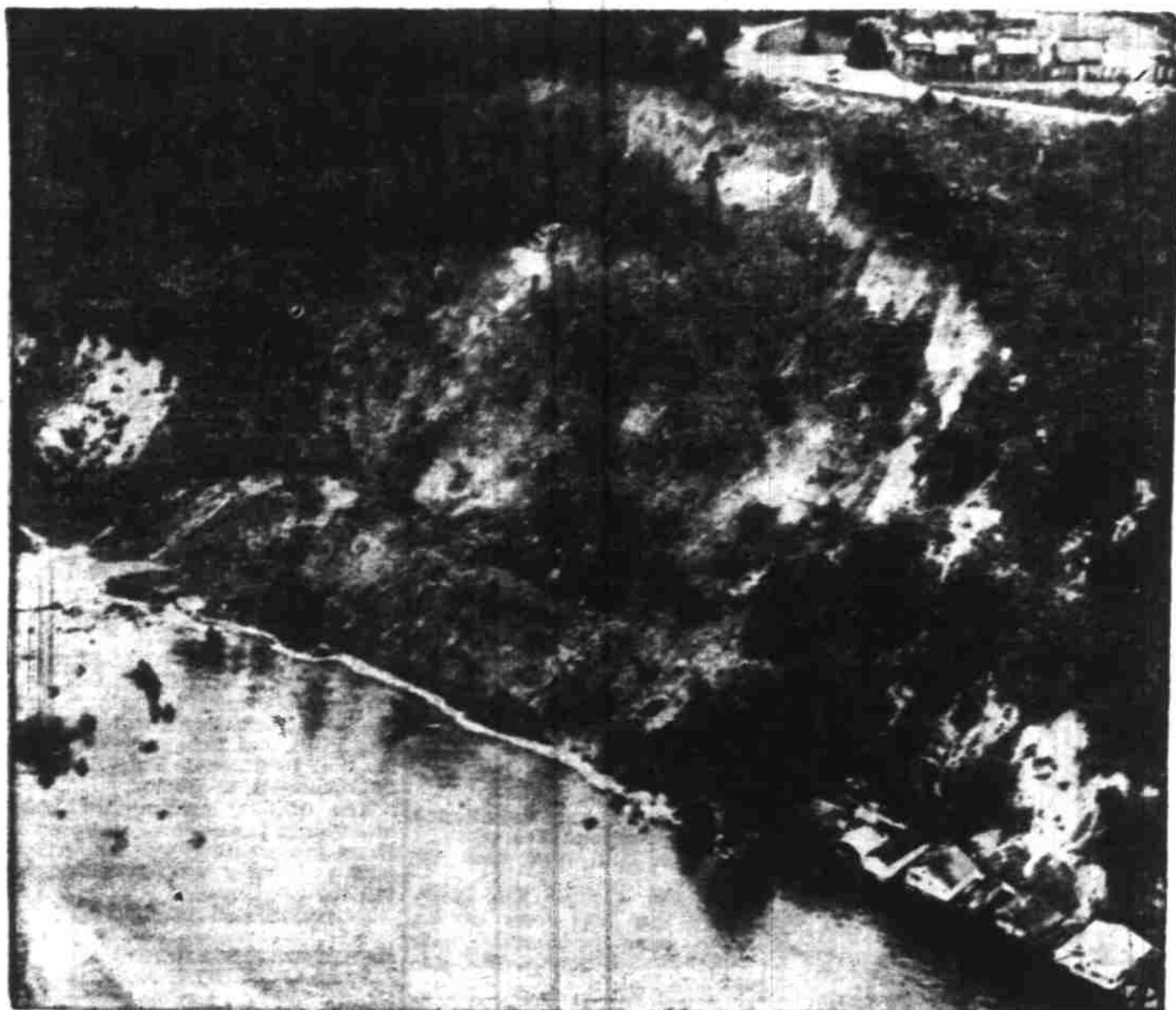


## Slide Threatens Tacoma Beach Colony



TACOMA, April 18—This air view shows where a cliff roared some 400 feet into Puget sound Saturday, barely missing the edge of Salmon Beach (right) beach community at Tacoma, Wash. A heavy earthquake three days previous was blamed for the slide. Old Fort Nisqually, historic landmark (upper right) is close to the edge of slide. Trees protrude from what was 100-foot deep water. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

## Amity Mayor Lights New Vapor Lights

By Mrs. H. V. Newby  
Statesman Amity Correspondent  
AMITY—More than 1,000 residents and guests watched Amity become a brighter city Friday night when 17 newly-installed vapor street lights were turned on for the first time.  
Amity's Mayor Jack Vandelaar pushed the master switch to light the modern fixtures. Fifteen of the lamps are located on 4th street south to the Ash street bridge, and two on Oak street at the intersection of Sherman and Maddox streets.

Royal Cochran, master of ceremonies, introduced the mayor and city council members. Mel E. Dunston, Portland General Electric company manager, and several other company officials also attended the ceremony.  
Mayor Vandelaar, addressing the gathering, said Amity now is the "brightest little city in Oregon." Music was furnished by the Amity grade school band and the high school band, directed by Joseph M. Barr.  
Street dancing followed the ceremonies. Refreshments were served at the city hall by the Firemen's auxiliary.

## Kinkaid Heads New Brush College Club

BRUSH COLLEGE—Lenard Kinkaid has been elected president of the college club, a new 4-H club formed here recently.  
Other officers are James Rowe, vice-president, and Stewart Mathis, secretary. Larry Wachen, and Charles Kinkaid are the other members. The group is meeting at the school twice each month

## Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Maurice Boilett  
PEDEE—Funeral services were held at the Henkle-Bollman chapel Sunday for Mrs. Maurice Boilett, who died in a Dallas hospital April 13 after a short illness.  
Maxine Hazel Blankenbaker was born June 30, 1919, at Invale, Neb. She was married to Maurice Boilett Aug. 14, 1936, at Smith Center, Kan. The couple has resided at Pedee for the past five years.  
Surviving are her husband; two children, Ronald L. Boilett and Rosemary Boilett; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Blankenbaker, Pedee; four sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Hinkle, Salem, Mrs. Dale Snider, Trenton, N. J., Mrs. Ted Kubena, Valselt, and Wanda Blankenbaker, Pedee; four brothers, Nick Blankenbaker, in Germany, Wayne, Jack and Boyd Blankenbaker, Pedee; and her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Blankenbaker, Invale.

## Porters Buy Four Corners Cafe Business

FOUR CORNERS, April 18—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Porter, West Salem, have purchased the "Purple Cow", a fountain lunch business located at 3915 State st. from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vitato.  
Mr. Porter is Chief of Police of West Salem. Mrs. Porter will conduct the business. Mr. and Mrs. Vitato who reside at 225 S. Lancaster drive were in business here for two years.  
Richard Fullerton, who has been a student of the Echo, Ore., high school is now at home at 3819 Mahrt ave. and is attending Salem high school. Richard plays the Euphonium in the high school B band.  
M/Sgt. Leroy Willig of McChord Field, Wash. who has been visiting his mother Mrs. Fred Buckner Blankenbaker, Invale.

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290 S. Elms ave., left Saturday by automobile to return to his station at McChord Field. He was accompanied by Bill Bevens of Salem.  
The Albert Brant family, 510 Beck ave. spent Sunday in Bend, Ore. visiting the Charles Antilla jr. family. The Antillas formerly lived at Four Corners.

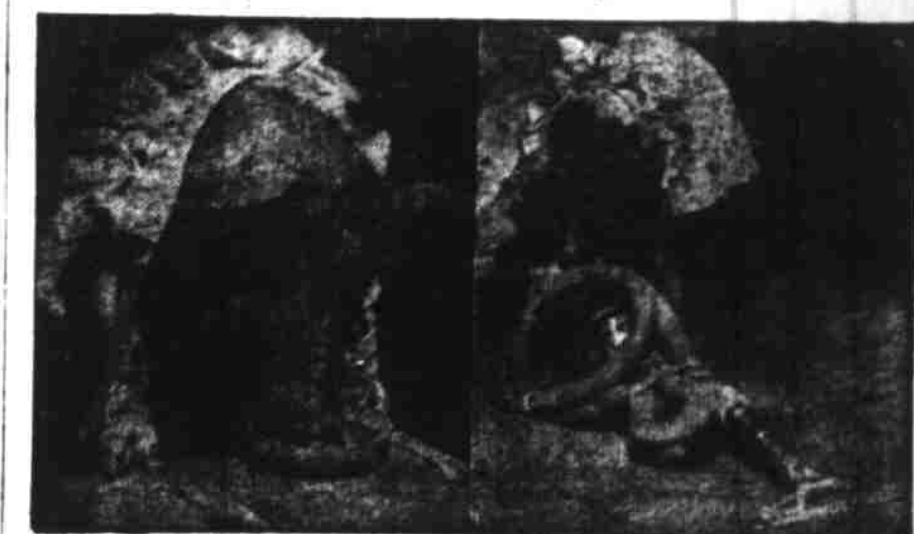
the C. L. Simmons home, with Mrs. Simmons, sr., Mrs. Simmons, jr., and Mrs. Walter Haverson hostesses.

## Central Howell Club Has Flower Exchange

CENTRAL HOWELL—A flower exchange featured the Nemo club meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Way with Mrs. Harvey Lively assisting hostess.  
Election of officers and revealing of secret pals will be at the May meeting, to be a luncheon at

DIESEL REPLACES STEAM  
PORTLAND, April 18—(AP)—Diesel engines replaced the last steam locomotives on the Union Pacific's transcontinental run today. Both the Portland Rose and the Idahoan were behind diesel engines today.

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Priscilla, the fastidious pig will be a feature attraction at the open house to be held at Marion Feed & Seed Co. April 19th. Priscilla is shown having a snack from a neatly set table, and (right) vacuum cleaning her pen. Among other unusual stunts, Priscilla answers questions fired at her by the audience.—Pd. Adv.

## Silverton Clubs Plan for Tourists

SILVERTON—V. V. Runyan announced this week that the Silverton Chamber of Commerce has sent out hundreds of letters over the entire country advertising Silver Falls state park and the Silverton city park.  
Runyan pointed out that more than 150,000 persons took advantage of recreational facilities at the state park in single seasons prior to the late war.  
The Silverton Junior Chamber of Commerce now is supervising a cleanup of the parks in preparation for the many picnickers expected this summer.

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HARD WAY TO TOP  
—Pvt. James B. Crawford, of Fairton, Ky., takes a slippery path to honors as he tries to climb a greased pole in the Army Day program at Kyoto, Japan.

## Plans for Sewage Disposal Plants in Oregon Progresses

PORTLAND, April 18—(AP)—The state sanitary authority reported today that plans for municipal sewage treatment plants for the Willamette valley and one city on the Oregon coast are progressing.  
Curtis M. Everts, jr., state sanitary engineer, said the firm of John W. Cunningham and Associates, Portland, had been authorized to prepare plans for a new plant at Salem. The bond issue of \$815,000 was approved last May.  
Final plans for the Independence plant are nearing completion, he said. Woodburn plans were approved at a recent state authority meeting and Cottage Grove retained a Medford engineer last week to prepare the blueprints for a treatment unit there.  
On the Oregon coast, Tillamook has awarded a \$66,750 contract for a plant there.

## School Teachers Sign Contracts At Jefferson

JEFFERSON—All but three of Jefferson's school teachers will return next school year, it was announced by the school board this week.  
Returning to the high school are Josephine Getchell, M. H. Beal, Mrs. Edna Stull, Mrs. Elva Larowe, Clarence Watts and Donald Reed. Grade school teachers to return are Mrs. Hannah Wright, Mrs. Almeda Long, Mrs. Ida Beckner, Evelyn Hall, Mrs. Gertrude Potts and Mrs. Edna Gulvin.  
Mrs. Emma Whedbee will continue as janitor, and N. O. Bradley will operate the school buses.  
Leaving are Mrs. Nellie Cornell, high school instructress, Mrs. Jennie Hostetler and Mrs. Gilbert Looney, who are retiring.

HUBBARD—Maj. and Mrs. Herman Pardey announce the birth of a son in Tacoma General hospital, April 12. Pardey is stationed at McChord Field, near Tacoma, Wash.

Prehistoric kangaroos were 12 to 20 feet tall, but the biggest living specimens are seven to eight feet tall.

## Science Workshop Planned at OCE In July, August

OREGON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, Monmouth—(Special)—A workshop in elementary science will be offered at the Oregon College of Education for a four-week period from July 15 to August 9.  
The class will meet three hours each day to develop techniques for teaching science in the first eight grades. Participation in this class will earn five hours of upper-division credit.  
Workshops on science and social studies, also to be offered this summer, are intended for supervisors and principals; however, a limited number of experienced teachers working toward a degree in elementary education will be accepted.

PRICE DECLINE FORECAST  
WASHINGTON, April 18—The bureau of agricultural economics has predicted further declines in industrial production, prices and consumer incomes. But it said no serious recession is in view.

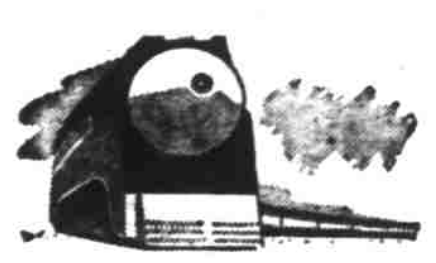
## Bunny Hooks Ride To City for Easter

MASON CITY, Ia., April 18—(AP)—An Easter bunny "hooked" an automobile ride to Mason City during a snowstorm.

When Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Kohlhurst arrived in Mason City from their home in Clear Lake, 19 miles west of here, last night, Kohlhurst went to get the oil in his car checked.

A service station attendant lifted the hood and put jumped a full grown rabbit. Kohlhurst said the rabbit apparently had taken refuge under the hood from the snow and cold.

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Behind the scenes of last winter's critical power shortage 11 private and municipal power companies and the Bonneville Power Administration developed a system of cooperation which produced enough "extra" power to equal another Bonneville dam. Except for the work of the Northwest Power Pool, the electrical systems in the Northwest might have collapsed.

Here's how it works: The pool interconnects electric systems in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Montana and British Columbia. In such a large region there are differences of time zone, weather, stream flows and other factors which produce variations both in power demand and in the output of generating plants, area to area. An area that is "short" at one time can draw upon the temporary "surplus" of another area. Later on, the situation may be completely reversed, and power will flow back the other way.

By joining resources and coordinating the operation of all generating plants in the Northwest, power pool engineers are able to utilize up to 600,000 kilowatts of power that would go to waste if the member systems were isolated! That's more power than Bonneville dam produces!

The Northwest was short of power last winter, and conditions will continue critical for several years to come. The power pool is one of the measures taken by electrical systems to meet the emergency while new dams and powerhouses are being rushed to completion.

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