

Altar Society, Fire Fighters Hold Parties

JEFFERSON — Five tables of pinocle and three of "500" were in play at the Altar society card party last week in the city hall. Making high score in pinocle were Frank Martin and Mrs. J. A. Wise of Marion, and low score, Mrs. M. E. Townsend and Paul McKee. In "500," Art Page and Mrs. Frank Martin had high scores and H. L. Russell of Marion and Mrs. Mary Chandler of Marshall, Minn., low. The next card party will be on February 10, in the city hall.

Guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin have been Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. Mary Chandler and daughter, Loretta, of Marshall, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walt of Salem were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sarver. City officials, the volunteer fire department, and their families enjoyed a no host supper in the city hall last week. The men wore overalls and the women print dresses and children's games were played following the supper. Present were Mayor and Mrs. Gilbert Looney, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magart, Mr. and Mrs. Malis McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hoevet and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Sims.

Crash Victim Still Critical

ALBANY — Richard Parker of Tacoma, Wash., injured Friday night in an auto collision, remained in a critical condition Monday in the Albany General hospital.

Parker with Norman Burvick of Seattle and Charles Olson, Seattle, was in the car when it collided with another near the Jefferson junction overpass.

Olson and Burvick were reported to be improving at the hospital.

Turner OES Meeting Features Instruction

TURNER — Worthy Grand Master Edna Thorne held school of instruction at a meeting last week, of the Victoria chapter 76, OES. Introduced were Mrs. Thorne and Past Grand Patron Rex Hartley. Mrs. Burkland of Salem was a visitor and it was announced that Pearl McClay, associate grand master, is hospitalized as the result of a recent automobile accident. Refreshments were served by a committee including Sadie Peterson, John Peterson and Arlene Collier.

Falls City Garden Club Hears Talks on Seeds

FALLS CITY — Mrs. Fred Ludke spoke on February pruning and the use of seed catalogues at a meeting of the Garden club last week in the city library.

Mrs. Pearl Embree talked on seeds and flat beds. Mrs. Mildred Davis displayed a collection of dried flowers gathered on a recent trip to California. The next meeting will be held February 23.

Valley Obituaries

Daisy Maybelle Johnston LYONS — Mrs. Daisy Maybelle Johnston, who died last week at a Salem hospital, had been a resident of Lyons since 1904.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, January 31, at 2 p.m. at the Lyons Methodist church. Interment will be at Fox Valley cemetery.

The deceased was born in Hardin county, Iowa, Dec. 2, 1872. At the age of eight she moved with her parents to New York and later the family pioneered in Antelope county, Nebraska. The Maybelle family then moved to Lyons where Daisy married Frank Johnston in 1905.

He died several years ago. She was a member of the Methodist church here. She is survived by two sons, Paul of Lyons and Kenneth of Bremerton, Wash., a sister, Mrs. B. M. Woodworth of Salem, four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Known as "Aunt Daisy" by her many friends she died Saturday night after a short illness.

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Amity Baptists At Conferences

AMITY — The Rev. Bruce Wakeman, Mrs. Andrew Wakeman, Mrs. Joyce Wakeman, Mrs. W. M. Neeley, Mrs. Edward Lehman, Mrs. M. J. Lehman and Alvin Rutchman represented the local Baptist church at a church workers' conference at McMinnville last week.

The Rev. Wakeman, the Rev. Fremont Faul, Mrs. Andrew Wakeman and Joyce Wakeman attended a conference at Linfield college and the Rev. Wakeman also attended a conference for Baptist men Saturday at the college.

Prices, Costs Drag Down Creamery Net

MT. ANGEL — Although receipts of butter fat last year were up 6 per cent over that of 1948 the business value of the Mt. Angel Cooperative creamery was down \$300,000 in 1949, because of increased operating costs and lower prices.

This was revealed at the annual membership meeting here Monday. Butter manufactured at the creamery last year came to 935,285 pounds, milk received was 29,241,842 pounds and cheese made totaled 1,486,390 pounds.

The members voted to increase the hauling rate for milk by 6 cents per hundred pounds. The speaker was H. A. Benson of Chicago, who outlined the activities of the American Dairy association of which he is membership director.

In elections C. E. Eastman was reelected president, George Kruse, vice president, and Frank Hettr, secretary-manager. Board of directors members reelected were George Kruse, Alois Kirsch and Ed Ebner. The attendance was curtailed because of the weather.

Silverton Fire Chief Lists Fires

SILVERTON — C. A. Hande, Silverton Volunteer Fire department chief, reported Monday that 63 fire alarms, with three false ones, had been answered during 1949. Total loss was small this year, barely reaching \$20,000. Most of this was wrapped up in the North-side store fire.

The report also included the information that 2,900 feet of 2½-inch hose and 900 feet of 1½-inch hose had been laid. Besides this, 4,800 feet of booster hose had been used. Other items included in the report showed that 90 gallons of foam was used during the year, seven quarts of carbon tetrachloride, 240 feet of ladders hoisted and 117 fire permits issued.

Mrs. O. A. Colyer Given Surprise Birthday Fete

AMITY — Mrs. O. A. Colyer was given a surprise birthday party last week at the home of Mrs. Claire Glover.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kosta, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Van K. Lawson, Walter Lawson, O. A. Colyer, Mrs. Glover and Mrs. Colyer.

Dr. H. Farley, OCE, Authors Health Article

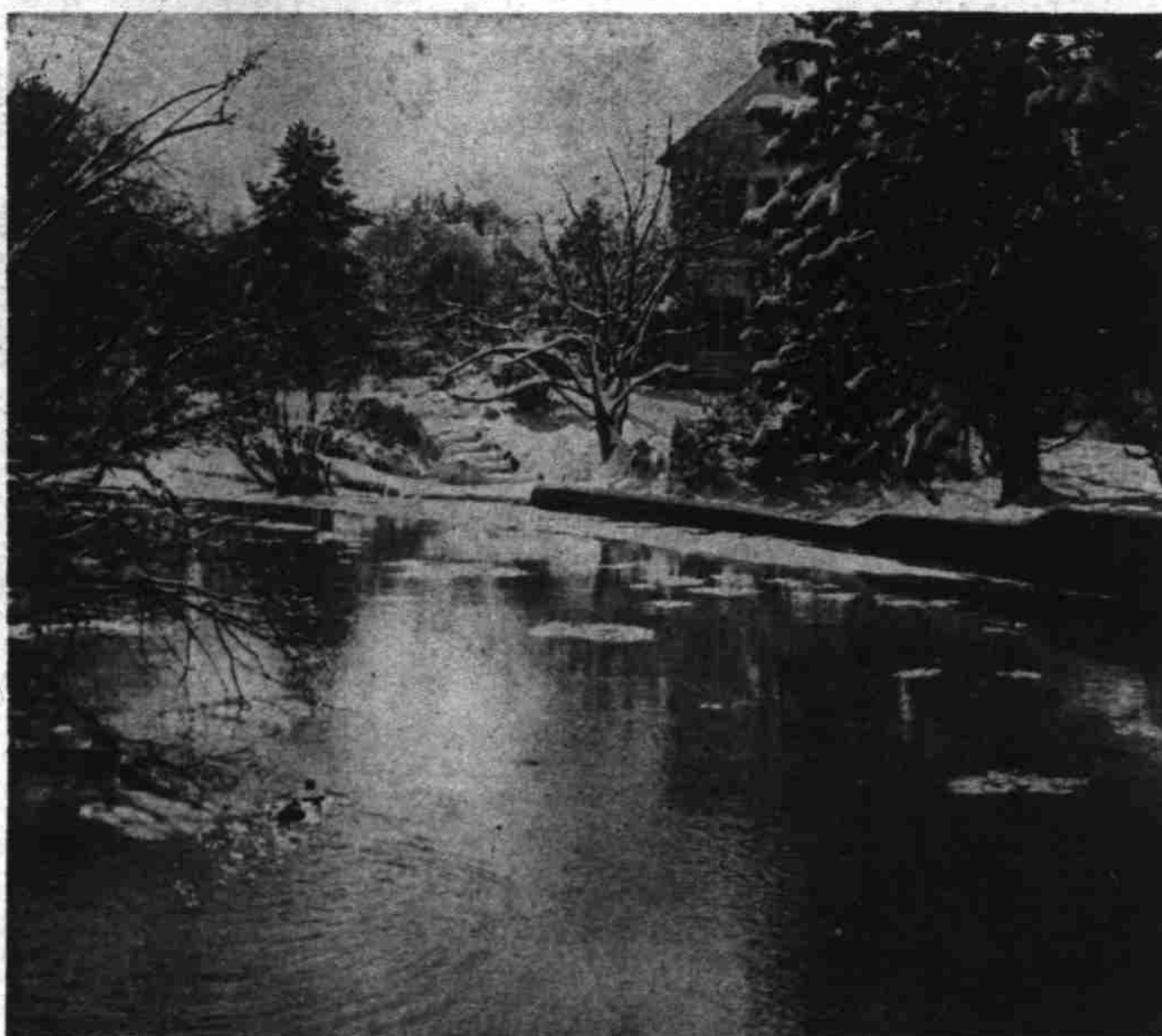
MONMOUTH — Dr. H. Kent Farley of OCE is the author of an article receiving national attention, entitled "Teacher Skills for Health Instruction" and based on Dr. Farley's report of research done over the past several years in teaching health education at OCE.

The report appeared in the "Progressive Physical Educator," national organ of Phi Delta Pi, national professional honorary.

Valley Births

SILVERTON — Born at the Silverton hospital, January 29, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Herr; January 28, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sprauer of Mt. Angel; January 27, sons to Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Rowden and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Bradley of Mt. Angel, and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woolsey of Scotts Mills, and January 26, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Salem.

Shiny Mill Creek Cuts Through Snowy Salem



A black ribbon laid over a white landscape becomes a shiny mirror during a day of bright winter sunshine. The ribbon is Salem's familiar mill creek in winter garb, and now is dotted with floating blobs of ice and slush. The scene is from the Center street bridge at north 14th street, as it looked Monday morning. (Photo by Don Dill, Statesman staff photographer.)

Valley Briefs

Falls City — Mr. and Mrs. John Lacy celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary recently with a dinner. Invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worden and grandchildren of Dallas and Mrs. Jessie Moyer.

Zena — The Spring Valley Missionary society has postponed its meeting scheduled for Thursday, February 2.

Labish Center — A meeting of the 4-H Cooking club will be held February 8 at 7 p.m. in the home of Betty Boehm. Miss Boehm and Jay Metheny will be the demonstration team and making pot-holders will take place. At the January 17 meeting at the home of Janet Pearsall the club worked on table scarves.

Amity — Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Martin attended the Western Retail Lumbermen's association convention in Portland last week.

Silverton — Ellen Circle Women's society for Christian service will meet with Mrs. Pearl Porter, 737 South Water st., Thursday, February 2 at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. H. Hahn is in charge of the program and Mrs. A. F. Jack will preside.

OCE Audio-Visual Class May Get Scholarships

MONMOUTH — The new audio-visual center at OCE has been invited to participate in the Encyclopedia Britannica film scholarships which provide payment of tuition for students specializing in the study of audio-visual education during the summer of 1950. The scholarships are awarded by the institution.

Students participating are those who are already students of education and wish to do further work in audio-visual methods. Everett Van Manen is director of OCE's new audio-visual center.

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Boy Rangers Initiated at Mount Angel

MT. ANGEL — Twenty-five boys, 9 to 16 years old, were initiated into the Boy Rangers, juvenile branch of the Mt. Angel court of the Catholic order of Foresters in St. Mary's club rooms.

The initiation was in the hands of the Junior Forester degree team of St. Boniface court in Sublimity.

Speakers included State Chief Ranger Joseph Wavra of Mt. Angel, State Treasurer Bernard Kirsch of Mt. Angel, Mike Benedict of Sublimity, past state chief ranger and now full-time field representative for the valley, and William Blem, chief ranger of the Mt. Angel court.

Lunch and refreshments were served following the meeting. Initiation for the new members of the adult Forester group will be held Sunday, February 19.

Minnesota has 91 lakes named Mud Lake.

Satellite Musicians Must Know Politics

GENEVA, (INS) — Musicians in the Soviet satellite states have to keep posted on politics these days.

According to Hungarian exile sources, here is a questionnaire which must be answered by candidates for admission to Budapest's celebrated Academy of Music founded by Franz Liszt in the mid-nineteenth century:

1. What are the esthetic principles of Soviet music?
2. What is the purpose of your musical studies?
3. Why is popular democracy said to play the role of the dictatorship of the proletariat?
4. What is the significance of the Chinese war for liberation?
5. What kinds of music are you acquainted with?
6. What do you know of the struggle for peace?
7. Who is your favorite contemporary composer, what is his composition which you like best, and why?
8. What is the role of the artist in a socialist society?
9. What do you know of Tito's treasonable policy?
10. What do you know about Matthias Rakosi (Hungary's communist boss)?

Increased Use of Milk, Decline In Purchase of Butter Forecast

By Lillie L. Madsen
Farm Editor, The Statesman
An increase in the use of whole milk and a decrease in the use of butter in the next decade was the prophecy of Dr. John S. Davis, director of the food research institute at Stanford university. Dr. Davis said, as he left last week for Chicago where he was to address the annual meeting of the National Agricultural Credit committee Monday, that this statement would be included in his talk on "Population Increase Will Expand Farm Markets."

"We can anticipate an especially increased demand for whole milk, because of three influences," he stated, as he named the influences to be "the larger population, a rising portion of the population in their teens, and the trend toward higher per capita consumption by young adults."

But, Dr. Davis said, a smaller fraction than before the war will continue to be used of butter which "will be increasingly supplemented by margarine consumption." He promised a substantial increase in the demand for meat and various other animal products.

Requirements to Grow
So far, Dr. Davis said, "we have not felt the full effect upon demand for farm products from the upsurge in births in the 1940's. This is because so far the 20 million increase during that decade has been mainly in age groups under 10 and over 60 years. The requirements for food, clothing and other goods are far below the average requirements for the age groups of 10 to 60. Merely the growing older of the younger group will add to the demand in the decade we are just going into, he said.

Chances of avoiding severe depressions are improved, rather than damaged by the population increase, Dr. Davis observed in discussing the possibilities for a 50 per cent increase in the population of the United States in the next 50 years. Without making any definite estimates of how fast the population would increase, he continued, "The domestic demands upon American agriculture will continue to grow."

Favorably Affected
The products that are likely to be most favorably affected by the prospective enlargement of demand are milk, eggs, poultry, meat, fruits and vegetables. Those likely to be least affected, in the opinion of Dr. Davis, are grain products, potatoes and dry beans and peas. Other foods, such as fats and sugars, are likely to be nearer the second group than the first.

He added that so far as American agriculture as a whole is concerned, the new outlook points to the need for increased emphasis on long-term expansion of the output of animal products, with probably the biggest premium on expansion of milk and beef production. If so, he said, it will put a wholly desirable premium on application of newer agricultural techniques in improving pastures, controlling soil erosion and depletion and better feeding practices. It will also tend to absorb

Four-Year-Old Timmy Leads Bruising Life

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., (AP) — Four-year-old Timmy Chestnut, who has caught his arm in a wringer not once, but twice, has a hard-luck history that's hard to beat.

As he recovered today from his latest mishap, his parents detailed this accident record to date:

Age one year—dislocated right shoulder when he tumbled out of a baby rocker.

16 months—fell down stair steps and knocked out two teeth.

19 months—tripped and fell in tub of water, had to be revived by artificial respiration.

Two years—Fell in garage driveway and cut his head, requiring several stitches.

30 months—Caught left arm in wringer. No bones broken but badly bruised.

Dec. 23, 1949—Tumbled down cellar steps, knocking himself unconscious.

Jan. 14—Fell while running and cut left eye, requiring stitches.

Jan. 23—Caught left arm in wringer again. No bones broken, but possibly torn ligaments.

Timmy also has found time in between accidents to have the measles twice and the chicken pox once.

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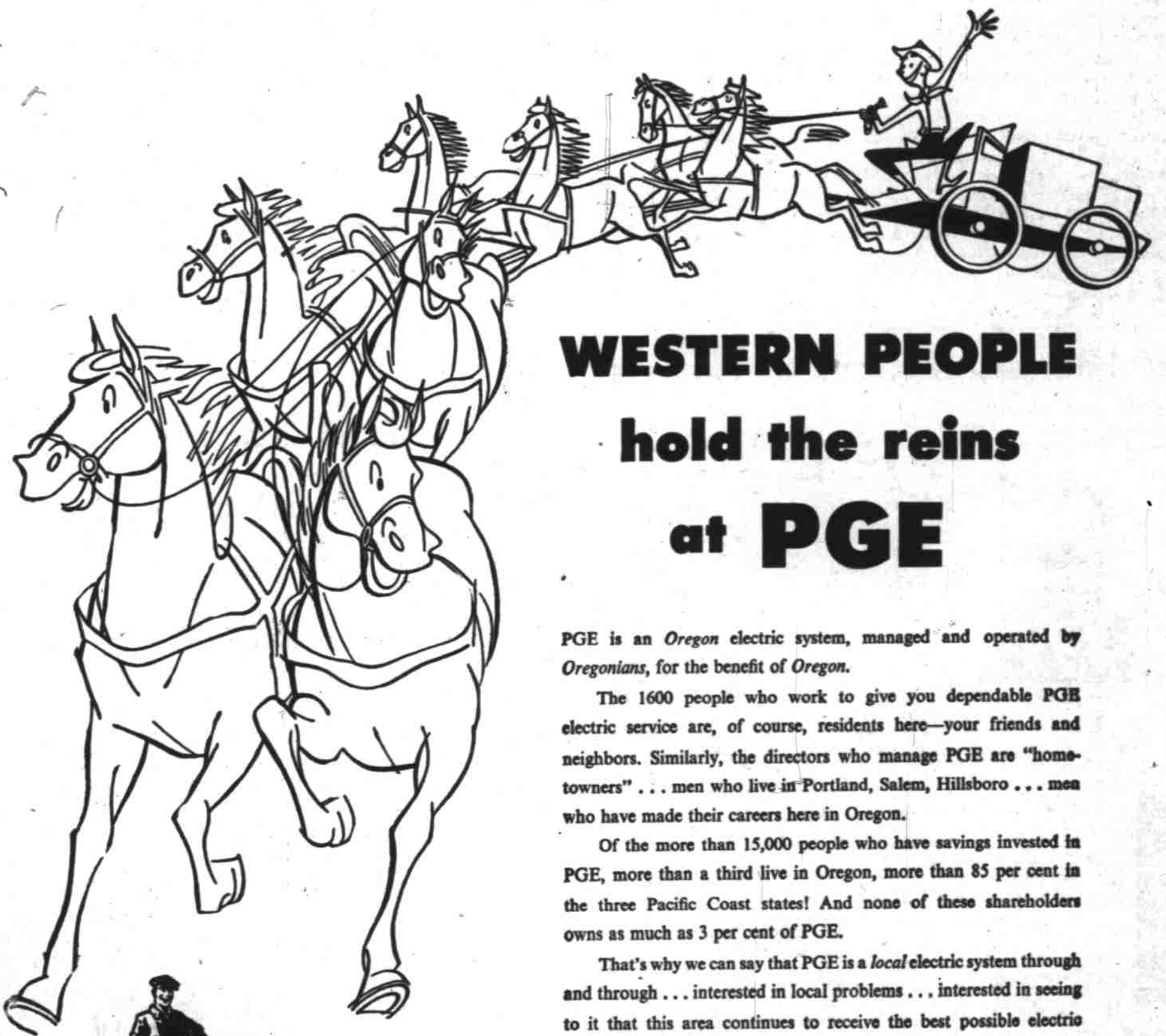
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