



STAYTON — Girls from four communities in this area are among the princesses in the royal court of the Santiam Bean Festival which continues here through Saturday. Surrounding Queen Jane Cox of Stayton, they are (left to right) Maralee Frost, Stayton; Carol Rice, Me-

hama; Norma Johnson, Stayton; Claudia Johnson, Lyons; Sandra Dawson, Jefferson, and Karen Thomas, Stayton. The girls will ride in parades and will be honored guests at all activities scheduled at the festival. (Statesman Photo)

### Legion Picnic Due Sunday

Statesman News Service  
 MT. ANGEL — The Legion picnic for members of the Mt. Angel post and unit and their families has been set for Sunday at 1 p.m. at the Silverton Park, starting about 1 p.m. Ice cream and coffee will be supplied. Fred Lucht and Tom Bockelman reported at the post meeting Tuesday night that all arrangements have been made by the committee.

Pat Fisher and Bob Hockett, Mt. Angel delegates to Beaver Boys State, were special guests at the meeting and gave reports on their activities at the annual session in state government training sponsored by the American Legion.

Lucht, a past district commander, and Harry Borkenhagen, a past commander of the Mt. Angel post, are representing Mt. Angel at the state convention at Redmond Thursday through Saturday, July 28 to 30.

### Old Timers Picnic Set

Statesman News Service  
 SILVERTON — The annual Old Timers picnic will be held Sunday, Aug. 7, at Coolidge & McClaine Park with a picnic at 1 p.m., followed by a brief business meeting and the remainder of the afternoon given over to impromptu talks and visiting.

The dinner will be "family style" with coffee furnished free, reports Clay Allen, club secretary. Other officers include the president, John Thurman, Salem; vice president, Minnie Mascher Cavendar, Silverton, and treasurer, Reber Allen, Silverton.

### Monmouth Planning For 1956 Centennial

By BEULAH CRAVEN  
 Statesman News Service

MONMOUTH—The Chamber of Commerce is furthering plans for a centennial celebration here in 1956 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Monmouth's founding. It is planned to reenact the drama of the early beginnings of a town which was organized as an educational center before ground was broken for the first building of any sort. The historical origin of Monmouth began in Monmouth, Ill., more than 100 years ago.

### Anglers Get 58 Salmon In Three Days

Statesman News Service  
 DALLAS — A party of 16 anglers returned to Dallas this week with a near limit catch of 58 salmon and one ling cod taken from the ocean off Winchester Bay. The catch ran mostly to silvers averaging 12 to 14 pounds in weight. Largest fish was a 20-pound chinook.

Making use of charter boats, the group trolled Saturday, Sunday and Monday. On one run, they caught a day's limit within two hours, it was reported.

The party included Mr. and Mrs. Richard Van den Bosch and daughter, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Van den Bosch and two children, Tigard; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Etting, Milton-Freewater; Maj. and Mrs. Charles Blake and two daughters, San Bernardino, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Storey and son, Vancouver, Wash. Storey is an ex-OSC varsity basketball player.

Experts say the safest way to remove a fishhook which has become embedded in your flesh often is to force the point out through the skin and cut off the barb with a sharp pliers.

### Hopewell Folk On Sick List

Statesman News Service  
 HOPEWELL—Fay Thompson is home from a McMinnville hospital after three weeks of treatment for burns.

Ted Zacek is at home after a week in a Salem hospital for treatment of arthritis. He is able to be up with the aid of crutches.

Mrs. J. D. McKenney is reported as making satisfactory recovery from recent surgery at a Salem hospital.

Mrs. Anna Snellman is reportedly much improved this week. Her daughter, Mrs. Ed Sterna of Longview, Wash., is caring for her.

Mrs. Earl McKinney who underwent surgery at Portland is recovering satisfactorily.

### Harney Valley Picnic Slated

Statesman News Service  
 CHAMPOEG — The annual Harney Valley picnic will be held Sunday at Champeog State Park, Mrs. Arthur Davis, Dallas route 2, reported Wednesday.

Those attending are requested to bring pictures taken in Harney Valley, also pictures taken at the 1953 and 1954 Harney Valley picnics.

No existing records show precisely when the pioneers arrived here, for at first they were scattered somewhat throughout the Willamette Valley. By 1854 they had chosen the ground now occupied by Monmouth, and moved onto it, taking donation land claims in the surrounding area, or buying adjacent land.

Name Chosen  
 In deciding upon a name for the "town," this incident occurred: The proposed institution of learning received first consideration, so trustees were chosen before ground was broken at the site. A tiny group of men — some say but five — as the first organizing body to convene here, met and voted on two proposed names: "Dover" and "Monmouth."

The vote stood 50-50 for each name, so Ira F. M. Butler who acted as chairman, was privileged to cast the deciding vote. As he had been a resident of Monmouth, Ill., he cast his ballot for "Monmouth."

Prominent in History  
 The name, as every student of history knows, is a prominent one in the British Isles. The battle of Monmouth, N. J., fought in 1776, is said to have been a decisive factor in the Revolutionary War.

Monmouth, Ill., is a westward evolution of the name's growth. It is said to be of Welch origin. Bethel Academy had been founded a few miles northwest of Monmouth, Ore., and, as two schools of higher learning in such close proximity seemed unwise, the academy was re-located at Monmouth by mutual agreement of the concurring authorities, in 1856, and the name was changed to Monmouth University.

First Teacher  
 A little grammar school was built that year and Judge Cowls of McMinnville was the first teacher. A Christian Church, organized the same year, held services in the little square school house with John E. Murphy as minister.

The structure known as Monmouth University was begun in 1856. The territory was surveyed for the first time by T. H. Hutchinson in 1855.

Working on Plans  
 A Centennial Commission is now working on plans for further action and developments. A souvenir historical booklet containing sketches and pictures of early days here, and a program of centennial events, is on the agenda, with about one-third of the space devoted to advertising to finance publication costs.

The Chamber of Commerce has directed Mel Jacobson to write to Congressman Walter Norblad seeking permission for a centennial post office cancellation, which would be used on all outgoing mail for six months, and would widely advertise the centennial.

U. S. railroads average \$24,000 in investment for every worker compared with \$14,000 for manufacturing as a whole.

### This is the Official Penslar Remedy Store

For Marion County. You will find these preparations of highest quality and guaranteed to be exactly for what they are sold and represented to be.

Schaefer's Drug Store  
 135 N. Commercial  
 Open Daily 7:30 A.M.-8 P.M.  
 Sunday 9 A.M.-4 P.M.

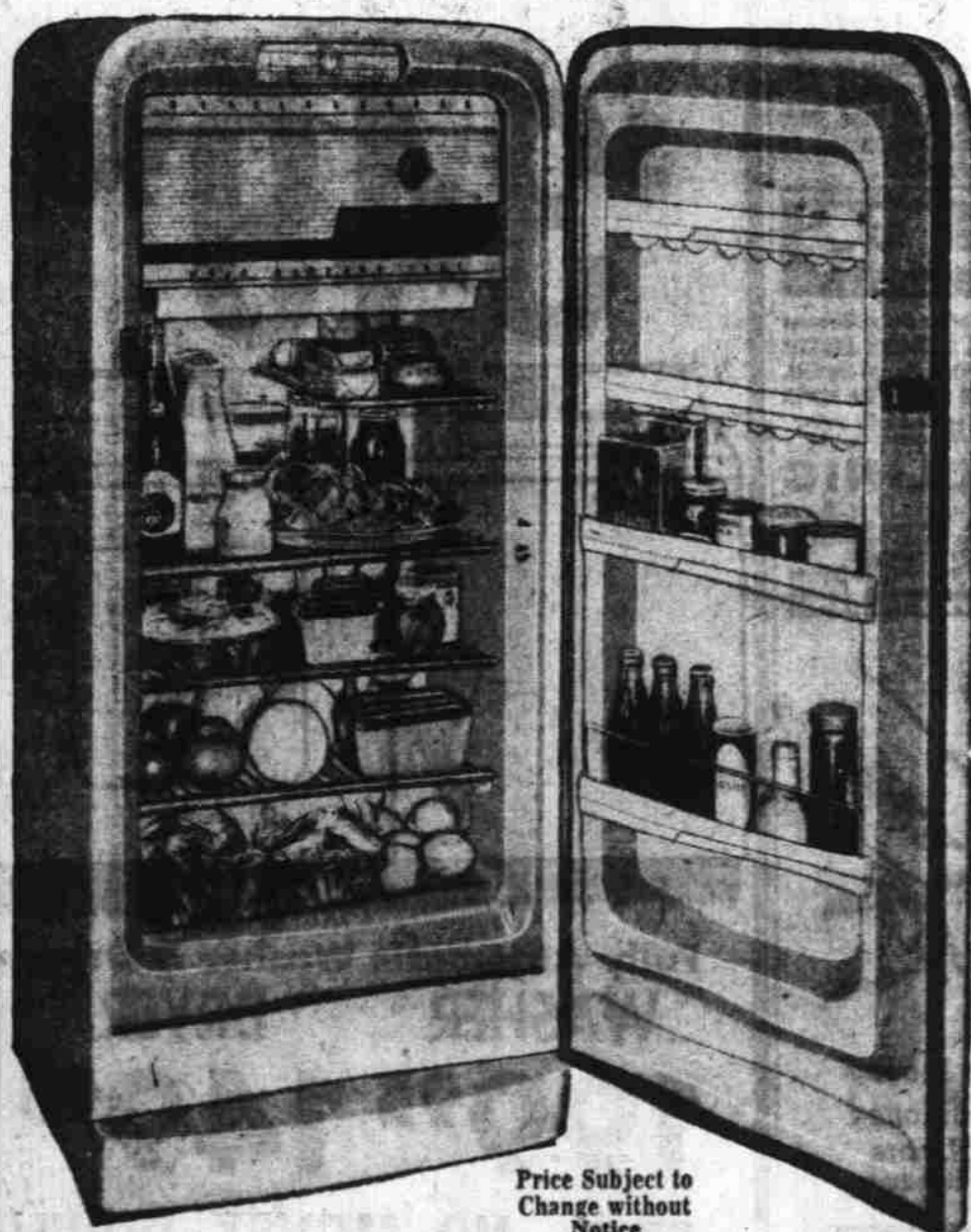
- You can re-power your engine without mechanical overhaul by switching to Shell Premium Gasoline with TCP.
- It halts pre-firing — a major cause of power loss. Only Shell Premium Gasoline has both TCP and high octane.
- It is the most powerful gasoline your car can use.

# IMAGINE!

## New 1955 Westinghouse with Across-the-Top Freezer!

Only \$188<sup>88</sup>

NO MONEY DOWN!



Price Subject to Change without Notice

- ◀ BIG ROOMY ACROSS-THE-TOP FREEZER
- ◀ ROOMY SHELVES IN THE DOOR
- ◀ FAMILY SIZE 8.1 CU. FT.

Only 24" wide, it has a 40-lb. frozen storage capacity, 3 full-width storage shelves, ample storage in the door. Beautiful Arctic Blue interior styling. Never before such an outstanding buy on famous Westinghouse quality!

**WOODRIF**  
 FURNITURE CO.  
 474 SOUTH COMMERCE

This Offer Only While Quantities Last!

YOU CAN BE SURE...if it's Westinghouse

SAVE \$50<sup>00</sup>



- No Installation!
- King-Size Capacity!
- Completely Automatic!
- Roll-Around Convenience!

Try It For a Week Free!

Mobile Maid AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER

Now Only \$229<sup>95</sup>

No Money Down—\$2.50 Per Week

AUTHORIZED

GENERAL ELECTRIC DEALER

WE GIVE "G.E." GREEN STAMPS

**MASTER**

SERVICE STATIONS, INC.

345 N. Commercial

Ph. 3-4163