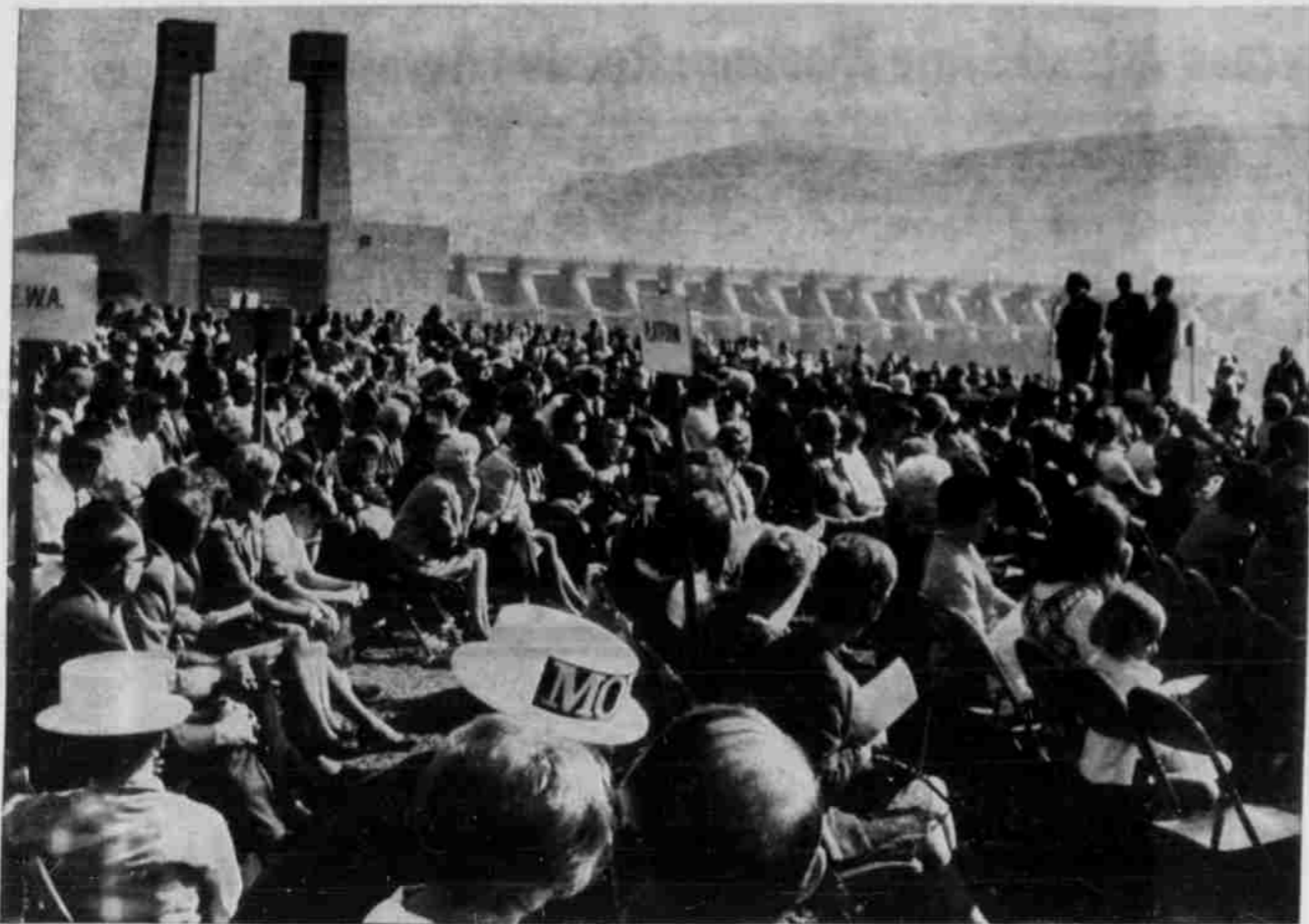


'The Star of The Show Was Silent'



A CROWD ESTIMATED at 5,000 attended the John Day Dam dedication program Saturday. One segment of the crowd is shown with the silent star of the show—the dam—standing mule in the background. Many from Heppner and Morrow county at-

tended. Mayor W. C. Rosewall is visible at far left just above boy in the straw hat. A barbershop quartet is entertaining the crowd in this photo. (G-T Photo).

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Dedicate
John Day
Dam



VICE PRESIDENT HUBERT HUMPHREY and Senator Warren Magnuson of the State of Washington watch the gate lift on the John Day Dam lock Saturday at climax of dedication ceremonies. The vice president had just closed a switch to activate the gate's opening from the dedication stand about a quarter-mile from the lock. (G-T Photo).

Chamber Members,
Lions
Tour PGT
Compressor
Plant



CHET BOND, Wallula, Pacific Gas Transmission Co. supervisor, explains the complicated switching panel at the PGT compressor station at Ione to members of the Ione Lions and the Heppner-Morrow county Chamber of Commerce at a tour of the station on September 23. Whenever anything goes wrong at the plant, a light comes on to indicate the trouble in one of the appropriate squares at top of the panel right and left. (G-T Photo).



PART OF THE LIONS-CHAMBER crowd is shown as they listen to Chet Bond of PGT at the control house at the Ione compressor station, all keenly interested in the rather mystifying operation. The Ione plant, which is one of a number of stations that boosts gas through the pipeline that runs from Alberta to the San Francisco Bay area, helps build capacity of the line to 650,000 cu. feet of gas per day. Roger Thompson, public relations representative of the company, announced September 23 that PGT plans another expansion of the Ione installation, costing \$1,778,000, which will help hike capacity of the pipeline to 850,000 cu. ft. per day, if Federal Power Commission approves. (G-T Photo).



TO TELL AN ACCURATE story, this picture should have another dimension, that of sound. Noise in the building that houses the turbine and compressor of Pacific Gas Transmission Company at its Ione installation was so great that Lions and Chamber members visiting there September 23 couldn't speak above it. Lions President Herb Ekstrom, Jr. (right) peers through a glass peephole to watch combustion in the gas-fueled turbine. (G-T Photo).

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