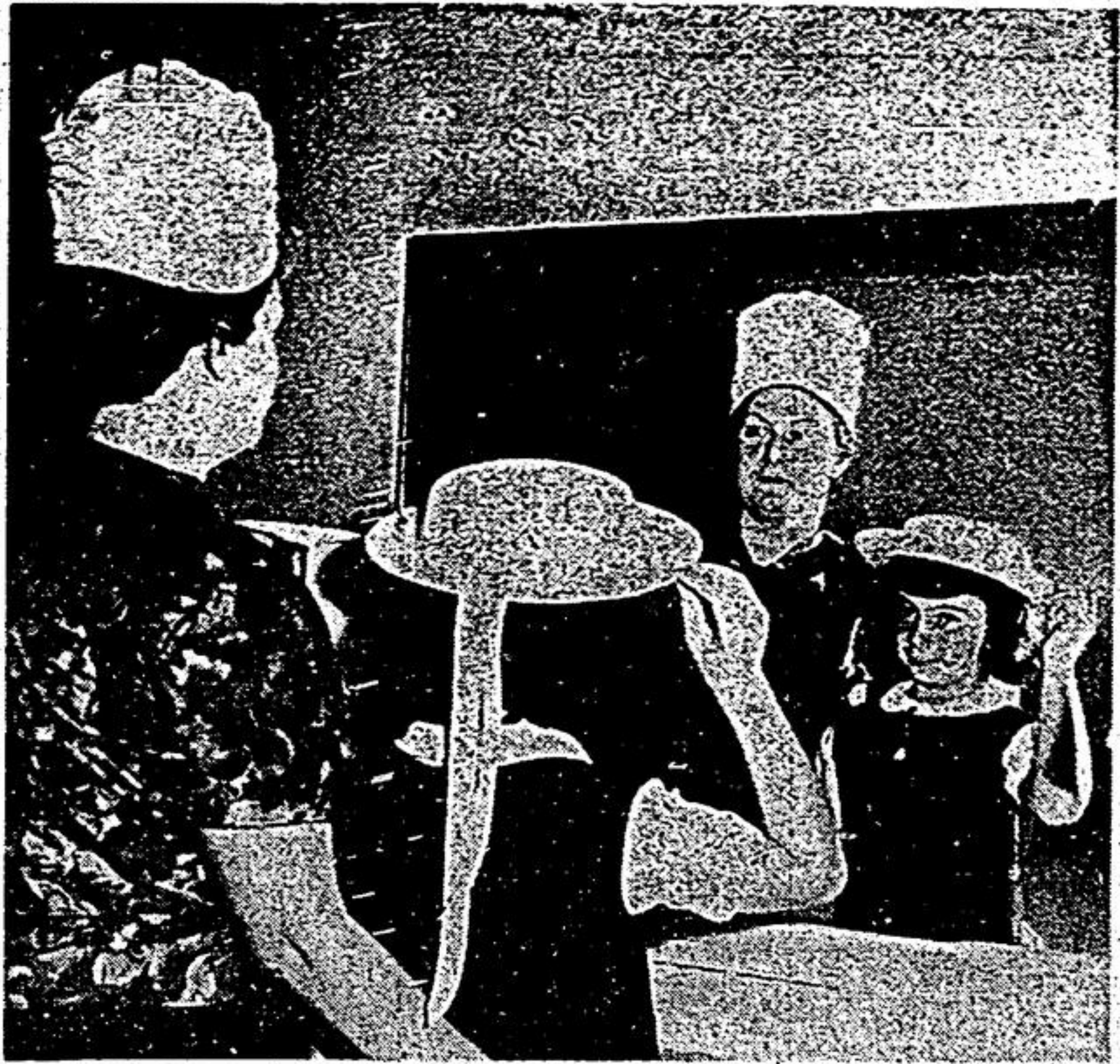




For the past few weeks, hat-making has proved a popular pastime at the home of Mrs. Doris Williams, Altona, where more than 30 ladies gather every Thursday evening. Mrs. Williams is pictured here with her new hand-made creation. —Staff Photo.



Ladies attend the hat-making bees from a wide area in preparation for a public showing, April 10 at Victoria Square and April 11 at Uxbridge. Mrs. Catherine McArthur and daughter Karen, 9 of R.R.2 Markham, are among the participants. —Staff Photo.



A model, sure to make a hit with the audience is Mrs. Helen Lewis, Stouffville R.R.3. The program is sponsored by the Altona Women's Institute. When membership reached 36, further applications had to be refused. —Staff Photo.

## Full House For Claremont W.I. Variety Night Show

By ANNE LONEY  
CLAREMONT—A packed house greeted the comedy performance of "Rise and Shine" presented in the community hall Friday evening by the Women's Institute as one of its Centennial projects. The cast of four was outstanding. As one member of the audience remarked: "I thought this was a play by the Juniors and there is an old man in it." The old man referred to was Carl Wilson of Balsam who won the best actor award when the play was presented the previous evening in the Altona Public School at Snelgrove with Dr. Robert Williams of Brampton as adjudicator. This same evening, after coming first in the Ontario Junior Farmers' Ontario County Drama Festival, the comedy won the Zone-3 award over Peel and Halton Counties. It now goes into the finals which will be held in Memorial Hall at the Ontario College of Agriculture, Guelph, on April 8. In its fine cast are Dave Hawthorne, Claremont; Diane Graham and Carl Wilson, Balsam; and Pat Stell, Brooklin. Others who delighted the audience on Friday evening were Marjorie and Betty Anne Hamilton of Uxbridge, Richard and Charles Day and Mrs. Noon of Balsam and Christina Evans and Bradley Jake-man of Claremont. Fred Peddie was M.C. Much credit goes to Mrs. L.D. Almack of Claremont who directed the play for the Brooklin Junior Farmers.

At the social evening held by the Group Committee of the Cubs and Scouts in the Community Hall Tuesday evening, March 28, the prize winners were: Turkey draw, Mrs. Will Evans, Claremont; and C. H. Robinson and Pat Murphy, Scarborough. Euchre ladies' first, Mrs. Sandy Goden; 2nd, Mrs. Deltra Acres; consolation, Mrs. Gordon Benson. Men's first, Bob Torrance; 2nd, Tom Benson; consolation, Wayne Roszell. Travelling prize, Mrs. Jack Norton and Wayne Roszell. Mrs. A. Y. Robertson of Beamsville is spending a few days with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Almack. Corrie Almack spent Easter with his cousin, Sandy French of Scarborough. On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Almack, with Margaret and Bob and Mrs. Robertson,

went to Scarboro to see their niece, Jane French, who took part in a performance of "The Magic Acorn," a musical fantasy held in Midland Avenue Collegiate. The Golden Age Club celebrated its 8th birthday at a hot turkey dinner served at noon last Thursday in the recreation room at the home of Mrs. Frank Hollingshead. Twenty-five members were welcomed by hostesses, Mrs. Russell Hamilton, Mrs. Will Evans, Mrs. Norris Hardy and Mrs. Hollingshead. In the afternoon the guests played euchre and were served birthday cake and ice cream. Mrs. Wesley Lehman said the blessing and Mrs. Frank Loyt thanked the hostesses on behalf of the members of the club. Sunday night supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norton were their son Joe Norton of Oshawa, and Elizabeth and Sherri Wilcox of Uxbridge. Sunday evening their supper guest was Miss Patricia Ryan of Uxbridge. Last week Bruce Norton and Bonnie Norton spent a few days in Napanee with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Benson were in Wheeling, West Virginia, for the Easter holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roszell of Claremont and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Booth of Brougham were in Scarborough on Sunday to act as sponsors at a christening. Easter guests at the Roszell home were Mr. Roszell's stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry King of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Earle Pilkey motored to Windsor over the weekend to visit Mrs. Pilkey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Eicher. While away, their four children were cared for by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pilkey. There was a fine turnout Wednesday evening when Mr. John French presented his glass blowing demonstration in the community hall and showed slides of the history of this ancient art. Several pieces blown during the evening, as well as others previously blown, were auctioned to the audience by Dave Watson of Claremont. The children who attended were particularly interested, especially in the birds and small animals, and purchased several of the pieces. This is one of the

projects presented by the committee for its Centennial fund and the sum of \$102.37 was realized. A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Cubs and Scouts will be held this evening, Thursday, April 6, at the home of Mrs. Albert Roszell at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Mary Cooper, injured in a fall several weeks ago, has been transferred from Ajax-Pickering Hospital to the Brierbush Hospital in Stouffville. The Claremont hockey team, coached by Jack Jensen, will hold an end-of-the-season banquet later this spring. The Claremont United Church Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Earle Pilkey, Monday evening at eight o'clock. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Frank Hollingshead. Roll Call—wear a spring hat. Keep in mind the centennial dinner, sponsored by the Board of Stewards in the Claremont United Church on Sunday, April 9, beginning at 4:30 p.m. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Guides and Brownies sponsored a very successful dance in the Legion Hall, Saturday evening. Mr. Mason of Balsam was the Master of Ceremonies. The lucky door prize was won by Al Roszell. Committee members in charge were: Mrs. Donald Campbell, Mrs. Lionel Boles, Mrs. Russell Hamilton, Mrs. Bill Welsh and Mrs. Jim Murray assisted by Mrs. Sandy Goden, Mrs. Frank Hayward, Mrs. Erwin Carruthers, Mrs. Lorraine McLeod and Mrs. Dave Ferguson. Five Brownies will be enrolled and five will fly up to Guides at a meeting to be held in the Community Hall, Thursday evening (tonight) at eight o'clock. It will also be the first Cadet enrollment for Guiders in Training, age 16 to 18 years. Pat Sanderson will become a member of the 1st Ontario Provincial Cadet Company and is one of the five girls in the Scugog District to receive this honor. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill, Darlene, Doreen, David and Dougie of Collingwood, spent the Easter week with his mother, Mrs. Loss Hill. The home of Mrs. Jean Redshaw was the scene of a recent party on the occasion of Mrs. Rene Rennie's birthday. A lovely cake was made by Mrs. Doug Norton. Later, the Five Hundred Club Girls enjoyed their weekly card game, including Mrs. Kay Hayward, Mrs. Norma Benson, Mrs. Redshaw and Mrs. Rennie. The Claremont Centennial Committee is holding a Rummage Sale, April 22 in the Community Hall. Anyone who is able to donate articles for this event is asked to call Mrs. Rene Rennie, Mrs. Thelma Hockley or Mrs. June Bate for pickup. All proceeds will be used for the community centennial project. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingham and family of Ajax were guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rennie. In the evening, they all attended the dance at the legion.

## Claremont Rink Bill \$203.25

CLAREMONT—Financial assistance towards the operation and maintenance of the Claremont rink at the school during the past winter season has been disappointing, an executive member of the Community Centre Board said, this week. Only \$165 was received in donations, leaving an outstanding account of \$203.25 that must be covered by the committee. The program may be withdrawn next year.

Expenses during the 50 nights amounted to \$250 for operation and supervision; \$50 for flooding; public liability insurance \$60.75 and snow removal \$7.50 for a total cost of \$368.25. The committee is still accepting donations in an effort to reduce the outstanding account. Recent receipts acknowledged include—Ted Redshaw, Dr. N. F. Tomlinson, Earl Wilson and John Devitt.

## Holstein Breeders of York County

UXBRIDGE—One hundred Holstein breeders completed a tour of herds in Ontario County, March 30. The tour started at 11 a.m. with a visit to the herd of Mr. Harold Honey and Son, Seagrave. The Honey herd was established in 1929 and is one of the most outstanding in the county. The second visit was to the farm of Mr. Roy Leask and Son, Seagrave. This is a fairly new herd, established in 1957. The third visit was made to the farm of Mr. Robert Jibb and Sons, Blackwater. Although Mr. Jibb has been breeding Holsteins for some time, in Northumberland County, he purchased a farm and moved to the Blackwater area in 1966. All three herds are on Record of Performance, and have achieved many high Records of Production. All three herds have also taken advantage of the Grading Service offered by the Holstein Friesian Association of Canada, and have in their stables at the present time a great many animals that are graded Good and Very Good. These are also show herds. Several prizes have been won by cattle from these herds, at the Ontario Black and White Show, the East Central Championship Show at Peterboro and the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair. The tour was under the supervision of Mr. Neil Raines, President of the Ontario County Holstein Club and Mr. Gerry Nelson, Holstein Fieldman.

## Firemen Fight House Blaze

By ISABEL ANNIS BROUGHAM—The fire brigade was called out early Saturday morning to assist Whitby and East Pickering Fire Units to extinguish a fire at the home of Milton Parkin, east of Kinsale on No. 7 Highway. Mrs. Harder has announced that Achievement Day will be held in the Brougham Hall, April 22, which will include Ontario South Clubs, with Ontario Centre Clubs Achievement Day at Uxbridge, April 15. The next meeting of the Brougham Women's Institute will be held April 17 instead of April 11 due to the Hodgekenny being held at Uxbridge April 11. Weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. George Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Perry, Toronto, Mrs. Allan Perry, Rosemary and Pearl, Mrs. Norman Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Clodd and Donald of Oshawa. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Johnston and family enjoyed the Easter holidays visiting friends in Oakland New Jersey. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Lunney spent Easter holidays in Northern Ontario. The girls of Mrs. Donaldson's Sunday School Class enjoyed a birthday luncheon after Sunday School. Elizabeth Malcolm celebrated her birthday last week. Mrs. Leonard Barrett and Mrs. Roy Miller spent the holiday week in Mexico.

## 4-H Club Holds Luncheon

By MAY E. BROWN GREENWOOD—The Greenwood Maple Leaves 4-H Club held their final meeting with a buffet luncheon. Each girl provided a description of one or two of the provinces of Canada and Mrs. C. E. Pegg showed slides of the provinces the girls had described. The leaders, Mrs. Ken McTaggart and Mrs. Grant Pascoe and club members are to be congratulated on their special Centennial Unit. On Sunday morning Robert David, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Pegg, was baptized at the church service. Mr. and Mrs. Rod Oxford returned Sunday following a holiday in Florida. They are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pascoe for a few days before going to their home on Pigeon Lake. Mrs. Kate Wilson of Whitby visited with her nieces, Mildred and Gertrude Corbett for a few days in the Easter holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Courtice of Pickering visited with Mrs. Ed. Pascoe, Friday.

## Murray Dunkeld Corn Champion

CLAREMONT—Two Claremont district farmers captured championships at the annual Ontario County Seed Fair and Hay Show held at Beaverton, March 28. Forty exhibitors showed a total of 80 entries. Murray Dunkeld, Claremont, R.R.2, took the ear corn title while Albert Hockley, Claremont, R.R.1, was crowned potato champ. Other championships went to Leslie Smith, Port Perry (hay); Bill Batty, Brooklin, (fall wheat); Bruce Heayn, Port Perry (oats) and Jim Rennie, Blackwater (barley). The top three winners in each class were: Name and address of winner: Fall Wheat—Bill Batty, Brooklin; Russell Morrison, Beaverton; Les Smith, Port Perry. Oats, Late—Bill Batty, Brooklin; Russell Morrison, Beaverton.

Oats, any other variety named: Bill Batty, Brooklin; Les Smith, Port Perry; Russell Morrison, Beaverton. Barley, 6 rowed, any variety—Russell Morrison, Beaverton. Barley, 2 rowed—Leslie Smith, Port Perry; Norman Down, Oshawa; Walter Beath, Oshawa. Ear Corn, any variety—Murray Dunkeld, Claremont; George Paisley, Uxbridge; Frank Brooks, Mount Albert. Potatoes, foundation or certified, early—Albert Hockley, Claremont. Potatoes, table stock—Albert Hockley, Claremont; Ivan Norton, Goodwood; Frank Hendy, Claremont. Silage Corn—Donald Alves, Brooklin; Harry Furniss, Brechin; Walter Beath, Oshawa.

1st Cut Hay, 75% or more grass—Les Smith, Port Perry; Ivan Norton, Goodwood; Bill Batty, Brooklin. 1st Cut Hay, 75% or more legume—Bill Batty, Brooklin; Les Smith, Port Perry; Harold Norton, Claremont. 1st Cut Hay, mixed—Les Smith, Port Perry; Bill Batty, Brooklin; Ivan Norton, Goodwood. 2nd Cut Hay—Bill Batty, Brooklin; Ivan Norton, Goodwood; Harold Norton, Claremont. Junior Section Oats, any variety named—Bruce Heayn, Port Perry; Jim Gerrow, Port Perry; Roy Gerrow, Port Perry. Oats, Rodney—Bruce Morrison, Beaverton. Barley, any variety named—Jim Rennie, Blackwater; Robert Smith, Port Perry; Donovan Smith, Port Perry. Potatoes, late or early grown from certified seed—Bonnie Norton, Claremont; Linda Johnston, Uxbridge; Bruce Norton, Claremont. 1st Cut Hay—Robert Smith, Port Perry; Bruce Smith, Port Perry; Donovan Smith, Port Perry. 2nd Cut Hay—Bonnie Norton, Claremont; Bruce Norton, Claremont.

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## Plan to attend the MISSIONARY CONVENTION APRIL 11-16

### in STOUFFVILLE UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH

TUESDAY, April 11, 6:30 p.m.—AFRICAN DINNER sponsored by the young people of our church. FILM: "NARCISO" (No charge—free will missionary offering). WEDNESDAY, April 12, 8 p.m.—MISS RUBY WILSON of Nigeria, with a message from the Harold Knights family via pictures and tape (Sponsored by our W.M.S.). THURSDAY, April 13, 8 p.m.—REV. KENNETH RUPP of Sierra Leone. Early birds who arrive by 7:45 will see a 15 minute travelogue of Russia in color. FRIDAY, April 14, 8 p.m.—REV. WAYNE BRENEMAN, associate editor of the Missionary Banner and recently of Nigeria. Early birds will see a 15 minute travelogue of Greece at 7:45. SUNDAY, April 16, 10 a.m.—THE REV. ALFRED REES FAMILY of Calcutta, India, in the Sunday School. 11 a.m.—MR. REES will tell of his work in India. 7:30 p.m.—REV. WILLIAM TYLER of Overseas Missionary Fellowship (formerly China Inland Mission), plus film "MISSION OF HOPE." The public is cordially invited to any one or all of these missionary meetings. Come and bring a friend.

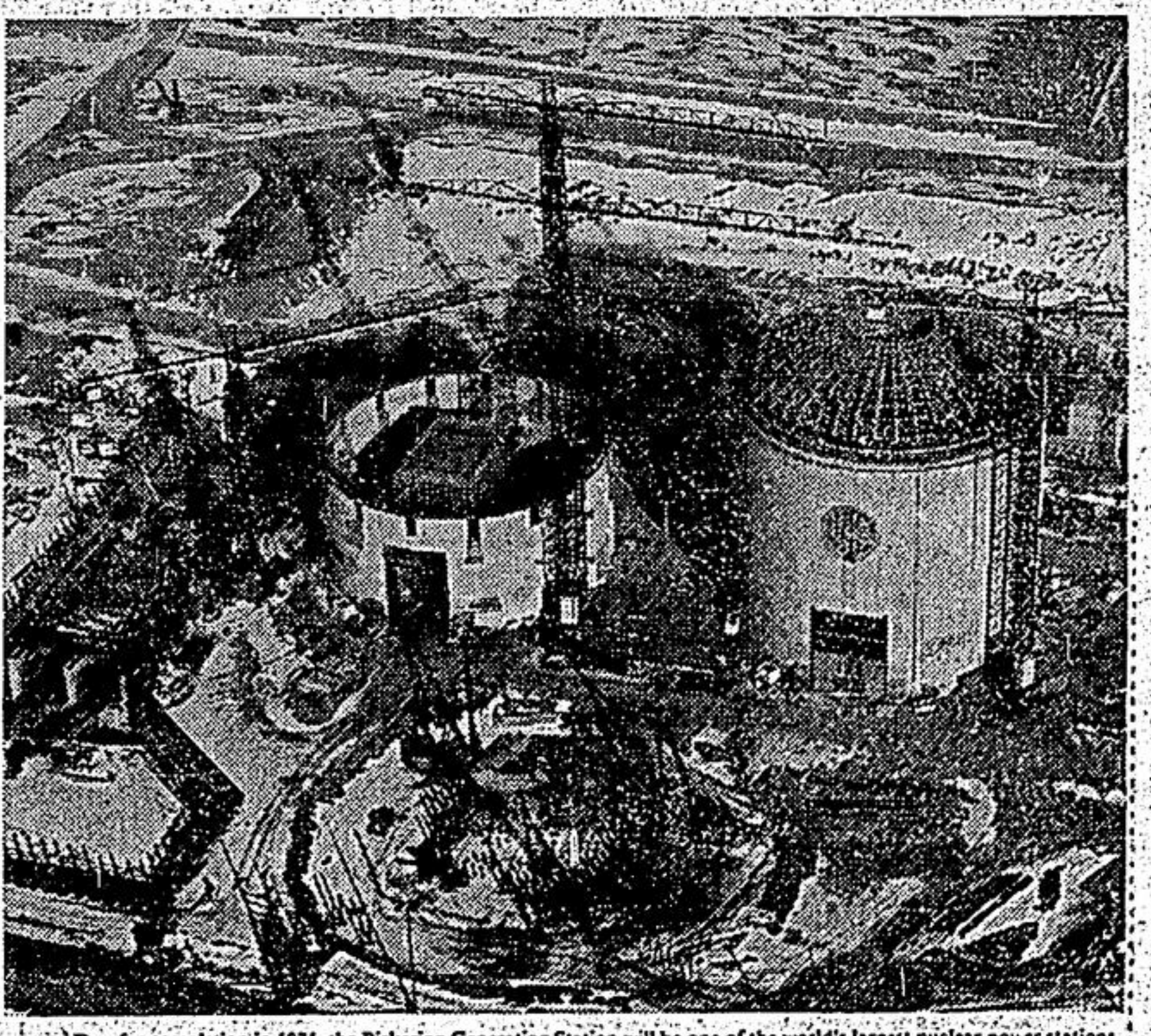
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