

80 CANDLES BURN ON BIRTHDAY CAKE

F. X. Moisan Marks Day, 53rd Wedding Anniversary is Now History

F. X. Moisan, of Brooks, Ore., observed his 80th birthday at his home yesterday with a party at which five of his children were present. In spite of his half century and thirty years, he is still spry and takes an active part in the management of his farm. One of the features of his party was his birthday cake, on which were burning 80 candles. He has 14 children, 12 of whom are living. He was born and raised on the very place where he now lives. He and his wife observed their 53rd anniversary last September. "And we are planning on at least 20 more," he declared. For the last five or six years, Mr. Moisan has devoted his attention to the growing of peppermint. In this enterprise he has been particularly successful.

EDUCATION DEFINED IN SILVERTON TALK

Pacific Lutheran College Professor Speaks at Trinity Church

SILVERTON, Ore., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—"The purpose of education is to meet needs of life," said Prof. P. Hauge of Pacific Lutheran College at Parkland, Wash., at a speech given before an audience numbering some 300 at Trinity church Sunday afternoon. "The building in which the education is being given," Prof. Hauge went on to say, "is but the scaffold upon which the carpenter stands, the teachers are the carpenters and the students the materials. It is during the high school and college age of young people that their character is formed. It is during this age that they should be under the correct influence." Prof. Hauge stressed the point of Christian education without neglecting the physical and mental divisions. "Fatigue," he continued, "lowers the moral standard of men. It is essential that we have strong bodies. But more important than this in a college education is the forming of ideals. The world has the standard of advertisement. 'Wanted a Man.' Too often a pigmy answers." Prof. Hauge closed his talk with saying, "True satisfaction in life is health, education and religion, and of these religion is the greatest." Prof. Hauge's talk was only a part of the program given from the college. Other numbers included vocal quartets, solos, duets, piano numbers, and pipe organ solos. The Rev. O. J. Ordahl, president of the college, acted as chairman of this division of the afternoon's entertainment. Numbers put on by the Local Trinity Young People's society, under whose auspices the program was given, were a vocal solo by Miss Marie Corhouse, piano solo by Mrs. Glenn Howe, and a cornet solo by Amos Benson. John Goplerud, a former student of the P. L. C., greeted the delegation of the college. A special local number was a talk by Miss Ida Tweeton, county health nurse, who spoke on the work of the health association, giving its history and what it was doing. At the business meeting the annual election of officers was resulting in president, M. Storrest; vice president, Victor Madsen; secretary, Miss Myrna Sather; treasurer, John Goplerud, Jr.; assistant treasurer, Jalmer Refsland.

FRUIT PACK VALUE IS SET AT \$2,000

Silverton Food Products Company Reports Less Than \$10,000 Unsold

SILVERTON, Or., Dec. 15.—(Special to The Statesman.)—More than \$82,000 worth of fruit was canned at the Silverton Food Products company this year, according to a report given at a special meeting of the company Saturday last at the company's warehouse. Of this, less than \$10,000 worth of goods is left at the cannery, and of the \$10,000 worth, very little is unsold, but nearly all has been sold for future delivery. The meeting, which was an all-day get-together of the stockholders and their friends was a particularly successful meeting in that it showed the stockholders the equipment of the company, the way the business was carried on, and gave them an idea of the prospects of the future. A basket dinner was enjoyed at noon, making the affair very informal. The coffee which was served to everyone present was cooked in the steam preserving kettle. John Goplerud, president of the company, conducted the business meeting, which was held after the basket dinner. Mr. Goplerud so explained the purpose of the meeting and spoke of the future prospects of the cannery as being particularly good. Speakers during the afternoon included T. P. Risteigen, who spoke on the finances and on business confidence; W. F. Gerin, who spoke on "Getting Behind the Cannery"; Nevin Cookley and F. Gillette who both explained how the berries should be prepared for the cannery; A. G. Steelhammer spoke on the favorable prospects of the cannery. Other speakers were G. H. Ottaway, Norris Ames, A. Cobberly and E. Nelson. M. Storrest, the company accountant, gave a good summary of the year's business. The next meeting will be held at the company warehouse January 11. At this time another basket dinner will be served and the election of officers will take place. Mr. Goplerud said, in speaking of the cannery, that it certainly was putting Oregon and Silverton on the map as Oregon prunes, canned at the Silverton plant, were being served regularly on the Northern Pacific dining car, and that letters were continually being received from various points asking where the Oregon prunes canned by the Silverton Food Products company can be purchased.

WOMEN'S BUSINESS CLUB HOLDS MEET

Congratulations Received on Formation of Body, May Sponsor Film

SILVERTON, Or., Dec. 15.—(Special to The Statesman.)—The newly organized Business and Professional Women's club met for its second regular meeting on Monday evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. At this time it was decided to make this the regular place of meeting. Very little business came before the club at the Monday night meeting. The idea of sponsoring a motion picture at some future date was discussed but no definite action was taken on the question. The purpose of the show would be to raise funds for the work of the club. A number of letters of congratulations upon the organization were received and read from other clubs in the state. A feature of the evening was the parliamentary law drill which was put on by Miss Rosella Richardson, chairman of the program committee.

OREGON TEACHERS PLAN ANNUAL MEET

Sessions to Open in Portland on December 29, Program Released

Teachers from all sections of Oregon will gather in Portland December 29 for the annual session of the Oregon State Teachers' association, according to E. F. Charleton of Eugene, chairman of the committee on information. The program was prepared by Miss Cornelia J. Spencer of Portland, president of the association; Dean E. D. Ressler of Oregon Agricultural college, secretary, and

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COUNTY NEWS BRIEFS

Auburn
Dr. Fred W. Lange, the county herd inspector, has been testing cows for tuberculosis in this vicinity this week. So far no reactors are reported.
Auburn school has enrolled this winter three sets of twins, Roy and Floy Baumgartner, Lloyd and Floyd Ambrose, and Ray and Roy Bliven.
The school children are busy preparing a program to be given Christmas eve.
The members of the Sunday school are arranging a Christmas service and program for Sunday afternoon, December 20, at 2:30 p. m. Mr. B. J. Kimber of the Salem YMCA will be present and will lead the song service. Mrs. Lloyd Lee will present a piano solo, and a Christmas dialogue by young men from the Fruitland Sunday school is expected. The "Wide Awake" and "Star" classes combined, are preparing a motion picture entitled "Do You Know the Story Well." Also a class exercise. The "Live Wire" class will give a special song selection, and a number of readings and recitations, and two of its members, Marie and Anthea Elfstrom will give a piano duet. And the "Adult Bible Class" will give two special songs, "A Christmas Carol," and "God's Peace on Earth." Rev. C. C. Poling will bring the Christmas message. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.
C. W. Cady is suffering a slight attack of grippe.
The Auburn road is showing the effect of the winter rains, and is developing several bad holes and ruts, and bumpy culvert and tile crossings.
T. J. Gade and son Hale have been pulling up a few fruit trees in this neighborhood.
Auburn is strictly on the map in the poultry industry, there being located here about nine or 10 hatcheries and one of the largest fatcheries in the state. The latter is owned and operated by Lloyd Lee. He has just imported a new 47,000 Smith incubator—electric-heated with an electrical fan—which added to one already installed gives a capacity of 24,000 eggs per setting. One of these machines, composed an entire carload. In January operations begin, and quite a number of helpers will be employed, as there is to be also added a salesroom for brooders and chick shipping boxes.
About 14 friends gave Mrs. W. G. Walling a birthday surprise party Monday evening, December 14. They brought cakes and other good things to eat; also a number of nice gifts.

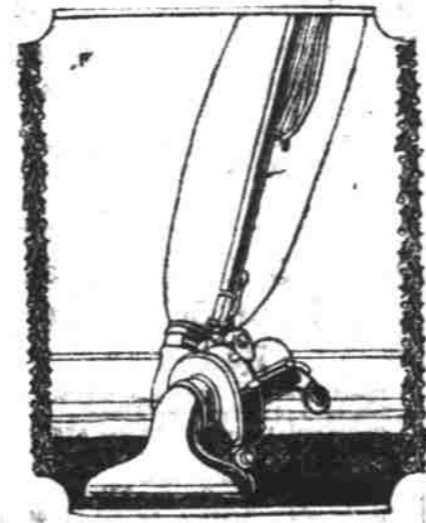
Cloverdale
Mr. and Mrs. Schampierre were shopping in Salem Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. M. Fliflet and Mrs. Arthur Kanke were among the Salem visitors Saturday.
Mrs. Hazel Morris of Ilihee attended the school directors' meeting held in Salem Saturday.
J. Norris of Summit Hill is on the sick list.
Mr. Vella of Boulder, Colo., who is visiting in Oregon this winter, called at the home of J. M. Hamilton Sunday.
The Clear Lake Literary society is to stage a four act play entitled "Home Ties" at the Cloverdale school house Friday night, December 18. Part of the cast are old friends and residents of Cloverdale and a full house is expected to greet them, as many former residents of Cloverdale will be present and a good time is promised for all. Don't forget, December 18.
Hazel Green
Sunday school will have Christmas program at 7:30 o'clock, December 20. The playlet, "A Christmas Candle" will be given. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schneider visited A. Vogt at Monmouth Sunday. Mrs. Orville Luckey was brought home from the hospital Sunday.
The Sunday school will go as a body to the convention of council of religious instruction at Keiser December 27.
Mrs. Hahsbacher and children and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Zelinski and children, W. O. Zelinski and family and others met at Ralph Van Cleave's Friday evening for a social and to string pop corn for the Christmas tree at the school.
Violet Van Cleave received a fine Alredale puppy from Oakland having written best letter containing reasons why she should have dog offered.

Stayton
Elmer Rabens, a 19 year old boy of Sublimity, and a young man, 23, named Hayes, from Mehama were arrested here last Friday upon the complaint of robbing Ditters store in Sublimity, and taken to Stayton for a hearing. The two boys were placed in jail under \$1000 bonds. Friends of the Rabens boy furnished bail at once for his release, while the other remained in jail for a longer period. The store was robbed on the night of Dec. 1st about \$75 worth of merchandise taken. The boys left at once for Coos county and upon their return were picked up. Rabens confessed and told the officers where the stolen goods were cached.
A telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Roxie Lake, of Watsonville, Cal., was received here recently by friends of the deceased.

She was in her usual health when stricken by paralysis and lived but 3 hours after. Mrs. Lake was born and raised near Stayton and her sudden passing came as a shock to friends and relatives. She leaves two brothers, H. E. Smith of Portland and John W. Smith of Sublimity and a son Darrel Lake of Watsonville, Cal. She was a cousin of J. T. Kearns and Miss Susan Kearns of Stayton.
While driving on the crowded streets last Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Jack Edwards of Aumsville, in a Ford car, struck and knocked to the pavement a four year old child, who was stunned to unconsciousness by the impact. The child was picked up and carried to the office of Dr. H. A. Beachamp who applied restoratives. The child was not seriously injured. The accident occurred on the corner near the Stayton hotel.
Max Kearns visited here Sunday with his aunt, Miss Susan Kearns. The young man is a wireless operator on a steamship plying Alaskan waters and has become so thorough in the work as to reach head place on the staff. He has signed up for another year with the company. He returned to Portland to spend the remainder of his vacation with his brother Lewis Kearns.
The regular monthly meeting of the parent-teachers' association was held in the school auditorium Monday night. A good crowd was in attendance and an entertaining program given. The association holds its meeting on the 2nd Monday in each month.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brewer and their son Robert Keith drove over from Tillamook Sunday spending the day here with relatives. Mr. Brewer is connected with the La Marr Drug company of Tillamook and is a son of Mrs. Allie Brewer of Stayton.
Baker and Ryan have sold their Chevrolet garage here to a Newberg man, and will give possession the first of the year. It is generally understood that they are taking over a business in Newberg on the deal, and will be leaving here for the new field soon.
A dozen or more couples of Stayton's society people went to Union Hill Saturday night where they were in attendance at a masquerade ball given by the people of that community. A general good time was reported by those forming the crowd going from here.
J. R. Gardner is suffering from an infection in one of his hands. The infection started from a hole on his fore finger and has caused him considerable pain and annoyance.
Stayton high school basketball teams played their first game of the season Friday night when they met the Turner teams in a double header, defeating the visitors in both games. An unusually large crowd witnessed the playing.
Mrs. Mary Allen has as her house guest during the week, her sister-in-law, who is visiting here from Silverton.
Mrs. M. E. Phillips and her daughter, Mrs. Millie Monroe of Mehama were in Stayton doing their Christmas shopping Monday.

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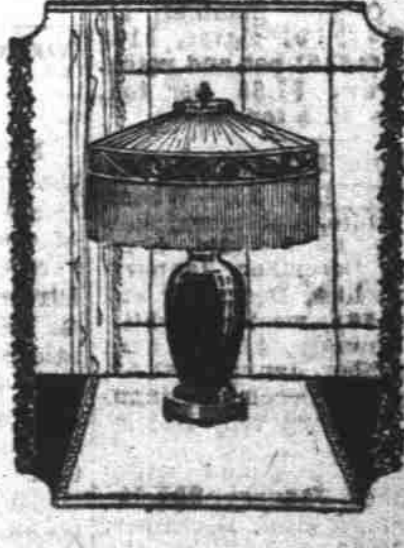
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