

# "Doc" Riley's Birthday Honored by Host of Friends

## FRIENDS GREET P. O. RILEY

### Hubbard Springs Hotel Is Scene of Banquet and Program

HUBBARD, May 5.—Dr. P. O. Riley, surrounded by friends, flowers and gifts, celebrated his 50th birthday anniversary Saturday night at the Hubbard Springs hotel.

A banquet preceded the musical program. The program, on which artists from Salem, Silverton and Portland appeared, was in charge of L. V. Jenkins, chief of the Portland police department.

Jaqueline Duke, eight year old Portland violinist, played with remarkable skill. The little girl was accompanied by Miss Virginia McKrill of Portland at the piano and directed by Mrs. Mary D. Dodge, assistant director of the Portland Junior orchestra. Chief Jenkins explained that the child had been a musician all her life; that she played the violin at the age of three years and that at the age of four years she made her first public appearance. This little blue eyed, flaxen-haired miss won the admiration of all present.

Miss Irene Morley, Silverton's talented violinist, also played two pleasing selections, one of which was the Spanish Rhapsody, composed by Hal Campbell, director of music in the Silverton schools. Mr. Campbell was the accompanist for Miss Morley.

Another outstanding number was that of piano accordion solos played by Miss Roberta Morgan of Salem.

William Kiebb, a cornetist from Silverton entertained with a solo. The lad was accompanied by his instructor, Hal Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb of Portland sang a duet and Mrs. H. F. Blakeslee of Portland police department sang a group of Irish melodies.

The musical program was concluded by "pep" singing led by Tommy Luke, Portland florist.

The musical numbers were interspersed with short talks by Henry Crawford of Salem, director of Marion county Federated clubs; by C. A. Sprague of Salem, editor of the Oregon Statesman; by L. A. Beckman, president of the Hubbard bank and by J. R. Bidgood, principal of the Hubbard schools.

The honored guest, Dr. Riley, was the theme chosen by the speakers in behalf of the community clubs in Marion county.

Dr. Riley responded and said that this, his first birthday celebration, would be one never to be forgotten.

Following the program the big birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream, centered with a capital "R".

Then "Hy" Everding waxed the floor and dancing was enjoyed till a late hour. Jack Gligray, musical director of the Ben Selling boy's orchestra played for the dance.

### Liberty

LIBERTY, May 5.—D. J. Richards of Portland who recently purchased the Gary Martin place has taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dencor were recent Monmouth visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Philpott and daughter, Miss June Philpott of Salem, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dencor.

Mrs. Wilbur J. Falloon of Portland spent Thursday night as a guest at the Fred Scott home. Mrs. Falloon will be remembered to many as Golda Adams who formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knight and daughter Charlotte visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cronn over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanton visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Gunnell, Miss Katharine Gunnell and Mrs. Gunnell spent Sunday in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dencor had Newell Dixon of Portland as their guest for two days the past week.

Mrs. Jane Cloyd who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Dencor has returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Vancouver, Washington.

A number of Liberty girls who were former school mates of Velda Ohmart, attended a party on Thursday evening which was given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ohmart of Salem.

Clarence Stacy, proprietor of the Fox farm has recently purchased an additional seven acres adjoining his farm. He is also building a new barn.

### Amity

AMITY, May 3.—H. W. Frewing and H. G. Richter spent several days of last week at Pacific City fishing.

Waldo Lyons of California was a visitor at the R. Tallman home last week.

Mrs. Lucy Patty has been quite ill for the past week.

Swan Erickson and Ted Barker were at Longview recently. The Ollinger sawmill in the Yampo district has been closed for the past two weeks, but as soon as repairs are completed, the mill will operate again.

R. R. Massey has purchased another new Federal six truck.

Dean Craven was a Portland visitor last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Abraham and family spent Sunday with relatives at Albany.

J. A. Prophet of Corvallis was in Amity on Thursday looking after property interests.

W. S. Walton, vice president of Ladd and Bush bank, of Salem, was in town on Friday looking after business.

## KEIZER H A S BOOSTER PUBLIC WORKER ALSO

### Mrs. G. N. Thompson Has Faith in Community Club



Mrs. Thompson still interested in all sorts of educational work.

An enthusiastic booster for the Keizer community is Mrs. G. N. Thompson, Statesman correspondent from that district. Not even a real estate salesman with all the land in the district to sell could be more of a booster for this prosperous community than is Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Thompson is a former school teacher and is interested in all sorts of educational work. She is an ardent worker in the Evangelical church, the W. C. T. U. and the Women's Relief Corps. Her chief pride is her grandchildren, but she is a woman of wide interests and activities.

Mrs. Thompson is always an active booster for the Statesman and during the past year secured more subscriptions for the paper than any other correspondent.

The Thompson farm is largely in orchard and during the prune harvesting season Mrs. Thompson is kept very busy. She does much of the bookkeeping and business detail of the work of handling the crop. She drives her own car and manages to cover a vast territory and get a surprising amount of work done each day.

## AMITY HAS 'BETTER HOMES' CAMPAIGN

AMITY, May 5.—On May 2 at eight o'clock, the Civic Improvement club sponsored a splendid program which was held at the high school gymnasium.

Last week was "Better Home Week" at Amity. Each business home decorated their window for "Better Home Week" and a prize was given to the best decorator by the Civic Improvement club.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Strout who operate a general merchandise store here received the prize. Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Torbet also received a prize for the best kept lawn in Amity.

### Rosedale

ROSEDALE, May 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bates visited the Fred Crozer family at Newberg last Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Barton and son of Pratts visited her mother, Mrs. Edith Corbit, at the home of Mrs. Cammack last Saturday afternoon.

Dan Truax, who has been in Pennsylvania for several years, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Chester Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ladd and boys have moved into the house formerly owned by Mrs. Rauck.

Mrs. Rice came home Sunday evening after spending a week with her daughter at Yamhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Alexander dined with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turnbull last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bates, who have been living in Salem during the winter, are moving back to Albany where he is employed by the Hunt Cannery company.

Forest and Paul Cammack were in Albany on business Monday.

Helen Tucker, Margaret Chaner and Margaret Campbell had exhibits at the county 4-H club demonstrations in Salem last Friday.

Mrs. Albert Brownlee of Keizer with her two children, Ruth and Billy, attended the missionary society meeting at the home of Mrs. Norman Alexander on Wednesday afternoon.

A few from here attended the Portland Bible institute conference at two Sunday last Sunday afternoon. Miss Laura Cammack was one of the representatives.

Jr. Alexander entertained a few of his small friends at a birthday party on Wednesday afternoon, April 23.

### Aurora

AURORA, May 5.—Prof. Southwick will remove his family to Talent, Jackson county, where he has accepted a position in the school. The change is in the nature of a promotion, as the school is a much larger one. The family have all been active in community affairs and will be missed.

Mrs. Millard E. Lent of Portland has been with her sister, Mrs. E. E. Bradt, who is slowly recovering from an injury to the eye.

Mrs. George Wurstler and her guest, Miss Art Stahl, were Portland visitors Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Draper has accepted a position in the Salem schools. Miss Ramsby also will teach elsewhere, having accepted a position at North Howell.

Mrs. A. L. Strickland had no sooner returned from a trip with her sister, Deat Kent of Eugene, which covered the length of California and returns, with short stop overs and side trips to beaches and old missions, than she has gone again with Mr. Strickland to Eugene, then on to the coast for the weekend.

The friends of Nelson Wescott of Portland, who for years was editor of the Aurora Observer, will be glad to learn of the great improvement in his health, after years of illness he is now able to take long daily walks.

## HAZEL GREEN CLUB CLOSING YEAR'S WORK

### Program Enjoyed Before Group Adjourns Until October

HAZEL GREEN, May 5.—The last program of the season given by the Community club was well attended. The orchestra of Middle Grove school district gave several numbers. The members are Frank Olson and daughter, Miss Irene, Theodora Wacken, Walter Greenfelder, Kenneth and Melvin VanCleave, Chester McCain.

Miss Alma Stauffer gave two readings. Mrs. Olive Beardley and sons Donald and Orville, of Richey and Neal Fisher of Salem Heights delighted the audience with several vocal and instrumental numbers.

Miss Virginia Berg of Salem sang, playing her own accompaniment on a ukulele.

Mrs. Russell of Salem gave readings and Leonard Flast, with cornet, Arthur Clemens, saxophone, Neal Fisher, drums and Mrs. Headrick at the piano, gave two numbers.

A very unusual number was a group of songs given in the German language by the Saucy brothers, David, Pierre and Mark of Hayesville, Harold Slattum, presented the boys' and girls' ball teams.

A short business meeting was held. The next meeting will be in October when officers will be elected.

## TURNER CLUB TO MEET ON MAY 12

The May meeting of the Turner community club will be held Monday evening, May 12. The program will be put on principally by the school children. A couple of short plays are among the several items of interest on the program.

The annual high school play will be given May 23. It is entitled "A Deal in Ducks." The cast has been chosen and they are planning for lots of hard work during the next three weeks.

W. T. Riches and daughter Rachel drove to Monmouth Saturday to witness the May Day exercises of the normal school. They were guests of Waldo Riches.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Robertson and family attended the celebration at Champeog Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Small and daughters Ella May and Jaqueline of Eugene spent the weekend at the homes of L. D. Roberts and I. H. Small, who are relatives. Mr. Small is connected with the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Mrs. M. D. Swab who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving. Her granddaughter, Maxine Childs of Salem is at the Swab home assisting in the care of her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mason arrived from Camas, Wash., Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Mason's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mason.

Miss Laverne Seehale, a teacher of the Cottage Grove school, spent the week-end in Jefferson, the guest of Miss Constance Bolderston.

In the baseball game Sunday between Jefferson and Aumsville, the score was 11 to 2 in Jefferson's favor.

Mrs. Lydia Hoyt, Lou Miller, Chester Miller and two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoyt, near Silverton Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Norton of Portland spent Sunday in Jefferson, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Thompson and sister, Mrs. Edna Allen.

Miss Helen Kiba of the University of Oregon and Marie Kiba of Middle Grove, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kiba.

Mr. and Mrs. Win and family, who have been occupying the J. T. Jones residence for several months, moved to their ranch near Marion last week.

## Silverton Merchants Sponsor Dairy Products Company

### Silverton Will Have Benefit Dance For Company 1

SILVERTON, May 5.—A group of Silverton business and professional men in co-operation with the Silverton Tribune is carrying on an advertising campaign in behalf of the dairy industry. The campaign is under the headings of "Wipe Out the Dairy Surplus." "There is No Substitute for Butter and Dairy Products," and "There is an over production in all foreign countries, hence the only relief is increased consumption at home."

Silverton merchants backing this campaign in the interest of the dairy industry include H. L. Stiff, Coote's Red & White, Ames Hardware, Legard & Adams, Co. and McCaine bank, Earl Harman Co., Starr Hardware, City Meat company, A. Lerrald, Hubbs Real Estate, Thomsen Dug Co., Silver Creek Creamery, Spring & Banks, Rudd Benton, Silverton Plumbing Co., First National Bank, Silverton Electric Shop, Silver Falls Timber Co., Retail Yard, Bonesteel-Silverton Co., the Reo restaurant, Allen Bros. Garage, Drake Bros. Studio, George's Place and Homeeeker's Agency.

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## Hubbard Girls Guests at P. C.

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The senior girls are Miss Helen Knight, Miss Agatha Voigt, Miss Geraldine Carlson, Miss Tava Morgan, Miss Hazel Moore, Miss Mariola Carlson and Miss Hazel Ingalls.

## Fern Ridge Road Being Repaired

STAYTON, May 5.—A crew of men is at work on the Fern ridge road which has long been in need of attention. It is said that the past winter the road was almost impassable in places.

As this is to be a market road, it will be the regulation 60 feet which will take five or more feet off property adjacent to the roadway. This road is much traveled.

ATTEND MISSION CONVENTION SILVERTON, May 5.—Mrs. M. G. Gunderson as president of the Oregon circuit of the Women's Missionary Federation, left Monday morning for a convention of the federation to be held their Tuesday. Mrs. Gunderson will preside at the three sessions of the circuit. Others motoring down with Mrs. Gunderson are Mrs. H. L. Foss, Mrs. O. Ormbrak, Mrs. Jasper Dullum and Miss Marie Tingstad. The party will return to Silverton on Wednesday.

## Little Women Given as Part of the May Day Program

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## THOMAS IS BACK IN OREGON TO STAY

KINGWOOD, May 5.—Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finley were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Thomas and daughter, Doris, and Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Partidge. They arrived Friday evening by motor from Van Nuys, a suburb of Los Angeles, Cal. They came over the Redwood highway.

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Junior, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gehlen, is ill with an attack of measles.

Norbert Dozier, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dozier, has gone to Iowa to visit relatives. He expects to enter medical college in the east the coming fall.

Gilbert Waurinis, who was taken suddenly ill was removed to a Salem hospital where he underwent an operation Friday morning. He is said to be convalescing nicely. Mr. Waurinis is proprietor of Riverside Dairy.

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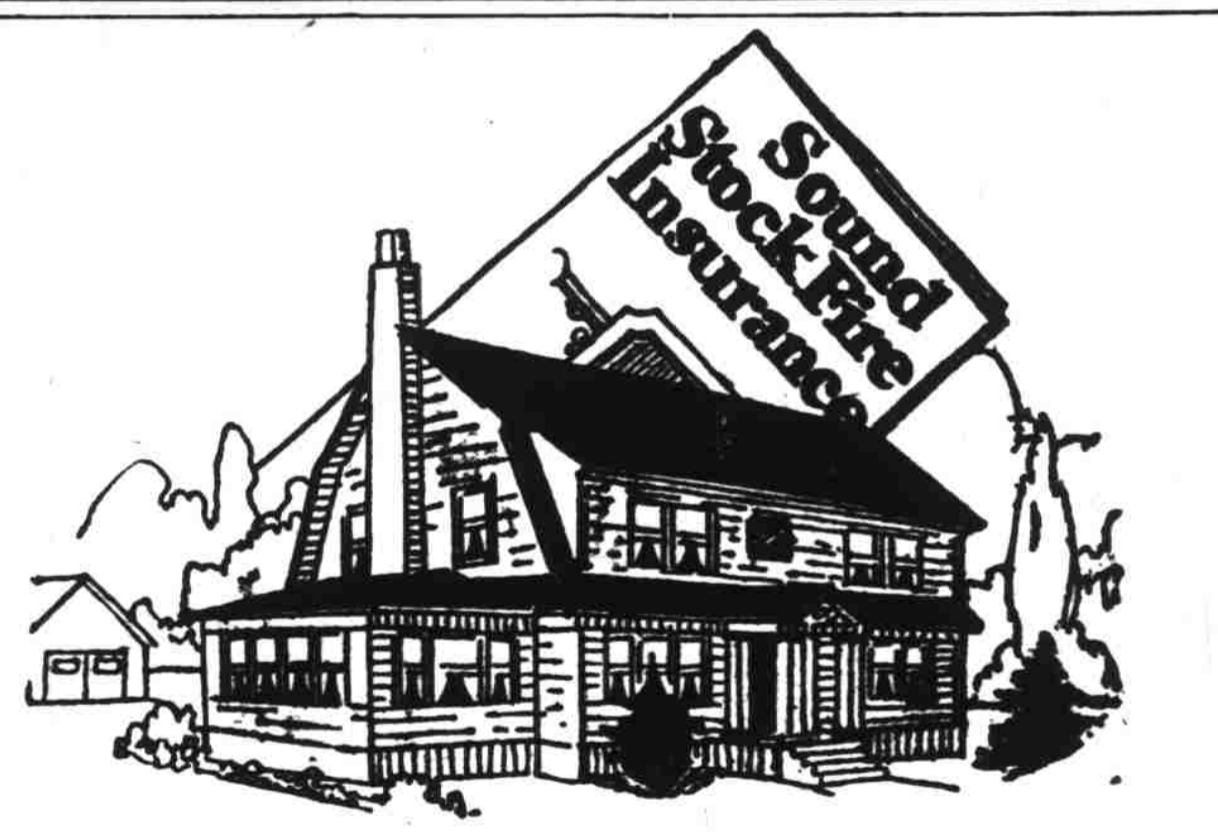
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