

Development of Mt. Angel Cooperative Creamery Reviewed

Patrons Added, Volume Gains

Inventor of Pasteurizing Method Tells of New Zealand's Co-ops

MT. ANGEL—Five hundred new patrons were added during the year by the Mt. Angel Cooperative creamery and volume was increased by 300,000 pounds, or 13.2 per cent, R. J. Berning, cooperative president, announced at the first day of the annual patrons meeting in the Mt. Angel auditorium yesterday. The meeting was attended by over 1500 persons.

Among the day's outstanding speakers was F. F. Board of New Zealand, co-inventor of the vacuum type pasteurizer used by four plants in North America, one of which is the Mt. Angel creamery. The pasteurization effected by the process is said to be almost 100 per cent perfect.

The 400,000,000 pounds of butter produced annually in New Zealand is considered the finest in the world, Board said. All of it is produced by cooperative organizations.

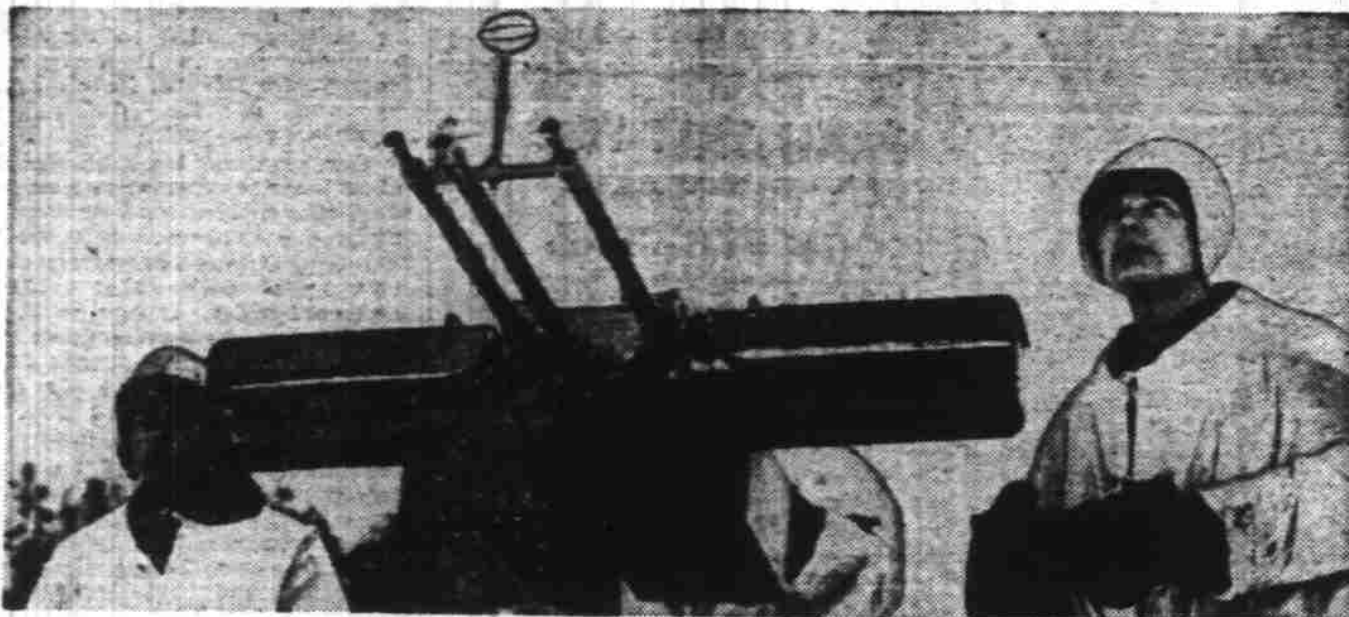
Over \$64,000 has been returned by the Mt. Angel creamery to producers in excess of the market price during the year and an undistributed balance of \$30,000 remains to go out as patrons' dividends at the end of the year, reported Frank Fetter, manager of the creamery and chairman of the meeting. Volume is so large and quality so good that top prices are received, he said.

The state cream grading law which attempts to coordinate state and federal grading has enabled the dairy industry to make a marked progress, E. W. Metzger, chief of the division of food and dairies of the department of agriculture, said.

G. C. Jeeney, manager of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry producers, Professor G. H. Wisler, head of dairy division at Oregon State college, and J. D. Mickle, state director of agriculture, also spoke, congratulating the creamery on its success.

The meeting will continue tomorrow.

Finn 'Mystery Gun' Brings Down Russ Planes



Reported responsible for bringing down large numbers of Soviet bombers is a "revolutionary" war invention, a train anti-aircraft gun, pictured being operated by white-clad Finnish soldiers deep in snow covered woods. Exact operating method of the weapon is a Finnish military secret, but they are transported in large numbers on railway cars. Advances December 26 reported long range Soviet artillery shells were causing large fires in the abandoned Finnish city of Viipuri.

Winners Named At Mt. Angel

Yule Decoration Awards Go to F. Schmidt, Mt. Angel Hotel

MT. ANGEL—Announcement was made at the Business Men's club luncheon Monday noon that the Mt. Angel hotel was the winner of the first prize for Christmas decorations in the business houses division and Francis Schmidt for illumination of residences. Winners of second and third place in the first division were Mt. Angel News and Kilinger and Bauman respectively. For residences Alois Kebler took second prize and William Kiofti third.

A full report of the Christmas program was made by Leo Withers, chairman of the committee in charge, and he and his colleagues were given a vote of thanks for their work.

Members of the Business Men's club have taken over the work of serving at the patrons' dinner for the Mt. Angel cooperative creamery and Dr. A. F. E. Schierbaum was appointed director of the group. At the suggestion of Schierbaum the club voted in favor of securing headbands with the inscription "Mt. Angel Business Men's Club." E. B. Stolle was instructed to print 60 of the bands.

G. D. Ebner of the sick committee reported that Frank Ledoux was in St. Vincent's hospital at Portland.

Ticket sellers for the next luncheon are Louis Schwab and Ben Travis.

Guests at Monday's meeting included Mary Bee Zollner, Geraldine Gilles, Mrs. E. J. Corcoran and Jake Eberle.

Grangers News

WEST SALEM—Grange will meet Thursday night for installation of officers and obligations in the first four degrees. Glenn Adams will be in charge.

Yule Parties Given, Lyons

Holiday Festivities Are Started With School, Church Programs

LYONS—The Christmas day festivities began in Lyons Thursday when the Lyons school presented its program at the Rebekek hall. The Fox Valley school had its program and Christmas tree at the school house Friday night. The Sunday school had their Christmas tree Sunday night. A pageant "When Christ Was Born" was presented by the Epworth League members. After the program the children were treated to a sack of candy and nuts. Several Christmas baskets were taken to the older ones who were unable to attend.

Many friends and relatives were entertained at the various homes, with many going away for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinsman and daughters Jacqueline and Joan spent the holiday in Portland with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Smith's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bosch at Hallin Home.

Dinner guests at the Hugo Hallin home Christmas day were, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hallin and son, Billie of North Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wheeler and daughter Barbara of Tillamook, Mr. and Mrs. Ver Miller of Portland, Miss Genevieve Hallin, George and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen were dinner guests at the home of Mr. Allen's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. John Worden. Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bressler were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hiatt and children Yvonne and Jimmie of Roseburg, Mrs. Alex Bodeker, Constance and Betty Jean and Elmer Hiatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Garrison and son Gerry, Mrs. Evelyn O'Brien, visited relatives in Lyons and Mehama. Miss Maxine Huber and George Keeley spent the weekend in Aberdeen, Washington at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keeley. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hiatt and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hiatt spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thoma in Stayton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vaughn and Mrs. Evelyn spent the weekend in Silverton at the home of Mrs. Helen Vaughn and Pre Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Brassfield and Bob were Christmas day guests with relatives in Salem.

Family Holiday Dinners Given

Christmas Observed With Programs, Gatherings at Jefferson

JEFFERSON—Christmas programs presented by the grade school Thursday afternoon and high school Friday morning and the various Sunday schools in Jefferson Sunday were well attended. Christmas messages were delivered Sunday morning by ministers of the three churches, with special Christmas music. Many happy family dinners were enjoyed, while others spent the day with relatives and friends out of town.

Dr. J. O. Van Winkle and son Richard spent the day in Portland, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Van Winkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelps and son Francis were guests of Mr. Phelps' brother Clair Phelps and family in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Looney spent the day with Mrs. Looney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Regester in Lebanon.

Go to Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Marion D. Looney visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson and family at Preston, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Jones attended a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. Charles Gee and Mr. Gee at Knox Butte.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wiley were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Holloway of Canby, and Mrs. Lila Whitbeck, of Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Terhune entertained the following guests: Mrs. Jessie G. Smith, Margaret and Edward Corvallis; Mrs. Edith C. Anderson of Salem; George B. Terhune, Mrs. Ruth Davis, Mrs. Smith and children and Mrs. Anderson spent several days with the Terhune family.

Home from School

Students attending college, and enjoying the Christmas season at their homes, include Miss Gertrude Rehfeld from the Portland Bible school; Burton Thurston, from the Bible school at Eugene; Miss Juanita Holt and Miss Helen King, of Willamette university; Frank Phelps and Bob Terhune from Oregon State college.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yagelaki and Laverne spent Christmas with relatives at Vancouver, Wash.

Ray Bostwick left last week for Soledad, Kas., for a visit with relatives and Phyllis and Bob Bostwick, who is there assisting in caring for her father who is ill. Bostwick expects to be gone six weeks. Their daughter, Roberta Bostwick, will stay with friends here during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keith, who is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kihns. Covers were placed for two children of Chemawa, Miss Laura Kihns of Salem, Walter Kihns of Seio, and Mr. and Mrs. Kihns and son John Kihns.

Sees Three Children Die



Mrs. Marie Worthley of Chicago is shown being comforted by her husband after they had been forced to stand by helplessly while their three children, William Edward, 8 1/2 years old, Donna Jean, 20 months, and Judith, 7 months, died in a fire which swept their apartment.

1200 Christmas Sacks Given Away

Woodburn Legion Women Distribute Treats to Children

WOODBURN—The American Legion auxiliary distributed about 1200 Christmas sacks to children of Woodburn and surrounding community Saturday afternoon.

Many family dinners and holiday visitors featured Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pavleck and child spent the Christmas holidays with friends in Woodburn.

Mrs. Lena Nehl visited over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Gibbons in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman gave a dinner Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis, Jaqueline and Eugene Roy of Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hicks, Captain and Mrs. Elburn T. Sims, Miss Patti Sims, Paul Halter, Mrs. Mary Whitman, Mrs. Maude Hicks, Jack Lee, Dick and Virginia Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beach also gave a dinner on Monday, those present were Mrs. Russell Burd and Stirling Burd of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman of Eugene.

Mr. Carl Lindeken of Richmond, Calif., is visiting his parents at Woodburn, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindeken.

Miss Dorothy Austin of San Francisco has returned home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mayor and Mrs. Harold M. Austin.

Among the students who came home to spend the holidays were: Dick Whitman, Charles Shaw, Fred Evenden, Jr., Frank Surmeyer, Kenneth Arney, Andrew

Japanese Church Presents Program

Three Christmas Plays Are Given Sunday at Hazel Green

HAZEL GREEN—The fine Christmas program of the Salem Japanese church was presented Sunday night.

The cast of the play, "The Christmas Story," included Rubie Kaneko, Susumu Kyono, Martha Imagawa, Sakaya Kyono, Nobuko Kawata, Yoshie Kawata, Tom Yoshikaki, Masatoki Kyono, Harvey Kaneko, Henry Ogura, Ray Kyono, Henry Yoshikaki, Richard Ogura, Yutaka Kyono, Tom Imagawa, May Oye, Toyoko Kawata, Lilly Kaneko, Hisaka Kawata, Betty Takayama, Lorraine Takayama and Kate Kyono.

Music was furnished by: piano, Kate Kyono, organ, Rev. Y. Horikoshi; vocal solo, Esther Ogura; choir, Lillie Yoshikaki, Kate Kyono, Lorraine Takayama, Roy Kaneko, Tadeo Tokimoto, Mrs. Horikoshi, Harvey Harada, Hiroshi Kaneko, director, Rev. Y. Horikoshi.

Play "Soldiers and Christmas," had in the cast, Tadao Tokimoto, Harvey Harada, Paul Tanaka, Oda Haroshi Kaneko, Takashi Kyono, Ko Yada, Y. Kyono directed.

In "The Dust of the Road," were Peter Steel, Roy Kaneko, Prudence Steel, Lillie Yoshikaki, Takashi Kyono, Henry Tanaka, Yayeke Saito played a violin solo.

Arney, Joan Beck, Lue Jane Ringo, Claudia Donnelly, Margaret Ann Murray, Martin Barstad, Gibb Ramage, Vernon Watt, Marjorie Crosby, Margarite Davis, Wallace Lee, Walt Racette, Jean Ann Carver and Raymond Freerberg.

Yule Dinners Given, Bethel

Guests Gather at Matten, Bueenrech, Brinkley, Nichols Homes

BETHEL—Social activities in celebration of the Christmas season included a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bueenrech. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dotson and Barbara of Salem Heights, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shattworth of Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Winslow of Aumville, Mr. and Mrs. George Sandle and Alden, and Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, all of Salem.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Millie Brinkley were Mr. and Mrs. Nichols Brinkley, Betty and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brinkley and Harold Dickie, all of Salem. Mr. and Mrs. S. Hamrick entertained for Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bentley, James, Bobby and Larry Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson, all of Marquam, and Miss Gertrude Froehlich.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cass A. Nichols were Mr. John Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Armstrong and Joyce, all of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hain and Jean Hain were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. George Hain and Charlotte attended a family gathering at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hain on route 7.

At Matten

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Matten had as their guests for the day Mrs. Nellie Brandow; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Crabtree, Ellsworth and Janice Crabtree of Millerville; Mrs. T. C. Bentley, James, Bobby and Larry Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson, all of Marquam, and Miss Gertrude Froehlich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Klung, Allison Klung, Mr. and Mrs. George Hegeman and family spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Haggren at Matten. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. King visited during the holidays at the home of their son, E. R. King and wife in Portland.

The W. M. Froehlich family was entertained on Christmas eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Klung in Matten. Mr. H. R. Bishop went to Los Angeles to spend the holidays with his sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bahnsen had as their guests on Christmas eve Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chapman; and on Christmas day they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fisher of Molalla, Mrs. M. H. Utter was a guest for the day at the home of her son, Dr. F. L. Utter in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Wilson and their sons were entertained at the Frank Wilson home at Orchard Heights on Sunday and at the J. W. Simmons home on Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carruthers attended a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Lena M. Lisle in Salem.

Washington Man At Waldo Hills

WALDO HILLS—Frank Riches, stockman from Buena, Wash., arrived Sunday night to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of his father, Charles R. Riches. Sunday night the entire family gathered at the Theodore Riches home for a family dinner and Christmas tree. Riches left for his home on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. McCannell and daughter Janet, spent the Christmas holidays at their farm here. The McCannells will return to Detroit on January 2 and Miss Janet will resume her work at the law office of P. E. Sylvester.

Holiday Guests At Hazel Green

HAZEL GREEN—Mr. and Mrs. John Horn and sons, Marvin and Joe of Grand Coulee, Wash., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ashton for the holidays. Mrs. Horn is a sister of Mrs. Ashton.

Frank Van Cleave, who came to his brother, A. T. Van Cleave's funeral, and to visit his mother, Mrs. Ellen Van Cleave, has returned home to Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Cleave and son, Delbert of Medford, were here to funeral of cousin, A. T. Van Cleave. The family made their home in this district for several years.

George Dunnigan of Milwaukie is spending the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Dunnigan. Mrs. Ralph Gilbert and son, Waldo and Russell Sater of Salem are spending the holidays with Mrs. Gilbert's brother and family, Sidney Hawthorne, Long Beach, Calif. They expect to visit Mexico.

Roberts Women Give Club Party

ROBERTS—Mrs. Joe Ringwald, Mrs. Bill Kenney and Mrs. George Bressli entertained with a Christmas party for the G. T. Women's club.

A dessert luncheon was served members and four special guests, Mrs. Doc Jungwirth of Valest, Mrs. Walter Dawes, Mrs. Melvin Trindle and Mrs. James Muller. Mrs. Jungwirth was formerly a club member.

Has Spinal Meningitis

GRAND ISLAND—LeRoy Rockhill, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rockhill, is in the McMinnville hospital suffering from a light attack of spinal meningitis.

Retains From Idaho

Billie Surry who has spent the last years with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox of Midvale, Idaho, arrived in Lyons Saturday; he will remain at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Surry. He will register at the Mill City high school as a junior.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trask and son Dean of Albany, and Miss Zeta Prichard of Sodaville were Monday dinner guests at the Albert Ring home. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bodeker, Helen and Francis of Mill City spent Christmas at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kunkle. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith and daughter Shirley Jean visited at the home of Mr. Smith's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Slater of Sweet Home.

Mrs. Helen Beaur and daughter Evelyn Mae went to Eugene Saturday morning where they spent the rest of the week at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Beaur.

Boy Hears of His Own Death, Says It Is Not True

SILVERTON—Jimmy Nelson is very much alive. He reports he definitely wants that understood. But just how rapidly a story can travel by the grapevine system was illustrated here early Wednesday morning.

Young Nelson has a paper route at Silverton. He ran out of papers and returned to his home. His father called the local circulation manager's home.

"This is Alf O. Nelson, Jimmy's dad," he said, and proceeded to explain that more papers were needed. The manager's wife answered the telephone, and Mr. Nelson says evidently awakened her from a sleep.

All she replied was, "I'll tell my husband."

She explains she thought Mr. Nelson had said, "Jimmy's dead."

In half an hour telephones were ringing all over town asking for further information. The calls continued late into the day as the story spread so much more rapidly than could be contradicted.

Mill Manager Has Dinner for Crew

LEBANON—The Lebanon Lumber company's manager, Huston Walter, was host last Friday night to the men employed at the mill, number about 100, and to all logging crews employed by A. B. Berns, besides several Lebanon and Portland guests. The dinner was held in the Lebanon hotel, and about 80 were present. Guests included Maurice Setz of Portland, a director of the company; Frank Waller of Portland; Walter Scott, John Zimbrick, Harvey Wight and Hugh Crooner, all of Lebanon. Several speeches were made during the dinner.

It was announced that the mill would start again December 27, to continue throughout the coming year.

Children Return Home From Visit

BRUSH CREEK—Reuben Jensen of Astoria, Mrs. Marie Bunness and her daughter, Miss Vivian Bunness of Seattle, have returned to their various occupations after spending a few days with the mother, Mrs. Anna K. Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baxter (Agnes Heber) and son Richard of Bend, who arrived in time to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives here, will return to their home Monday. Mr. Baxter is with the Bend high school faculty.

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