

### Not Like Stores in Germany



Three-year-old David Beall was hard to hold when he saw these toys in a local store, for he was in scarcity-ridden Germany last Christmas and doesn't remember the one before. Watching to see what David might want from Santa Claus is his father, Hayes Beall, who has been chief of youth activities in the American zone of Germany. The Bealls, former Salem residents, are visiting here with Mrs. Beall's mother. (Photo by Don Dill, Statesman staff photographer.)

## U.S. Director of German Youth Activities Here on Visit, Says Ex-Nazi Youth 'Open-Minded'

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"Less trouble than expected" from German youth is the report of Hayes Beall, Salem man who has for the past two years been chief of youth activities for military government in the American zone of Germany. Beall and his family returned to Salem during the past week for a brief visit before taking a new assignment.

Little trouble has come from said, but the scouts have had some bothersome experience with nationalistic leaders. Principal difficulties have stemmed from persons now adults who spent many years in Hitler's youth group "Jugend."

Although the program is progressing now, it cannot operate in a vacuum, in Beall's opinion, and must have a sturdy program and a goal to strive for.

The effect of Hitler's regime has certainly not been erased, said Beall, but results of the youth program so far show a largely open-minded and teachable audience. He believes in the sincerity of a majority of the young German people, with whom "Americans are comparatively popular because of fear of the Russians."

#### Training Leaders

Considerable attention is being given to training of leaders, including a school sponsored jointly by American military govern-

ment and German educational authorities at Marburg. The American method is that of "working with" approved, voluntary groups rather than direct leadership or sponsorship, according to Beall, and of encouraging democratic development.

A similar program is followed in the British zone, but the French are "paternalistic," recognizing only a few desirable groups. The soviet zone recognizes and permits only the "Free German Youth" organization and outlaws all others.

German youth looks hopefully to the Marshall plan in the hope that it will help to bring the highly essential unity of western Europe. Physical destruction of the country is so great, he said, that it will take at least a generation to restore order. Progress is greatly hampered by shortages of material and food.

#### Religious Groups Strong

Beall, whose headquarters was

first in Berlin then in Wiesbaden, said religious youth groups are now the strongest of about 10,000 groups formed and approved, with nearly 1,000,000 members in all. Sports groups come second, followed by trade unions. Members have taken increased participation in international youth conferences and are anxious to contact the rest of the world and end their isolation.

The youth hostels are again functioning for touring groups, under leadership of Dr. Richard Schirrmann, founder of the hostel movement and still active. The Boy Scouts have begun activity on a small scale, and badges can be worn if prior approval is granted.

The youth work began, according to Beall, who went to Germany in October of 1945, by calling on each "county" to form a youth committee from existing labor, church and other organizations. These were to plan use of community resources to aid youth and to pass on proposed groups.

Meeting Places Scarce  
Meeting places and equipment are still scarce. The groups are anxious for magazines about youth activities.

Beall and Mrs. Beall, the former Sarah Jane Dark, both graduates of Willamette university in 1932, and their two children, Anne 8 and David 3, were in Germany. They are visiting here with Mrs. Beall's mother, Mrs. A. L. Dark, 1955 Maple ave.

To be with the children she knew here before, Anne enrolled in the third grade at Highland school last week, even though her stay in Salem will be brief. Formerly with the president's

## Dr. Steiner, Ex-Superintendent Of State Hospital Succumbs

(Story Also on Page 1)

Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, who died in Salem Saturday, had had numerous and widespread interests during his colorful, 78-year lifetime, but most outstanding was his 28 years spent as superintendent of the Oregon State hospital.

More than any other person, Dr. Steiner was responsible for the institution's advancement from a small, unorganized unit to a modern nationally - recognized hospital. Despite frequent political opposition, he effected use of humanitarian methods, advanced types of medical care and development of a larger and better plant at the institution.

Despite his professional enthusiasm, politics always held an interest for Steiner. While practicing as a physician at Lakeview, he was elected a member of the legislature representing Klamath, Lake, Crook and Wasco counties. He is best remembered as a lawmaker for his introduction and

subsequent enactment of a law appropriating \$15,000 to send secret service men into the cattle range country where a sheep war had been in progress. His action caused termination of the trouble a short time later.

Under Many Governors  
As hospital superintendent, Steiner served under every governor from Sylvester Penoyer to the late Earl Snell, from 1909 to 1937. His accomplishments at the hospital during his many years there are too numerous to list. He was probably proudest of the receiving ward, built at the hospital during its early days—the finest of its type in the country at that time.

Steiner was also responsible for development of the farm side of the institution and transformation

committee on a fair employment practices committee in Washington, D.C. Beall now expects to be connected with the educational department of the consumer cooperative movement in the midwest.

of the surrounding land into parks and flower gardens. He caused construction of modern dairy plants, pig pens, modern allotment farms and large fruit orchards. These improvements made the institution partially self sustaining.

#### Owned Ranch Lands

At one time he was owner of more than 500 acres of valuable ranch lands in Marion, Polk, Josephine and Harney counties, and operated all of them successfully.

He was a Mason, Knight Templar, Shriner and 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason; a member of the Elks, Knights of Pythias and Odd Fellows lodges.

He was married in 1892 to Belle Golden of Salem and they became parents of three children. In addition to owning their Salem residence, the Steiners also maintain a home at Neskowin on the Pacific ocean.

#### FIRST CITIZEN NAMED

PORTLAND, Dec. 20—(P)—Sidney F. Woodbury, president of a supply and hardware firm, today was named by the Portland Realty board as Portland's "first citizen" of 1947.

### County Disease Report Totalled

The communicable disease report for last week, issued by the Marion county department of health Saturday, shows 15 cases including eight various diseases in Salem and four various types in the rest of the county.

Included in the report are ringworm, seven in Salem; influenza, one in Salem; mumps, two in Salem and three in the rest of the county; polio, one in the county;

measles, one in Salem; chickenpox, one in Salem; lobar pneumonia, one in Salem; impetigo, one in Salem, and streptococcal throat, one in Salem.

Belgium has about 1,000 miles of navigable inland waterways.

### STATE

Cont. from 1 P. M.  
NOW! HOWARD HUGHES' TWO GREATEST PICTURES!

**Scarface**  
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### LIBERTY

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Gail RUSSELL  
**SALTY O'Rourke**  
CO-HIT! Sunset Carson "Sheriff of Cimarron"

### HOLLYWOOD

Opens Today - Cont. 1:45  
International Pictures Presents  
Olivia De Havilland  
Lew Ayres  
in the NORMAN KRASNA production  
**THE DARK MIRROR**  
with THOMAS MITCHELL  
RICHARD LONG CHARLES DAVEN  
PLUS  
"Sally O'Rourke"  
with Allan Ladd - Gail Russell  
William Demarest

**BETTE DAVIS HUMPHREY BOGART**

**MARKED WOMAN**  
with ISABEL JEWELL  
JANE BRYAN ALLEN JENNIE HENRY O'NEILL

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**JOHN GARFIELD**  
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PAUL CAMPBELL RUTH TERRY BILLY WILLIAMS  
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NOVELTY - FOX NEWS

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George Mary S. Z. MURPHY-ASTOR-SAKALL

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