

# 'One-Way' Action Put off by Council **Street Widening Okehed**

## By ROBERT E. GANGWARE

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Action on a one-way street grid for downtown Salem was put off by Salem City Council Monday night after opponents of the traffic plan hegan making themselves heard.

In other business at the City Hall meeting, the aldermen de-



Old Dan Reed stuck his cocaine needle in the idea of a national sales tax and put it to sleep with his blunt statement that there would be no such tax, that Congress wouldn't go for it. Recently with heavier outlays urged for national defense against the H-bomb- and with cuts from income and excise taxes in prossales tax has risen. The Alsops even figured out how much a manufacturers' tax or a sales tax marked off. would raise for each per cent of the levy. Now the budget balancers and the eager spenders will have to back off and take a advised further study to learn fresh look. And they had best what steps in addition to a onelook in some other direction than a retail sales tax.

Dan Reed can speak with a high degree of authority. It took all of the President's influence and Speaker Martin's arm twisting to get an extension of the excess profits tax for six months. That was done over Reed's quaking body. As chairman of the House ways and means committee he is in position to dictate revenue legislation, especially since he carries a majority of the committee with him.

cided to widen and pave Market Street east of 21st Street next spring, to conduct a public hearing Sept. 28 on the proposed new zone code and to proceed with paving of Ferry Street between 19th and 20th at property owners' expense even though less than a majority of property owners there sought the improvement. Council members said they had received several complaints against the proposed one-way street area expansion in recent days. Mayor Alfred W. Loucks said the council generally favored the plan but didn't want to

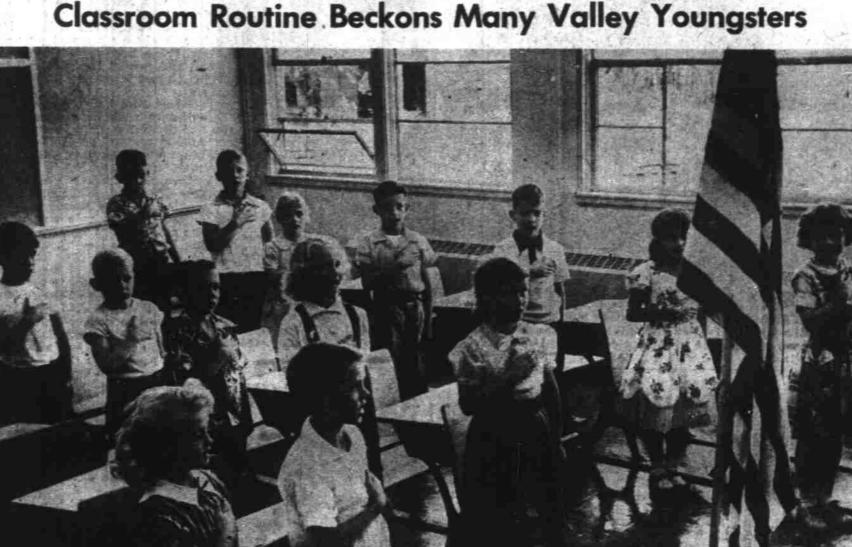
rush it through even though some advantages would result from setting up the grid at the time the Center Street bridge reopens later this month. **Cites Narrow Street** 

As it stands, the couplet of one-way bridges over the Willamagitation for a national ette River probably will go into operation at least two weeks before a street grid could be

Chandler Brown, one of six persons speaking at a public hearing on the issue last night, way grid would be necessary to relieve traffic problems as intended. He cited particularly downtown State Street which is too narrow for four lanes-con-

sidered best for one-way operations. He said parallel parking, wider driveways or other measures should be considered. Sprague Appears

Charles A. Sprague, representing the Capitol Planning Commis- Monday night, with the Democratic he kept out of the Capitol Mall hall contest since 1937. and recommended that the grid Republican and Liberal Party



BROOKS - Young America returned to school in many mid-valley | most schools, Brooks counted more students Monday than on opencommunities Monday including Brooks, nine miles north of Salem, ing day last year, was prepared for more when crops are harvested. where a pledge of allegiance to the flag was an opening ritual. (Statesman photo by John Ericksen.) (Additional school pictures on The above pupils are in Alta Simmons' third-fourth grade, Like page 7.)

#### Valley Schools Count 1,154Enrolled **Bitter Gotham Climb in Enrollments For Parochial Campaign** to said. By CHARLES IRELAND Valley Editor, The Statesman School Year Voters Today Pupils returned to classes in more than a dozen mid-valley communities Monday and nearly everywhere it was the same storymore students than last year. Salem's three Catholic schools By ARTHUR EVERETT Dallas, Silverton, Woodburn and Albany were among cities re-NEW YORK (P - The city's mayenrolled 1,154 boys and girls Monporting big increase. day as their new school year oralty primary campaign ended One of the biggest bulges was at Keizer, independent school dission, asked that through traffic Party gravely split by its first city trict closest to Salem, where 841 Iracy Staats,

Record high enrollments were reported at both elementary Called Solemn Hour schools and both will have two

Other new teachers on the

St. Vincent's faculty now in-

Edward Meier, second and third

Jane is principal.

grade teacher. Sister Margaret

for the first time.

rooms.

# **Demo Leaders Rake Opposition** At Party's Rally

#### By DOUGLAS'B. CORNELL

CHICAGO (AP)-The big oratorical guns of the Democratic Par-ty raked the Eisenhower administration Mondsy night as government by postponement, operating a "wrecking crew" in Washington and letting biased millionaires and big business run the nation. It was Adlai E. Stevenson, the Democratic presidential nominee

of last year, who accused the GOP of putting things off.

It was former President Harry S. Truman who declared a wrecking crew is "undermining and tearing down" in the national capital-and that Democrats must keep America and the world from

the road to ruin." Sen. Paul H. Douglas of Illinois Anti-Reds "the road to ruin." said it is big businessmen who are working havoc with the interests of

the American people through a "give-away, throw-away, sell-away program.' This top trio of party leaders and

more besides cannonaded the GOP at a national Democratic rally designed to ring up the curtain for the 1954 election and regain control of Congress for the Democrats.

\$100-a-plate Dinner

They spoke at a \$100-a-plate dinof the Conrad Hilton Hotel. so many Democrats in the country to the Communists. and that after nine months of a Republican administration "s o

many of them have \$100." The former Illinois governor said the GOP brought about a change, all right, but it seems to be mostly one of attitude. Now, he said, they seem to be doing their best to persuade the people they won't "touch a single one of these advances of the past 20 years."

**Draws** Applause The administration's motto, Stevenson said, seems to be: "When in doubt, appoint a commission-and the areas of doubt are very wide."

Taxes are going to be studied and taken up at the next session of Congress, he said, and that goes for revision of the Taft-Hartley Law and foreign trade policy

"I guess you might call it government by postponement," Stevenson

Laughter and applause rolled through the ballroom. Appouncements of defense cuts, followed by threatening words in Asia, Stevenson declared, sounds

as though the administration was as though the administration was saying to the Communists, "one false move from you guys and we'll cut the national defense by another billion dollars."

By SAM SUMMERLIN MUNSAN UP - Angry, rock-hurlner to some 1,600 party partisans ing anti-Communist Chinese pris-assembled in the grand ballroom oners balked Monday at being turned over to Indian custody in Stevenson quipped that he was the Korean neutral zone and some relieved to discover there still are thought they were being sent back.

Balk at

Transfer

Indian custodial troops restored order without bloodshed. An additional 2,000 Chinese and

North Korean prisoners, the larg-est number yet in the 6-day-old movement, were to be sent to the neutral zone Tuesday.

**United Nations Command officers** handling the mass transfer of 14,-700 Chinese and almost 8,000 North Koreans from Allied prison camps to stockades in the neutral zone, said it took four hours to get 250 Chinese prisoners into the camp Monday.

Another 250 stoned Red observers and grappled with Indian guards,

Other rock-throwing, fist-swinging Chinese prisoners staged violent shows of defiance when they spotted Communist observers watching their transfer from U.N. control to Indian guardianship.

**U.N. Debates** Seen on Peace Thunderous applause rolled Meeting Plans

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. UP -

A new fight between the Commu-

nists and the U.N. majority over

the Korean peace conference ar-

rangements threatened Monday to

The battle is expected by dele-

The delegates of 60 nations will

peace conference and to invite Red

Chinese and North Koreans here

Red China's Foreign Minister Choi En-Lai informed Secretary-

General Dag Hammarskjold Sun-

day that Peiping wants Russia, In-dia, Burma, Pakistan and Indone-

SEQUOIA NATIONAL PARK,

Assistant Chief Ranger Carlock

The ranger said the youngster

Johnson said one of several search

1954 go into effect. He already has a promise from the White House to let the EP tax die in January. It is safe to say he'd like to let the five per cent cut in the corporation tax and other cuts built into excise tax laws occur

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## **Baking Firm Plans Salem Bakery Plant**

A new bakery plant for Salem will be built this fall by Davidson Baking Co., of Eugene and Portland, that firm announced Monday.

This will be the second new bakery in Salem as Franz Baking Co. of Portland recently started construction on South 20th, south of Mission Street.

The Davidson bakery will be erected at 13th and Cross Streets where the company has owned property several years, announced President E. F. Davidson who said the plant would have about 7,000 square feet of floor space.

Plans are now being prepared by Richard Sunleaf Architects.

James Mohatt, Salem sales manager for Davidson's, reports the bakery's annual payroll in the Salem area is \$70,000. Fifteen Willamette Valley routes are operated from Salem leased space.

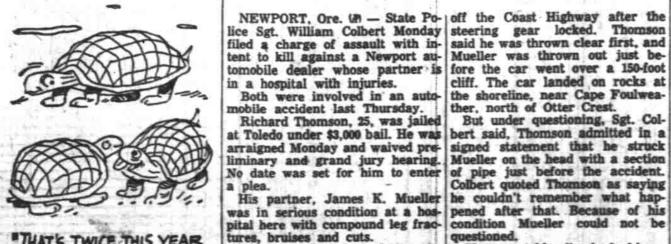
### **Misplaced** Ticket Cuts City's 'Take'

Salem \_\_\_\_\_ 86 Portland \_\_\_\_\_ 81 San Francisco \_\_\_ 83 Chicago New York Mailboxes aren't parking-tag boxes and vice versa.

New York 68 51 .00 Willamette River -3.2 feet. Mostly fair and continued warm today and tonight. Partly cloudy and Salem Postmaster Albert Gragg thought that should be made clear cooler Wednesday. Highest tempera-ture today near 85, lowest tonight near 48. Temperature at 12:01 a.m. Monday when he discovered that someone had dropped a red enwas 56 degrees. SALEM PRECIPITATION Since Start of Weather Year Sept. 1 velope and 50 cents fine into a corner postal box. This Year

But he said the city would get the envelope and the 50 cents all right-marked "postage due."

**Animal Crackers** By WARREN GOODRICH



THAT'S TWICE THIS YEAR

Reed insists that the income extend no further east than candidates are unopposed. tax cut of ten per cent set for Church Street for the present. Carl Wendt, City Transit Lines way streets off at Union and Trade Streets because more trafstreets which carry railroad tracks.

Elmer Amundson, manager of the former one-way street com-

mittee of the Elfstrom administration, endorsed the proposal but suggested several traffic guides such as additional crosswalks or stop lines, and painted arrows to indicate turns. Page Stevenson asserted that parallel parking and no-left-turns would help traffic as much as one-way streets.

(Additional council news on page 2.) **Husband Held** 

McMINNVILLE (P) - A family argument ended fatally Sunday night at Grand Ronde and Joseph Kochis, 77, was in the Yamhill County jail Monday charged with first-degree murder. Sheriff W. J. Jones said Kochis told him he shot his wife, Rosa, 74, with a .22 calibre rifle. The bullet struck her below the left

THE WEATHER

Max.

Last Year

in a hospital with injuries.

mobile accident last Thursday. Richard Thomson, 25, was jailed

trace

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Driver Charged With Deadly Assault in Crash on Coast

NEWPORT, Ore. UM - State Po-1 off the Coast Highway after the

lice Sgt. William Colbert Monday steering gear locked. Thomson

tent to kill against a Newport au- Mueller was thrown out just be-

tomobile dealer whose partner is fore the car went over a 150-foot

Both were involved in an auto-the shoreline, near Cape Foulwea-the shoreline, near Cape Foulwea-ther, north of Otter Crest.

at Toledo under \$3,000 bail. He was bert said, Thomson admitted in a

a plea. His partner, James K. Mueller he couldn't remember what hap

ear and she was dead before arher husband. Kochis, a pensioner, said his wife had defied him to "shut me

servative wing of the Democratic manager, opposed blocking one- Party rides with Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri, seeking reelection. He is backed by former Democratic fic would be turned into those National Chairman James A. Farley, shooting for a comeback and control of the New York state party organization. Son of Senator

His chief primary rival is Manhattan Borough President Robert F. Wagner, son of the late New York senator who authored the New Deal's Wagner Labor Act in the 1930s. Behind Wagner is the so-called liberal or New, Deal wing of the party - Americans for Democra-

The future of the so-called con-

Tammany Backed

J. Flynn. The winner of Tuesday's Demo-

against three other candiates in the Nov. 3 general election. They are

**Three Opponents** Rudolph Halley, a Democrat who starred on television as the general counsel of the old Kefauver Senate Crime Committee. He is running on the Liberal ticket.

Harold Riegelman, a Republican who served a short stint as New rival of an ambulance called by York City's acting postmaster after President Eisenhower took over the White House.

Clifford T. McAvoy, candidate of the far-left American Labor Party. The ALP in recent years has swung

little weight at the polls.

**Congress** Aspirant

**First Man to File** 

congressional district.

H. H. Stallard, Portland Demo-

cliff. The car landed on rocks at

But under questioning, Sgt. Col-

from last year's 390, but late tic Action, Sen. Herbert H. Lehregistrants were expected to push man, Averell Harriman and Rep. the total higher. The first eight Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr. grades total 939, an increase of 48. Wagner also is backed by Tam- . At nearby Rickreall, 80 stumany Hall, the Manhattan Demo- dents showed up and Mrs. R. V. cratic organization, and the Bronx Carleson, principal, said they machine of the late boss Edward "looked out the window a lot because it was so warm." The total

was eight more than last year. cratic primary will be pitted Start Kindergarten Woodburn had 56 more first-

day students than a year ago, according to Supt. F. P. Doerfler. Grand total was 724 of which 239 were at high school, 360 at Washington and 125 at Lincoln.

Silverton reported 1,104 opening-day students. Supt. Howard Balderstone said 73 of them were in the new public kindergarten. Grades one to six had 483 students, 40 above last year. There were 99 first graders, the most in history. Other figures were high school, 385; junior high, 163.

North Marion Union High School reported 172, about the same as last year. Hubbard Grade School had 189, down three from a year ago.

students were attending classes

higher than at the close of last

ing from 8 a. m. to noon, others

At Dallas, Supt. S. E. Whit-

worth said first grade registration

leaped to 168 from 120 last year.

Total enrollment for the city's

four public schools was 1,308-25

more than at the start of last

year. High school was down 21

from 12:80 to 4:30 p.m.

**Dallas** Count Up

The Keizer enrollment

under the same roof.

#### More Enroll at Brooks

Gervais Union High School opened with 143 students, and Gervais Grade School counted 62. At Brooks Grade School there were 121 students, nine more crat, filed his candidacy for conthan last September. gress Monday at the statehouse,

Lake Labish, one of the rural becoming the first candidate to schools starting Monday, had 64 file for any office in next year's pupils, three more than last year, election. He filed in the third according to Principal Lloyd

Lyda. Albany reported 2,610 students. an opening increase of 68. The high school listed 652, junior high 474 and grade school enrollment totaled 1,501.

source said Monday.

term, according to Supt. Carma-**Official Dies** lita Weddle. Relief was near. however. Mrs. Weddle said the new Keizer school might be ready in four to six weeks.

Statesman News Service Meanwhile, 11 Keizer first and DALLAS — Tracy Staats, for-mer mayor of Dallas for two terms and a Polk County employe second grade classes were double shifted, with some pupils attend-

**Former Polk** 

More Expected for the past 30 years, died at a Dallas hospital Monday at the age about the same as last year. All of 79 years. three schools expect additional Services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. in the Presbyterian

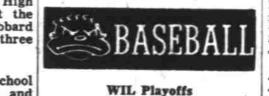
students to report later this week or next, as many boys and girls Church with Dr. Earl Benbow are reported finishing up sumofficiating and interment at Dallas Cemetery. The Bollman mer jobs. Among new faculty members at Sacred Heart are two Francis-Funeral Home is in charge.

Staats' service in Polk County included 28 years as school board clerk, city councilman, mayor, deputy assessor, deputy sheriff, county treasurer and some years in the tax department.

He was born Feb. 11, 1874, in teach religion. Airlie, Ore., the son of Mr. and School officials said the fathers Mrs. Henry D. Staats, both early are here also to study the possi-Polk County settlers. His grandbility of future Catholic high father, Isaak Staats settled in school expansion for the Salem Oregon in 1845. area.

Staats married Eloise S. Phil New Teachers lips, March 28, 1906, in Portland. They have resided in Dallas since academy faculty of 17 are Sister after their marriage. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church. the Oddfellows Lodge, Michaelann, science, Sister Regina Mary and Sister Mary Masonic Lodge and the Shrine. Survivors include the widow of Dallas; two sons, Howard D. Staats, Dallas, and Dr. Thomas new there are Sister Joel Mary, Phillip Staats, Portland; two Sister Celeste Marie, Sister Vicdaughters, Mrs. Margaret Crider, toria Maria, Mrs. Clifford Etzel Monmouth, and Mrs. Mary Wortand Mrs. John Pizzuti. man, McMinnville; a brother,

Emmett W. Staats, Monmouth, cludes 11 sisters and two lay and 10 grandchildren. teachers. New this year are Sister Marcella Maria, music, and Mrs.



At Salem 2, Spokane 3 American League

At New York 8, Cleveland 5 At Boston 6, Chicago 10 At Washington 6, Detroit 1 Only games scheduled National League

At Chicago 3, Brooklyn 1 -At St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 6 Only games scheduled.

**Police Chief Kills Youth, Takes Own Life** 

capade ended at the foot of Mt. right. Rainier early Monday morning with the death of a 13-year-old boy and the muzzle in his mouth, and fired. the suicide of the police chief who He died instantly. shot him.

temi, right hand man of fran's Nelson of Seattle.

ousted Premier Mohammed Mossa-Dead by his own hand minutes degh, has escaped from Tehran with after he shot the boy was Floyd E. Tharp, 41, chief of police at a price on his head and plans to Morton, a tiny logging community hide out in Cairo, an informed about 45 miles south of Tacoma.

full first grade rooms this year through the hall as Stevenson used his rapier on the Republicans,

Stevenson said the hour is too St. Joseph's School counted 461 solemn for partisan satisfactions. students, including 84 first gradwith a weary world on the threshers. The St. Vincent dePaul enhold of momentous negotiations in rollment of 447 included 85 first Asia and Europe-Korea, China, Ingraders. Both have an additional dochina and Germany. room this year, making 10 class-Fateful decisions that affect us

mar the opening days of the eighth United Nations General Assembly. all confront the administration, he gates to make worse the prospects for an eventual settlement. said, and "it is our government as At Sacred Heart Academy 246 well as the Republicans'.' high school students enrolled,

"The job of the Democrats." he counseled, "is to help in every way begin the session Tuesday at 2 p.m. It is anybody's guess how quickly Soviet Chief Delegate An-drei Y. Vishinsky will reopen the Communist fight to broaden the that we can."

**Tidal Waves** Hit in Fijis, can fathers from California, now living at Shaw. They are the Rev. John Francis dePaenelaere, history teacher, ad the Rev. Kelvin Murphy, Latin. Both also will Canada Coast tory teacher, ad the Rev. Kelvin

sia to take part in the peace conference. AUCKLAND, New Zealand (P) The United States immediately An earthquake accompanied by a rejected the Peiping proposals and France and Britain indicated Montidal wave struck the Fiji Islands in the southwest Pacific Monday, day they will stand beside Washington in this rejection. Hammarsk-jold distributed the Red Chinese killing at least two persons and

for this new debate.

smashing buildings. The islands, Britain's most imcommunication to all member counportant colony in the Pacific, are about 1,100 miles north of Auckland

and about 1,500 miles northeast of Elaine, who will teach music at 8-Year-Old Australia. the academy and at St. Joseph's. Reports from Suva, colonial capi-Sister Mary Aquinas is the new tal on Viti Levu, largest of the principal at St. Joseph's. Also islands, said the center of the **Found Alive** quake appeared to have been not far south of that city.

SOOKE, B. C. (A) - Giant waves. rolling in from the Pacific, caused Calif. (A) - Eight-year-old Dana injury to several persons Sunday, McClure of Pacoima, Calif., misscapsized small boats and wrecked ing for more than five days in fishing gear at Gordon Beach on rugged back country, was found the west coast of Vancouver Isalive and well Monday except for land. a few scratches and bruises.

Experienced fishermen, however, Salem public schools and Salem discounted reports that the waves Academy will open next Monday. and surf had been caused by an parties heard the boy crying faintearthquake creating a tidal wave. Iy as it explored along the huge Today's Statesman Waves 15 feet high tossed logs gorge cut by the Marble fork of about like matchsticks, while small the Kaweah River.

One witness said the sea was saw the party approaching but The Oatis Story \_\_\_\_\_4 calm, then suddenly receded, built didn't make a sound until they Society News \_\_\_\_\_\_6 up a tremendous volume of water, were almost upon. Then he ran Classifieds \_\_\_\_\_10, 11 high.

> mountain road into the national dle of the highway. In swerving, their car almost hit Amundson. The

the legs in a tight embrace.

Jones knew the road was a dead officers opened fire. The car swung out of control and plunged down over an embank-ment, landing 25 feet below.

The driver and one comp Orville Amundson responded. With were shaken, but uninjured. The car was demolished. Nelson was one vehicle, they set up a road block at the motel. In a second wounded, but responded to ques-tions. He was carried to the road. car, the sheriff and Stanich drove

It was then that Tharp walked They met the car, which had away from the scene, hysterical, turned about, approximately a mile repeating over and over that he and a half from the roadblock. had two sons about the same age. They signalled it to stop. As it while Tharp was gone, Nelson whizzed by, Stanich fired a shot died. Minutes later Tharp's revolvgun blast at the tires. Sheriff Hil-ton radioed back to the roadblock "Under the circumstances. Tharp

**Fatemi Eyes** 

**Cairo Hideout** 

Shot and killed as the car in which he was riding ran through a CAIRO, Egypt () - Hossein Fa- police blockade was young Kenneth

This source said Fatemi, who ing Nelson was dead, Sheriff A. The proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. has slipped through Iran's biggest Earl Hilton of Lewis County said. John W. Jones, were awakened by

Tharp shot himself without know- Park.

TACOMA (P - A youthful es- til he finally told them he was all home and the youths fled up the ting the vehicle parked in the mid-But a moment later he pulled his park toward Longmire.

revolver from its holster, placed end and notified police authorities. Tharp, Sheriff Hilton and Lewis Law enforcement officers from County Deputies Ed Stanich and

Lewis and Pierce counties gave this account of the tragedy: Nelson, with two other boys from Seattle, both 14, were running away from home. One borrowed his fath-

up the mountain road. er's car, although he said later he had driven it only twice. En route to Portland, the trio stopped at a motel on the mountain road near the Mt. Rainier National

The proprietors, Mr. and Mrs.

