

### City News Briefs

**SMITH IMPROVES**  
Homer H. Smith, founder of the Homer H. Smith Insurance Agency, was reported improving Thursday at Salem General Hospital where he was taken Wednesday following a slight stroke at his home. Although his condition was reported as better Thursday relatives said he was not able to receive visitors yet. It is expected Smith will remain in the hospital for a week or longer.

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**THREE DRIVERS ACQUITTED**  
Three drivers were acquitted Thursday in Salem Municipal court of three separate charges of reckless driving. Acquired in three separate hearings were Helen Ann Wearth, 1695 Yew St., arrested last Dec. 1; Donald Godsey, 2160 Wayside Dr., arrested May 26, and Bruce Wallace Wilberg, 1431 N. Cottage St., arrested Dec. 8, 1953.

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**22 SEEK CITIZENSHIP**  
Last class for 22 foreign-born seeking U.S. citizenship will meet at the YMCA Saturday at 8 p.m. prior to final naturalization examination in the Marion County Courthouse Monday. Class members will plan with instructor C. A. Kells for a June 25 dinner program in which certificates will be presented.

Accord-Marinba. Guitar concert, Monday, June 21st. Parrish Jr. High, 8-15 p.m. Free. Wiltsey Music House.

**CARS COLLIDE**  
Slight auto damages and no personal injuries were recorded Thursday when autos driven by Leanna Tallum of Everson, Wash., and Gertrude Cecelia Broadwood, 1798 S. 12th, collided at the intersection of North Capitol and Center streets. The accident occurred just before noon, according to investigating city police.

Marshalls—Open for lunch daily 11:30 a.m. Special Sunday dinners.

**HELP FOR ARMY**  
Pvt. Richard K. Carden, 1296 N. Commercial St., listed by city police as being AWOL from Fort Lewis, Wash., was arrested in Salem Thursday. Police said Army authorities, who said Carden has been absent from Fort Lewis since June 7, will pick him up today at the city jail.

### Births

**GREEN**—To Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Green, 5170 Homer Rd., a son, Thursday, June 17, at Salem General Hospital.

**WILKINSON**—To Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Wilkinson, Independence, a daughter, Thursday, June 17, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

**BELLEQUE**—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Belleque, Woodburn Route 1, a son, Thursday, June 17, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

**SCHOOL BUSES CHECKED**  
Salem school board members inspected five school buses Thursday and decided on a contract for four new 60-passenger buses at their regular meeting Tuesday meeting Tuesday night. Bids had been opened June 8, with Borin Motor Co., Portland, low at \$5,890 per bus.

**ARCHITECTS EYED**  
John VanDits, national YMCA architecture consultant, left Salem Thursday after conferring with four Salem architects about the new YMCA building and with the building plans committee of the YW board. That committee is to make a recommendation at the next board session.

Close out sale, cosmetics and notions 50% off. Drugs & sundries 33 1/2% off. Fixtures for sale, also soda fountain. 150 S. Com'l.

**HOME ON FURLOUGH**  
Ensign Walter Bradley, pilot of a P 2 V Neptune, is spending a 30-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bradley, Sr., Salem Route 6. He has been on Okinawa for the past six months and after furlough will be at his home base on Whidby Island.

Free 10 baby chicks per family with \$5 purchase or more, today only, June 17th. Valley Farm Store.

Brazier C. Small announces that his law office has been moved from 610 T. A. Livesley Bldg. to 613-14 T. A. Livesley Bldg., Salem.

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**  
A. F. (Sandy) Arnold, 2035 Highway Ave., returned to his home Thursday from Veterans Hospital in Portland where he has been receiving treatment since February.

Zeeb's Real Estate moving to 2315 Fairgrounds Rd. Eff. July 1.

### Poultry Chief To Attend Capital Meet

Earl Reitsma, supervisor of the Oregon poultry and turkey improvement programs for the State Department of Agriculture, will be in Washington, D. C., June 22 to 25 for the biennial national plans conference. He will act as delegate for Oregon poultrymen. Price Schroeder, Milwaukie, will be official representative for the turkey improvement group. Changes to come before the national turkey body of special interest to Oregon will deal with testing agents and state rights to limit participation in various phases of the improvement plan.

### WOMAN SENTENCED

DALLAS — Mrs. Merlin Eng, Dallas Route 2, pleaded guilty to a bad check charge Thursday before Justice of the Peace Kenneth Shetterly. She was sentenced to 90 days in the Polk County jail. A Dallas grocery had complained of a \$40 fraudulent check.

### Slayer Seeks Polk Retrial

DALLAS—John Ramoz, under 10-year sentence for manslaughter, filed with Polk County Circuit Court Thursday for a new trial.

He was found guilty by jury June 7 after trial in which he was accused of shooting to death William Lee Riggs during an argument. Defense Attorney W. A. Wiest, Independence, in filing the request for new trial maintained that Judge Arlie G. Walker erred by telling the jury to disregard the defense contention that he was mentally unbalanced at the time he fired the shot.

### Public Records

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
Gayle M. Beard vs. William V. Beard: Order declares defendant guilty of contempt of court for failure to make support payments.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Schlatter vs. Bud Henry Wickman and Anna Kate Wickman: Decree orders defendants to pay \$4,519.30 plus attorney fees due on real estate.

Edwin C. Hawkins vs. R. L. Forster & Son: Complaint charges failure to comply with contract in construction of frozen food lockers and asks judgment of \$9,000 plus costs.

Roy Carr, Ben McKinney and George Hammond vs. Agnes C. Booth, Marion County school superintendent, et al.: Complaint says petitions which led to elections in Polk County School District 35 were invalid and asks that consolidation with Salem School District be declared illegal.

Lawrence Dewey Strohecker vs. State Industrial Accident Commission: Complaint asks judgment setting aside commission order and declaring plaintiff has total disability of one leg.

**DISTRICT COURT**  
Steve T. Luvich, Salem Route 4: Charged with driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor. Fined \$250 after pleading guilty; committed to county jail in lieu of payment.

**PROBATE COURT**  
Camilla A. Hauge estate: Order sets hearing of final account for 9:15 a.m. July 19.

Florence L. Hodgson estate: Order sets final hearing at 9:15 a.m., July 27.

Peter Lestak Sr. estate: Order closes estate.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS**  
Bernard C. Hassler, 32, truck driver, and LaVonne D. Frey, 23, teacher, both of Mt. Angel.

**MUNICIPAL COURT**  
Richard K. Carden, 1296 N. Commercial St., held for the Army on a charge of being AWOL.

Helen Ann Wearth, 1695 Yew St., charged with reckless driving; acquitted.

Donald Godsey, 2160 Wayside Dr., charged with reckless driving; acquitted.

Bruce Wallace Wilberg, 1431 N. Cottage St., charged with reckless driving; acquitted.

A modern coal mine is not black, but white from pulverized limestone sprayed on the walls to reduce fire hazards.

### Carrier Boys' Picnic Set for Sunday, July 9

Newspaper carrier boys—around 200 of them—will have their day in the sun (it's hoped) at the first annual Statesman-Journal Carrier Picnic on Friday, July 9.

The event will be held at Paradise Island and Circulation Manager Hunt Clark is promising plenty to do from morning 'til night.

There'll be contests between carriers of The Oregon Statesman and the Capital Journal all day, and the group winning the most events will have a chicken dinner—while the losers on the opposite side of the tables will eat beans, albeit with all the trimmings, of course.

Activities will include swimming, softball, races and kindergartens, with ice cream and soft drinks served all day. There will be a lunch at noon. In the evening, the carriers will attend the Salem Senator's game at Waters Park.

### Newberg Fire District Vote Ruled Legal

There is no necessity to have another election on the question of organization of the Newberg Rural Fire Protection District 2 because of failure to elect a board of directors, Attorney General Robert Y. Thornton held Thursday.

The district was organized at an election Sept. 16, 1953. "They are separate and independent of the latter," Thornton wrote. Thornton said the directors could be chosen at a separate election which would be lawful. The opinion was requested by Newberg.

### Law Students On Honor Roll

Four first-year students in the Willamette College of Law have been named to the dean's list for outstanding academic achievement during the spring semester, it was announced today by Dean Seward Reese.

Highest grade honors were earned by coed Jean Lowman, of Vancouver, Wash. Other students of achievement are: Kenneth Holmes, Albany; Gordon Wylie, Eugene and John LaLonde, Vancouver, Wash.

Students must be in the upper 10 per cent of their class to qualify for the dean's list.

### State Factory Inspection Law Upheld

(Story also on Page 1.) Oregon's factory inspection law was upheld by the State Supreme Court Thursday.

M & M Woodworking Co. had contended that the law's provisions about payment of inspection fees violated the Constitution, but the suit was decided in Marion County Circuit Court against the firm and in favor of the State Industrial Accident Commission.

The late Judge Rex Kimmel had made the circuit court decision. The Supreme Court opinion upholding him was written by Justice James T. Brand.

In another decision by the Supreme Court Thursday, an opinion written by Justice Harold Warner affirmed a Benton County Circuit Court decree denying a claim of Mrs. Kate T. Pratt for benefits from the State Industrial Accident Commission, based on the death of her husband.

Mrs. Pratt's claim had been rejected by the commission because of insufficient evidence that her husband died from injuries received in the course of his employment.

In another opinion the Supreme Court affirmed the Jackson County Circuit Court in a decision holding that a lumber company is liable to a warehouse company for the amount of money paid by the warehouse company to the holder of a warehouse receipt for shortage of logs covered by such receipts.

### D. B. Thomas Services Set For Saturday

Funeral services for Daniel B. Thomas, late resident of 1625 Center St., who died Wednesday, will take place Saturday.

The 96-year-old Thomas was born Feb. 11, 1858, at Halsey. He was the son of R. Paulus Thomas and Julia Tuffinmeyer Thomas, early Oregon pioneers, and had lived in Oregon all his life.

Prior to coming to Salem in 1939 to make his home at the Methodist Old People's home here, Thomas had resided in Grant County and had operated a wheat and seed warehouse there. He was a member of the Free Methodist Church.

He is survived by his widow, the former Ella Bailey of Grant County.

Services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at the W. T. Rigdon Chapel. Interment will take place at City View Cemetery.

### Oakridge May Get Closed Circuit TV

Oakridge may soon have television, via a closed circuit cable system connected to one large antenna, according to articles of incorporation filed Thursday with the State Corporations Commission.

The new firm, known as the Northwest Antenna Cable Co., was incorporated at \$6,000 by Joe Yoerger, Myron Dale and Quenten Norquist.

### M. D. Knittel, Once Market Owner, Dies

Marion D. Knittel, 66, of Salem, recent owner of the Center Street Market, died Thursday at a local hospital where he had been with a heart ailment since May 31.

A late resident of 5095 Newberg Dr., Knittel came to Salem in 1932 from South Dakota where he was born May 5, 1888. He was married in that state in 1931 to Nell Cogswell, who survives.

Knittel was a member of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and a member of the Izaak Walton League.

Surviving in addition to the widow are five daughters, Mrs. Florence Jones, Mrs. Irene Horst, Mrs. Leona Hartman and Mrs. Freda Holle, all of Mission, S. D., and Mrs. Doris Lee of Igloo, S. D.; five sons, Ruben of Independence, Harold and Martin of Salem, Arnold of Igloo and Donald of Denver, Colo., and a brother, Joe Knittel of Lodi, Calif.

Funeral services will take place Monday at 1:30 p.m. at the W. T. Rigdon Chapel with the Rev. Harold Hamilton officiating. Interment will follow at Valley View Cemetery at Silverton.

### Board Seeks New Housing

The State Board of Agriculture voted unanimously Thursday to ask the next Legislature to provide new housing for the State Agriculture Department, E. Riddell Lage, Hood River, chairman of the board, announced.

The board, at its semi-annual meeting Thursday in Salem, voted to prepare a statement for the public and agricultural groups outlining the department's building needs. A committee of farm leaders will be appointed to investigate the situation.

At present, the department shares a building with the state printing office and has offices in two homes near the Capitol.

### 3 Polk Residents Ask School District Consolidation Blocked

Three residents of a Polk County school district which recently voted to consolidate with the Salem school system filed a complaint with Marion County Circuit Court Thursday asking the court to prevent the consolidation.

The complainants are Roy Carr, Ben McKinney and George Hammond. They live in the Spring Valley district north of West Salem.

Before consolidating with the Salem schools last May, the area was Polk County School District 35.

The three men charge that the petitions which led to the school election were improperly prepared and that the district was not given sufficient notification that the election was to be held.

**Defendants Named**  
The complaint names as defendants Agnes C. Booth, Marion County school superintendent, and Rex Hartley, Roy J. Rice and Edmund Rogers of the Marion County Court.

The officials are charged with acting improperly when they accepted the consolidation petitions as being legal. They are also accused of giving too little notice before the election.

**Petitions Nullified**  
Some of the petitions were nullified by having names cut out and pasted onto other petitions, the complaint claims, and "at least two" unqualified people voted in the election.

The Spring Valley district has not operated a school for about two years. Students have been sent to Zena and Lincoln grade schools and West Salem Junior High School under a special tuition agreement with the Salem system.

Some grade school pupils also have attended the Hopewell school, which is in a consolidated district to the north of the Spring Valley district.

### Registration of New Wheat Farms Due

New wheat farms to be considered for 1955 wheat allotments must apply at the Marion County ASC office in Salem before June 30, W. M. Tate, chairman, reports.

A new wheat farm, according to the standard set up by the wheat allotment program is one on which no wheat for grain was seeded during the years 1952 through 1954.

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### Chaperon on Fatal Party Now in Jail

Statesman News Service

DALLAS — Leroy Butler, 24, who escorted a party of Dallas youths to the coast after their high school graduation, is serving a sentence in Polk County jail after pleading guilty to a charge of giving beer to minors.

The trip ended in tragedy. After some of the youths had dropped Butler off to go to work June 4 and had eaten breakfast in downtown Dallas, their car turned over on the Monmouth cutoff road, killing Claude Joseph Navaro, 15, and injuring Kathryn Mercer, the driver, and Jurita Small.

Butler, a former grocery clerk here, was arrested in Valsetz Tuesday by Deputy Sheriff Robert LeFors and a State Liquor Control Commission agent.

Justice of the Peace Kenneth Shetterly sentenced Butler to 30 days in jail and \$250 fine Wednesday after the guilty plea.

A Polk County coroner's jury has been assembled to investigate the death. Hearing of testimony has not yet started.

In Canada, moose often attack locomotives and in some cases, trains have been derailed by them, although such attacks usually mean death for the moose.

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