

# City News Briefs

**DR. REYNOLDS TO LEAVE**  
Dr. E. R. Reynolds will leave Wednesday for Santa Monica, Cal., to attend a special proctology clinic of the California Proctology Society. Dr. Reynolds will return in a week.

**OPERATION UNDERGONE**  
County Commissioner E. L. Rogers underwent hernia surgery Tuesday at Salem Memorial Hospital. He was reported in "good condition" by the hospital last night.

**State Police Arson Squad Leader Dies**  
Harold Weed Howard, 54, for several years head of the State Police arson squad, died unexpectedly in an Albany hospital early Tuesday following a heart attack.

He was born in Canby June 30, 1901, and attended the public schools there.

Howard was employed by Union county and the city of La Grande and later became associated with the old State Traffic Department under the secretary of state in 1927. He served in the latter capacity until creation of the State Police Department in August, 1931, when he was assigned to patrol work.

He served as a patrolman in the Medford and Eugene areas for several years before his assignment with the arson squad. During the past several years he has made his headquarters at the State Police Division at Milwaukie.

Howard was a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are his widow, Dorothy Howard; a son, Donald, and two daughters, Janet and Patricia, all of Portland. A brother and sister also survive.

Both H. G. Maison, Superintendent of state police, and Lee Bown, Assistant State Police Superintendent, spoke highly of Howard's ability and service as an arson investigator. They said Howard was well known throughout the state where he conducted many arson investigations.

**Jury Acquits Bartender**  
Loren P. Rolie, Salem bartender, was found innocent Tuesday of a charge of serving and selling liquor to a minor. He was acquitted by a Circuit Court jury which heard the case before Judge Joseph B. Felton.

Rolie had been charged in June by an agent of the Liquor Control Commission.

**Public Records**  
**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS**  
David Jack Crist, 25, U.S. Navy, and Dorothy Anne Lee, 21, at home, both Nehalem.

Robert Royal Laurie, 26, laborer, Jefferson, and Anna Marie Kamph, 22 bookkeeper, 1434 Ferry St., Salem.

Lloyd R. Hamlin, 22, U.S. Army, 1885 N. 4th St., Salem, and Joan Elizabeth Martin, 22, recreation director, Eugene.

Donald A. Sieg, 22, M & M company, Lyons, and Lucky Phyllis Christensen, 16, student, Mill City.

Frank M. Wood, 27, salesman, and Frances A. Sokol, 27, office worker, both Eugene.

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
Glora Bell vs. Max K. Bell: Divorce decree granted.

Rose Rak, a minor, by her guardian Walter Rak, vs. Henry Van Loh and Clifford Van Loh: Plaintiff seeks \$100,000 general damages and unspecified amount in special damages for alleged personal injuries received in motor vehicle-pedestrian accident.

Beatrice M. Mesick vs. Harold James Mesick: Divorce decree granted.

State vs. Loren P. Rolie: Defendant found innocent by jury of charge of serving and selling liquor to a minor.

Mary Garrison vs. Mutual Benefit Health & Accident Company: Case dismissed with prejudice.

Charles N. and Sarah E. Miller vs. Daniel R. and Sybil V. Bennett: Case dismissed with prejudice.

**PROBATE COURT**  
Viola A. Harrison estate: Appraised at \$59,058.

Peter M. Koster estate: Helen M. Koster appointed administratrix.

H. R. Crawford estate: Estate settled.

Samuel Dow Shaw estate: Marie Comstock appointed administratrix.

Josephine C. DeVinney estate: Will admitted to probate and Ray E. DeVinney named executor.

Louis Koenig estate: Final account hearing set for Oct. 24, 9:30 a.m.

**LEON'S ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR GENUINE SPALDING SHOES!**

**SHORT-LIVED FREEDOM**  
Charles Hogan was picked up at the Oregon State Penitentiary Tuesday by a Burbank, Calif. law officer to be returned to Burbank to face burglary and forgery charges, according to Sheriff Denver Young. Hogan was lodged in the county jail temporarily.

**Ham Dinner St. Joseph's School**  
Hall, Sept. 21st. 6:00 Tickets \$1.25

**STACEYS TO GO TO KENTUCKY**  
Mr. and Mrs. William G. Stacey will leave Monday to attend a meeting of the National Society of Accountants at Louisville, Ky. They also plan a stop in New York City. He is a past president of the accountants' group and is a director for the National Society of Accountants for Cooperatives.

See the red and green yolk egg. Valley Farm Store.

**AGATE SOCIETY TO MEET**  
The Willamette Agate and Mineral Society will see colored slides of Peterson's Rock Garden, near Bend, at its regular Friday meeting at 8 p.m. at the Salem Memorial Hospital chapel.

Dental plates repaired while you wait at Painless Parker, Dentist, 125 N. Liberty, Salem. (adv.)

**HUNTING PROGRAM DUE**  
A film on hunting, and a question and answer session on the subject, will be on the program for the Salem Lion's Club meeting Thursday noon at the Marion Hotel.

Englewood Church annual Rummage sale, Sept. 22, 8:30 a.m. over Greenbaums. (adv.)

**COLLISION REPORTED**  
Two cars received considerable damage Tuesday in a collision at Hunt and Capitol streets, city police report. Officers said drivers involved in the 3:45 p.m. mishap were Nita Ola Wagner, Salem Route 2, Box 343-A, and Orval D. Otto, Brooks.

S. H. Logan back in Salem. Ph. 4-2695 for massage treatments.

**WINDOW REMOVED**  
Duane Amen, 2320 S. 12th St., complained to city police that a rear window was removed from his 1949 Ford sometime Monday night while it was parked in the city.

**PUBLIC STENO: Legal Experience.** all types copy work, Direct Mailing serv. Senator Hotel, 3-4151, Eve. 4-1900. Barbara Earle.

**SPEED ZONE SOUGHT**  
A 25-mile-an-hour speed zone has been requested by a Middle Grove Drive resident. The request, made to Marion County Court, was referred to County Engineer John Anderson for investigation.

**GOOD JOBS APLENTY** in Statesman-Journal Want ads! See 'em and select. Or place a "Work Wanted" ad so employers can call YOU.

**HEARINGS DUE OCT. 3**  
Hearings on assessments for road work on Scott Avenue, Dover Avenue and Middle Grove Drive have been scheduled for Oct. 3 by Marion County Court. The Scott Avenue hearing will be at 10 a.m.; Dover, 10:15; and Middle Grove, 10:30.

**Acrobatic, Batan, Tap & Ballet classes** will be held each Tuesday to 6 p.m. at Keizer Grange Hall, Ph. 4-6379. (adv.)

**SHOOTING COMPLAINT FILED**  
Mrs. C. S. Sturm, 635 Idlewood Dr., reported to Marion County Sheriff Denver Young Tuesday that someone has been shooting in the woods just back of her house. The shots, she said, were "too close for comfort."

**Rummage sale, Cafeteria lunch** basement Christian Church, North Cottage, at Marion, Friday & Sat. Sept. 23 & 24 - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**OGBURN RETURNED SOUTH**  
Junior Rex Ogburn, 28, Florida, was picked up here Tuesday by the Lake County, Florida, sheriff. He was ordered held in the county jail for extradition to Florida on a non-support charge.

**Free Chicks** while they last Valley Farm Store.

**GEOLOGICAL GROUP TO MEET**  
Salem Geological Society will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. at Collins Hall on the Willamette University campus to hear several short talks by members. Subjects will include Crater Lake and the San Andreas fault.

**SPECIAL Rummage Sale** over Greenbaum's, Wednesday all day. (adv.)

**McMULLEN TO SPEAK**  
Vern McMullen, member of both the Salem and Marion County planning commissions and who serves as liaison between the two, will be guest speaker at the Salem Exchange Club meeting today noon at the Marion Hotel. He will outline the principle functions of the two groups and will give a resume of what the commissions have done in the past, what they are doing at present and what they plan to do in the future to cope with the continual growth of Salem.

**U-PICK PEACHES**  
The Famous LaFollette Mission Orchards open for picking Friday, Sept. 16th.

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## Military Roundup

### Sgt. Muller Takes Part in Hawaii Test

25th Div., Hawaii — Army Sgt. Vernon H. Muller, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Muller, 1250 Clearville Ave., Salem, Ore., took part in a recent two-day battalion training test here. Muller, a squad leader in Company G of the 35th Regiment, has been in the Army since Feb. 1953.

**Pacific Fleet** — Lynn A. Anderson, Navy radioman seaman apprentice, is now assigned to the attack aircraft carrier USS Philippine Sea. Anderson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson, Woodburn, Ore.

**Moffett Field, Calif.** — A Woodburn, Ore., Navy man, Ray Stampley Jr., is now assigned to the Air Transport Squadron as an aviation electronics technician third class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stampley, Woodburn.

**Long Beach, Calif.** — Ensign Thomas A. O'Halloran has returned here after a nine-month cruise in the Far East aboard the minesweeper, USS Ruddy. He is from Mt. Angel, Ore.

**Yreka, Calif.** — Pvt. Arlen C. Holmsted, whose wife and parents live in Salem, Ore., was among military personnel who helped battle the fires in the Klamath National Forest near here. His wife, Margaret, lives at 330 W. Browning Ave., Salem.

**Fifth Air Force, Japan** — Major Gilbert H. Charters, Jr., Salem, Ore., recently arrived at Johnson Air Base in Japan for assignment to the 41st Air Division.

The officer is assigned as a management analysis specialist with the headquarters which is the unit responsible for the air defense of central Japan.

Major Charters' wife, Jean, and 6-year-old daughter, June, reside at 2975 Doughton St., Salem.

## Final Rites for Youth Planned

Funeral services for George Eyre, former Salem youth who drowned Monday at Santa Barbara, Calif., will be held Thursday at Santa Barbara.

Services for the 17-year-old lad will be at the First Congregational Church there at 3 p.m. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eyre, the youth lived in Salem until the family moved to California five years ago. The drowning reportedly occurred in a private club's pool.

## Ex-Salem Resident Quits Springfield C of C Position

Frank Lockman, former Salem business man and now a resident of Springfield has resigned as Springfield's Chamber of Commerce manager.

Lockman tendered his resignation last week, to become effective Oct. 15. He has been manager for the past nine months. He gave no reason for his quitting.

Lockman, 56, graduated from Willamette University here several years ago and later operated a school of speech and a real estate office.

He said this week he intends to remain in the Eugene-Springfield area and probably will return to private business.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
For the thought and sympathy you have shown, the service you have rendered through the long illness of our husband and father, we thank you always.  
Mrs. Lucille Wolz & family.

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## Salem to Hear Famed Africa Missionary

Dr. Ira Gillet, a noted leader of Protestant Christian missions in Africa, will speak Thursday night at the Trinity Methodist Church at Four Corners. It will be his only public appearance in the Salem area.

Dr. Gillet, who received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Willamette University in 1942, is secretary to the Christian Council of Mozambique and has been editor of the African Christian Advocate for the past 25 years.

A one-time student at Oregon State College, Dr. Gillet has served as a missionary in Africa for 37 years and has been a leader in interdenominational cooperation. He was one of the leaders in establishment of the new Union Theological Seminary which trains leaders from various denominations for work in Africa.

Dr. Gillet was formerly principal of the Central Training School at Kambini and for several years has been district superintendent of the Limpopo dis-

## Salem Girl's Guardian Files \$100,000 Suit

A \$100,000 damage suit was filed Tuesday in Marion County Circuit Court by the guardian of a Salem girl who was injured in a car-pedestrian accident last year.

The suit was filed by Walter Rak, father of Rose Rak, against Clifford and Henry Van Loh, driver and owner of the car involved. Both are charged with negligence. The complaint states the driver was not keeping a proper lookout, was driving too fast, and could have avoided striking the girl.

The girl, the complaint states, was unconscious for 10 months. Alleged injuries have caused her great physical pain and mental anguish, Rak contends. She has been confined to bed since the date of the accident.

In addition to the amount sought in general damages, an unspecified amount in special damages is asked.

The accident occurred between Hawthorne Lane and Oregon Avenue on Center Street.

## Blind School Chief To Attend Meeting

The State Board of Control, meeting here Tuesday, approved a request of Walter Dry, State Blind School superintendent, to send Everett Wilcox, principal, to a conference for the blind at Louisville.

The board approved a payment of \$17,000.50 to Malskerky and Moore, contractors, for work on the kitchen and dining room at the Oregon State Hospital.

Payment of \$8,347 to the Southern Waterproofing Company for work on the state office building here also received the board's approval.

The board also approved a contract, which is comprised of some 100 villages.

The speaker will show colored motion pictures at the Thursday night program and will play musical recordings of tribal ceremonies. He also will have a display of African articles.

## Jason Lee Church Men Meet Tonight

Methodist Men's Fellowship of the Jason Lee Methodist Church open their fall program with a rally dinner tonight at 6:30 in the church dining hall.

Dr. Ernest F. Harold, executive secretary of the Oregon Conference, a newly created office at the last session of the conference, will be the speaker.

Dr. Harold is a former district superintendent of the Methodist Church in Washington State and leader of the Pacific Northwest Conference. Also coming to the dinner will be Mr. Howard Somers, the Oregon Conference Lay Leader.

Richard Batdorf is the new president of the Methodist Men's Fellowship and is organizing the men for a year of work and dinner programs. Roy Roberts is treasurer and Larry Barham vice president.

## Lyons Attends Reserve Meet

Timothy A. Lyons Jr., 1015 N. 18th St., is attending a five-day Army Reserve Advisors' conference at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., Sept. 19-23.

Purpose of the program is to present latest information and procedures for the conduct of Army Reserve business. Representatives from all major Oregon cities are expected at the meet.

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## Legislators to Study Oregon Election Laws

Oregon's election laws will receive painstaking study, with particular reference to comparison with election laws of other states, the 1955 legislative interim committee on elections indicated at a meeting here Tuesday.

Sen. Pat Lonergan, Portland, interim committee chairman, said the committee had obtained the services of the Willamette University Institute of State Affairs to conduct research operations.

One problem to receive attention of the committee involves the filing of election expense accounts by candidates and committees. Under the current setup these election expense accounts are supposed to be filed within 10 days after the primary and general elections. It was pro-

**Births**  
HALTER — To Mr. and Mrs. Otto J. Halter, Woodburn, a daughter, Tuesday, Sept. 20, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

posed by some lawmakers at the 1955 legislative session that these expense accounts be filed prior to the elections so the voters would have some idea of the amount of money that was being expended.

The committee named Edwin W. Butler, Willamette University Institute of State Affairs, as executive secretary. Alma Schroeder, calendar clerk of the House of Representatives at the 1955 legislative session, was selected as recording secretary.

Committee members here for the meeting, other than Lonergan, were Senator Mark Hatfield, Salem, and Representatives Kay Meriwether and Robert J. Jensen, Portland; Mrs. Jean Young, Portland, and Vernon Burda, Prineville.

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