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Princess Margaret Holds to "Duty"

In Britain the Church again has triumphed over the state, and this time over Love. In the case of King Edward, the Church was backed by a considerable body of opinion which objected to his marrying not only a divorcee but one born an American commoner.

All the world "loves a lover" and has watched with warm interest Princess Margaret's struggle between love and duty (as prescribed by the Archbishop of Canterbury). Foreign comment does not seem particularly pertinent, however, since the affair was primarily personal and related to the loyalties the Princess felt toward her lover, her Church and the royal family of which she is an important personage.

I. M. Doughton

I. M. Doughton, who succumbed Monday to a prolonged illness, laid a good foundation for Salem's progress during his years as member of the first city water commission and later as mayor for two terms.

Editorial Comment

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Vaunted 'Spirit of Geneva' Formed While Reds Attempting to Stir Up Mid-East Crisis

By JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP

WASHINGTON — The remarkable result of the first manifestation of the "Spirit of Geneva" is still being generally underrated.

To drive the point home, as it were, an exactly parallel operation is plainly taking shape at the other end of the Middle Eastern fertile crescent, in Afghanistan.

Thus far, the game has chiefly taken the form of accepting Soviet credits and admitting large numbers of Soviet technicians to build the roads, granaries, oil storage facilities and other works on which the Soviet credits are being spent.

Now, moreover, a new phase almost certainly lies ahead. The Afghan radio has just announced the departure of a special mission to Czechoslovakia, to discuss arms purchases there—which is another version of the Egyptian pattern.

Polio in Malheur County

The flareup of polio in Idaho last spring among children inoculated with Salk vaccine resulted in the abrupt termination of the vaccination of children there. Malheur county, Oregon, followed the Idaho lead and did not resume inoculations after the program was revived nationally.

State Meat Inspection

Reports on the first round of inspection of slaughtering plants in the Salem area not previously under inspection pretty well demonstrated the need for such service.

This was part of a pilot program authorized by the last legislature. Inspection should be put on a full-time and statewide basis by the next legislature.

Trick-or-treaters out in the rain last night came home with soggy sacks of loot.

Several days ago The Statesman commented on the need for an auxiliary braking system on truck-trailer combos to prevent such accidents as have taken toll of life recently in different parts of the country.

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have to retire at least by the end of 1956 under Oregon statutes. '56 also may see the beginning of water rationing in Salem.

Barrier Buster

Branch Rickey, for the past five seasons general manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates in the National League, has quit an active role in baseball to become chairman of the board.

These two men, the proteges of Branch Rickey, succeeded and today there are few teams in organized baseball that do not have Negroes playing.

IT SEEMS TO ME

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presidential campaign. He gave an address recently before the National Conference of Editorial Writers and then developed his ideas further in an article published in the Wall Street Journal.

With Afghanistan under Soviet influence, and with Tibet being dotted with Sino-Soviet airbases and laed with Chinese military roads, the two great Communist powers will command the historic conquerors' approaches to the Indian sub-continent.

One kind of effect can already be foreseen. Afghanistan and Western-allied Pakistan have been engaged in a fruitless but bitter and interminable dispute about their borders, and about the status of people of Afghan stock living within Pakistan.

Soviet arms in Afghan hands will certainly make new trouble between the Afghans and the Pakistanis, as Soviet arms in Egyptian hands have made trouble between the Egyptians and the Israelis.

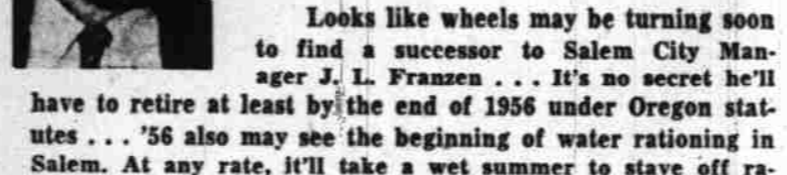
GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Is impossible to make models hold still for corset styling, comrade commissar! ... Is thinking maybe measurements is not for beauty show! ..."



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BREATHLESS INFORMATION

Breathless information dept. . . A handout from Philadelphia, Pa., notes that a "divorce ring," will be introduced in that city of brotherly love next month by a jewelry firm.

A course which does not exactly reek with glamour has, nevertheless, become the most popular of all in the Salem public school adult education program.

SAFETY VALVE

To the Editor:

Now that the bird season is on most everyone is looking for the same thing, a place to do a little shooting and they are few and far between.

BETTER ENGLISH

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "You can do like I do, if you wish, and inside of a month you'll find it don't mean nothing."

1. Say, "You can do as I do, if you wish, and within a month, you'll find it doesn't mean anything." 2. Pronounce dis-tray, accent second syllable.

Time Flies FROM STATESMAN FILES

10 Years Ago

Lt. Col. George E. Sandy, of the Oregon Selective Service headquarters staff, will be grand marshal of Salem's Armistice day parade, announced Armistice day Committee Chairman Earl Andresen.

25 Years Ago

The completion of the new Central Oregon highway from Bend to Burns, has opened up some of the most interesting scenery in Deschutes county, views heretofore difficult of access by car.

40 Years Ago

Jackson Benter, an aged Negro, who operated the hand press for the Willamette Farmer in the early '70s, died recently. He had been a resident of Salem for more than sixty years and was 82 years old.

Public Records

CIRCUIT COURT Laven H. Sutton vs. David D. Sutton: plaintiff granted divorce, custody of minor children, \$50 monthly support, \$150 attorney fees.

PROBATE COURT

Guardianship of Richard Norris Ransdell, minor; Bernice Robinson named guardian. Guardianship of Ian Savage, minor; Randall E. Savage named guardian.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Melvin Leo Miller, 22, carpenter, Mt. Angel, and Shirley Jean Mucken, 19, clerk, Mt. Angel. Robert Darrell Key, 19, cannery worker, Salem Route 2, Box 247, and Joyce Elaine Hauptman, 19, stenographer, Salem Route 5, Box 282.

MUNICIPAL COURT

Joseph Vance Allman, 4605 Silvertown Rd., fined \$250 after pleading guilty to a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor.

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