

One of the country slickers over Sheridan way had some fun with the city bumpkins on the opening day of pheasant season . . . A. W. Lux, the prankster, killed a pheasant, cut its head off, and stuck it on a rod . . . He stuck the rod in a stubble field so that the colorful head just peeked out of the stubble ... Then he went into his nearby house and sat back to watch ... Soon a pick-up truck braked to a quickstop and two hunters hurried out . . . One of them threw a stone at the head while the other drew a bead . . . The hunter saved his shell several cities. when the rooster failed to flush, but he was an exception . . . Before the day was over, eight others had taken a shot at it.

Move over, McMinnville . . . Somebody has stolen those new ballpoint pens from Stayton's postoffice, too.

A squib contributed by Father Luke Eberle of the Benedictine Abbey at 'Mt. Angel appears in the November Reader's Digest . . . It starts out by noting that many people associate the word "Benedictine" with a famous after-dinner liquor, while comparatively few know that Benedictine monks call competitive races, but both are their religious garb a "habit" ... In this instance, Fother Luke commanding above average inand another priest. Father Hubert, were returning from Eu-terest. rope and were passing through customs . . . After politely inspecting their big luggage, a customs official pointed to a small All From Lebanon bag Father Hubert carried and asked what it contained . . .

"Only an old Benedictine habit." Father Hubert softly replied nly an old Benedictine habit," Father Hubert softly replied who have been campaigning to-. Even more softly came the customs official's next question, gether are all Democrats. All are "How many bottles, Father?"

It might be assumed that the incident took place recently, newspaper writer, who opposes but it actually happened back in the 1930's . . . And writing it veteran Republican County Clerk before election, since downpours reshouldn't have been too difficult for Father Luke, who is now novice master at the Abbey ... He was once editor of St. Joseph. Magazine, the Catholic national monthly published on the Mt. Angel hilltop.

Linn County Clerk R. M. Russell is hoping that he hasn't inadvertently offended a woman voter in Linn County's 64th once lived at Mill City. She op- vote precinct . . . After the woman registered. Russell sent her a registration card which noted her name, followed by her precinct number The return mail brought a note from her ... "Thanks for the card," the woman wrote, "but you got my age wrong. I'm not nearly 64."



DALLAS, Nov. 3-Emmet T. Rogers (D), pictured at left, and W. Frank Crawford (D) are candidates for Polk County commissioners. Both live in rural area north of West Salem.

Tri-County Election Interest The Oregon Statesman **Sparkles as Deadline Nears** Statesman, Salem, Ore., Sun., Nov. 4, '56 (Sec. II)-11 Wife Awaits

By CHARLES IRELAND Valley Editor, The Statesman

Political campaigns charged with more fizz and sparkle than usual are bubbling toward Tuesday's finish line in three

mid-valley counties. Overshadowed by McKay and Morse, Ike and Adlai, candidates for a dozen courthouse jobs in Polk, Linn and Yamhill Counties have been heating the bushes for votes.

Spirited municipal issues are adding zest to election day in ies, and Herbert Host (D), Carlton,

are the candidates. Sparked by three women who Yamhill County also is expected

have often campaigned as a team, to voice a favorite-son vote for Linn County has competition in the Carl Francis (R) of Dayton, canfield for six county-level offices-a didate for attorney general. high number in a county where The Sheridan Sun, commenting

election interest is sometimes as on the Congressional race, observed dull as last week's razor blade. last week that Jason Lee (D) "has Polk County has four competitive made a strong compaign and races from which two new officials stands a chance to win." The Stayton Mail came up with a friendly are certain to emerge. editorial for the candidate Lee Yambill County trails with two opposes, Rep. Walter Norblad (R) of Stayton

Water Key Issue

Water is an important issue at the city level in at least three The three Linn County women mid-valley towns. At Silverton, a \$175,000 bond issue for a water filtration plant is from Lebanon

considered a toss-up. One is Katherine Harris, former Proponents of the plan are said "hoping for a hard rain" to be R. M. Russell. portedly affect the water supply

Another is Evelyn Downing, who and have raised the cry for a rew up at Stayton. She opposes filtration plant. another Republican veteran. At McMinnville, voters who ap-County Treasurer Raymond Tomproved fluoridation last spring will

have to vote on it again. Opponents The third is Eva Sylvester, who have voided the results of the May

poses another woman, longtime At Monmouth, water is credited County Recorder Stella E. Hoover, with cracking city politics wide Other Lebanon Democrats who open. seek to unseat Linn County Re-publicans are William Goold and from Teal Creek via a six-inch

Roy Fitzwater, candidates for state main and the summer supply has representative against incumbents often been inadequate.

Ed R. Cardwell, of Sweet Home, Veteran Mayor Howard Morlan and Jeas W. Savage, of Albany: proposed that Monmouth tap some also Albert Zentz, candidate for underlying gravel beds near the county commissioner against in- Willamette River and pump water cumbent Roy D. Jenks of Tangent. about three miles via a new 10-County Coroner W. Glenn Huston inch main. of Lebanon, lone incumbent Demo-

crat, is opposed by Dr. Lawrence Brought Out Field Dennis, Albany Republican.

Final Linn race is between in-cumbent John W. Sheppard (R) and Jason T. Anderson (D) for

Four Polk Contests

primaries.

New Assessor Due

currently a rural mail carrier. The Groves ticket is said to be-In Polk County, candidates for lieve that leaks in the present the four contested offices have-water line are causing the shortage been mixing it up in a bid for the and that they should be checked and fixed, while the Morlan ticket

county's 12,000 votes. Monmouth Police Chief Edward is reported to believe that a new C. Leum (D) opposes Sheriff Tony water source is the answer. Neufeldt (R) who seeks a second Many other mid-valley Many other mid-valley cties Tuesday will elect council members

term. Incumbent County Clerk Betty Adams (R) seeks her first full and, in some cases, mayors. term in office against James Copp

(D), north county rural resident. The race for county commis-sioner pits W. Frank Crawford (R) against his hard-campaigning Wal-

lace Road neighbor, Emmet D. Rogers (D). A third candidate, L. Kinsey, who lives south of Dalas, is running as an Independent. A new face on the county court is incumbent C. L. Burbank in the

8 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Women Challenge in Linn



ALBANY, Nov. 3-Novel feature of Linn County campaign has seen these three women running for office on Demo- israeli attack stunned her but that eratic ticket. Left to right: Mrs. Eva Sylvester, Mrs. Kather- it was not a big surprise. ine Harris and Mrs. Evelyn Downing, candidates for re-

Mrs McGuire, who said she was getting "pretty anxious" for word her mate, said news of the about

The valley woman recalled that

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MT. ANGEL, Nov. 3 - A wife

who flew home from Cairo, Egypt

with her two children in August

was still waiting here today for

word from the husband she left

Mrs. C. David McGuire has had

no message concerning her hus-band since trouble flared between

Israel and Egypt early in the

Lt. McGuire, a Naval research

doctor, was to return next month

from a two-year tour of duty at

the U.S. Medical Research Unit in

Mrs. McGuire, who grew up in Salern as Ruth VanBuskirk, is

The mother and children re-

turned from Cairo because one of

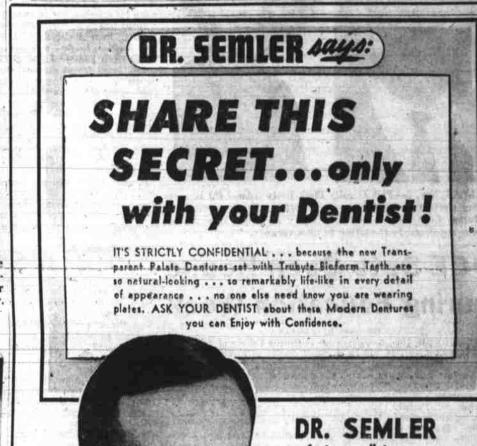
the children incurred an eye in-

visiting near Mt. Angel with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Van-MONMOUTH, Nov. 3-Membership certificate in Red Cross Gallon Club was awarded to Oregon College of Education President Roy E. Licuallen Thursday after he donated his eighth pint of blood, the college reported today. Presenting award is Mrs. Ella Lange of Polk County Red Cross Chapter.

Prexie Joins Gallon Club

FW Auxiliary Dinner Date Set

Statesman News Service | Wahus is general chairman. Pro-SHERIDAN, Nov. 3-Members of ceeds will be used for relief and corder, clerk and treasurer respectively. All live at Lebanon. when an earthquake rumbled VFW Auxiliary 4211 will sponsor hospital work. The group assistathrough Cairo last year many resi-dents feared the noise was from urday, Nov. 10, at their hall in Wil- veterans' domiciliary at Camp an attacking Israeli air armada. Iamina from 5 to 8 p.m. Mrs. Arne White



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Republicans are opposed by women in Linn County election. Left to right: County Clerk R. M. Russell, Treasurer Raymond Temlinson and County Recorder Stella E. Hoover.

Vie on Yamhill Ballot

Church Plans Annual Fair

Statesman News Service FOUR CORNERS, Nov. 3-The second annual Trinity Fair sponassured, since Crawford defeated sored by the Women's Society of Christian Service of Trinity Methodist Church is scheduled for Nov.

> The booths will be set up in the educational building

This was opposed by some and brought out a new field of candidates, headed by Oscar Groves, who was nominated for mayor. Groves is a former postmaster and



DALLAS, Nov. 3-L. V. Seeley (R), Independence, and Ray Rabenau (D), present deputy assessor, seek office of Polk County Assessor. Like commissioner race, new official is Yamhill Race Eyed certain to emerge. (Additional pictures on page 12). 12).

Havesville Sergeant **Home From Formosa**

Jack Versteeg, son of Mr. and Mrs. a Dallas hospital. He was injured home on leave. He has been sta-toined the past 17 months as chief personnel clerk at Taipei, For-

mosa, and has about 15 months of report Nov. 25 to Westover Air garden (R), who defeated the late duty left in the Air Force. He will Force base in Massachusetts.



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A new assessor also will emerge nearing completion and joins the to succeed Ed Dunn (D) who is church on the east.

retiring. His deputy, Ray Rabenau Tables for the lunch and din-(D) and L. V. Sceley (R) of Inde- ner will be in the Fellowship hali. pendence, nominated on primary Lunch will be served from 11 vrite-ins, are candidates. a.m. to 2 p.m. and dinner from Ten of Polk County's 38 pre- 6 to 8 p.m. Mrs. William Musscincts will decide between Dallas mecher is chairman of the fair attorneys Darrell J. Williams and Mrs. Roger Hagestedt and Mrs. C. L. Masters in a run-off race Eddie Bailey will be in charge of for justice of the peace, Dallas the luncheon, and Mrs. Ernest district. The race is pertinent to Walker is dinner chairman. The Rickreall, Salt Creek, Buell, Oak- public is welcome.

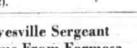
dale and Jackson as well as the Lebanon - James L. Payne five Dallas precincts. At the state level, Polk County Salam architect, has been cagaged will keep a "native son" eye on to draw plans for a new Methodist at Dallas

McMINNVILLE, Nov. 3-Herbert Holst, Carlton Democrat, and Charles N. Teegarden, Republican from town of Yamhill, seek office of Yamhill County Commissioner.

Lebanon Picks Post Office Site

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LEBANON, Nov. 3-Selection of Owner of the property is Ed Mark Hatfield, GOP candidate for church here. He attended a family a corner site at Second and East Kellenberger. The location is across secretary of state, who once lived night dinner here Thursday and dis-at Dallas. Grant streets for a new Post Office the street from the present post outsed the over-all church building building was announced here office building, also owned by Kel-



County, observers see an interesting race between Sheriff W. L. (Bill) Jones of Dayton, and Wal-

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HAYESVILLE, Nov. 3 - S'Sgt, home after spending five weeks in Mekkers is credited with strength a wrecking yard at McMinnville. in southwest Yamhill County and John Versteeg, 2790 Ward Drive, is in an automobile accident, receiv- Jones with strength in the eastern

> A, new commissioner will be elected. Yamhill's Charles N. Tee-Charles R. Newman in the primar-

In nominally Republican Yamhill



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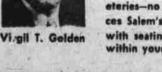
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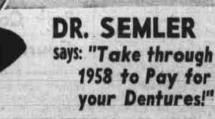
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TOT LEAVES HOSPITAL WILLAMINA, Nov. 3 - Dennis lace R. (Bud) Mekkers, former Wren, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. state policeman who now operates Cleo Wren, has returned to his