

## MALLEY, COLE AND CLAPP ARE INDICTED

### Senior



Wednesday evening, May 25, at eight o'clock, will be the Commencement, whereby the Class of '27 will be launched into the busy world of every-day life.

There are fifteen members of the graduating class, twelve girls and three boys:

- HELLEN BECKETT
- RUTH CHRISTIAN
- MADELINE CORKHILL
- LOUISE CROWE
- ROSE HARBESON
- VIRGINIA HORSEY
- EDNA KRAMER
- MARY JANE MOCOCC
- MARGARET MOFFATT
- MARTHA MORRISON
- MARION MOTT
- MILDRED ROESBERRY
- OSCAR BRYAN
- TOM CROAL
- CLAIR WADSWORTH

### COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM



- March—ProceSSIONAL.....Davids
- High School Orchestra
- Invocation.....Spross
- When Tired Caravans Are Resting.....Spross
- High School Glee Club
- We Build the Ladder by Which We Climb.....Virginia Horsey
- Overture—Frolics of Cupid.....Gruenwald
- High School Orchestra
- Address to Class.....Dr. Walter Dexter, President of Whittier College
- Commencement.....Margaret Moffatt
- When Through the Night—"Liebstrraum".....Liszt
- High School Glee Club
- Presentation of Awards
- Presentation of Diplomas.....H. A. Whiteneck, Superintendent
- Overture—Black Diamond.....Gruenwald
- High School Orchestra
- Benediction



### THE FACULTY

- H. A. Whiteneck, Superintendent
- Bertha V. Akin, Class Advisor.
- W. E. Barr
- Nolan C. Craver
- Beulah J. Drom
- Clara E. Doyle
- Amy Hanson
- Lyman S. Judson
- Karl K. Kirschner
- L. A. Montague
- Raby J. Newton
- Elizabeth Scott
- Eleanor A. Siebert

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

- O. K. Adcock, President.
- E. H. Hunting, Secretary.
- C. D. Barnum.
- E. W. Griffith.
- E. W. Cragin.

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### GOVERNOR APPOINTS RUSSELL TREASURER

Malley's Office Declared Vacant Thursday. — Malley Contends He Is Still State Treasurer.

Governor Fred B. Balzar on Thursday declared the office of State Treasurer vacant because of the failure of Ed Malley to submit a new bond after his former bondsmen withdrew following the discovery of the defalcation of \$516,000 alleged to have been made by Malley, Cole and Clapp.

This action marks the first step in the move of the state to prosecute the three for the alleged embezzlement.

Malley, through his attorneys, contends that his time as state treasurer will not expire until Saturday, May 21 at midnight if he does not furnish a new bond by that time.

### BYERS RECOVERING ABLE TO BE ABOUT

Victim of Filipino's Knife Able To Walk a Little.—Nothing Heard from Mrs. Byers Since She Left.

Notwithstanding the fact that Mrs. George Byers, alleged to be the wife of George Byers, who was terribly slashed by an insane Filipino at Windmill Station in San Bernardino county, Cal., more than a month ago, left Las Vegas on April 19 and has not since been heard from either by Mr. Byers or the hospital surgeons, the patient is making rapid and certain progress toward complete recovery.

Mr. Byers was operated on by Dr. Mildren last week for the removal of infectious matter which had gathered in the lung cavity, and is now making better progress than before.

The complete recovery of the patient is a high recommendation of the skill of Dr. F. R. Mildren as a surgeon and of the excellent care the patient has received.

### JOHN LEONARD ESTATE DIVIDED BY COURT

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After all expenses were paid there was about \$3000.00 left which will be divided between Mrs. Hauser and the State of Nevada.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

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### MAN LOSS SELF IN MUDDY VALLEY

R. M. Jacoby Eats Lunch and Loses Mind.—Strays From Wife Who Is Unable To Find Him.

Richard M. Jacoby, aged 31, a commission buyer drove into the Muddy Valley Sunday afternoon to transact some business. He was accompanied by his wife.

After spending some time in Overton, Pacoby and his wife moved on toward St. Thomas.

At dark he had not returned and Mrs. Jacoby started back to Las Vegas without her husband and arrived in this city about nine-thirty or ten o'clock.

On Monday morning Jacoby had not yet been heard from so his wife and her mother reported the matter to the police.

Had word been taken into Overton or St. Thomas by Mrs. Jacoby she could probably very easily have found her husband.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRACK MEET SUCCESS

Six B Grade Takes Honors.—Good Material For Future Meets Is Being Developed.

The Elementary School Track Meet was a big success and brought out evidence of some coming material for the future make-up of the Las Vegas track.

Frank Campbell of the Sixth B is high point winner with a score of four First Ribbons and a victory in the relay team.

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### CHARLES LINDBERGH MAKES THE FLIGHT

New York To Paris Hop Contingued by American Flyer.—Two Nations Join in Congratulations.

Charles Lindbergh, intrepid American aviator, landed in Paris today, making the flight from New York to Paris in 29 hours, according to a flash over the wires at noon today.

The report seems to be authentic. Reports that the flyer passed over Ireland and parts of England were received this morning.

The people of France and America are roused to enthusiasm over the accomplishment, the only sorrow being the fate of Nungesser and Goll, who have not been seen since they left Paris a week ago.

### WILLARD IS HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Entered House and Attacked Wife After Sending Husband on Wild Goose Chase.

Allen Willard is held in the county jail today awaiting hearing on the charge of attempted rape.

It appears that last night Willard appeared at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ward on Westside, awakened them and asked Mr. Ward to go out on the Indian Springs road to rescue his father who was stalled there.

Ward left in his car on the errand of relief. Soon after, it is alleged, Willard forced his way into the Ward home and attacked Mrs. Ward, who was asleep.

She managed to get free of her assailant and ran from the house to a neighbor's. Just at that juncture Under Sheriff McCubrey and City Marshall Joe May passed.

### ROTARY CLUB MAKES VISIT TO OSTEND

Fine Weather and Snappy Entertainment Enjoyed on Imaginary Voyage of Club To Europe.

Dr. Roy W. Martin, program chairman of the day at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday noon, took the entire club on an imaginary trip to the great Rotary Convention at Ostend, Belgium.

On the way a short stop was made in New York where the party went to Ziegfeld's and became tangled up with the Polly Sisters (Bess Pembroke and Alta Ham) who accompanied them across the sea and put on some nifty musical numbers, among them "Blue Skies" and "Down a Lane in Spain."

They also found Al Johnson of Alabama (Pam Pembroke) whom they took along and who sang "Two Time Dan," to the great enjoyment of the crowd.

At Ostend, the bunch met up with the "Blonde Senoritas" the Martin sisters (Francis and Mazie). These two charmers sang three Spanish ballads "Lupita Divine," "Las Golondrinas" and "Cielito Lindo," and an Italian number "Angelo."

### HOTEL NEVADA ADDITION MAKES RAPID PROGRESS

The one story concrete addition to the Fremont street side of the Hotel Nevada building is making good progress toward completion.

### LOOKING FOR ROBBER WIFE SHOTS MATE

Dick Arnold Victim of Accident.—Peppered with Shot Slight of One Eye Is Endangered.

Richard (Dick) Arnold of Searchlight was the victim of a mistake which might have cost him his life, when he received the contents of a shotgun fired by his wife when she mistook him for a burglar at Searchlight early yesterday morning.

Since the robbery of the store of the Searchlight Mercantile Co. owned by Mrs. Ella Knowles some three weeks ago, a burglar alarm system was installed.

After throwing the ray of his flashlight into the store window and hearing and seeing nothing, Dick went around and took his stand in the shadow of the fire tank.

About 18 or 20 bird shot took effect in Mr. Arnold's right arm, several in his face and scalp, and two penetrated the region of the eye.

Bert Mizer brought Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Knowles in his car to the Las Vegas Hospital, where the wounds were dressed by Dr. Mildren.

The two shot which entered near the eye apparently missed the eye ball, but inflicted a wound which is both serious and painful.

Mrs. Arnold is much grieved and worried over the part she played, but it is clear that she is in no way blamable.

### BARSTOW KIWANIS VISIT VEGAS CLUB

Wallie Rhoads Puts on Program with Dr. Martin Principal Speaker.—Barstow Bunch Visits Dam Site.

The feature of Wednesday's meeting of the Las Vegas Kiwanis Club was the presence of a dozen members of the Barstow Club, who came to pay their respects to their neighboring Kiwanians, and incidentally used the opportunity to visit the Boulder Dam site, which they did in the afternoon following the meeting.

The list of visitors from Barstow includes the following: M. Ochoa, Harvey Mosien, A. P. Ring, Geo. Steiman, E. D. Evanson, Fred Baur, Geo. Cunningham, S. Steinberg, Bob White, Chas. Brass, Clinton Whitlow and Bob Burke.

Wallie Rhoads was program chairman for the day. He offered musical selections by Rev. Fr. Reardon, Dr. Bunce and the Kiwanis Quartette, all of which were pleasing.

Dr. Roy W. Martin was principal speaker of the day. Moved by the presence of the Barstow delegation he drew a parallel between the activities of that city, recounting the numerous crises which have confronted each.

The Club has extended an invitation to the High School Class of 1927 to be guests at the luncheon next week.

### DEFENDANTS APPEAR IN COURT TODAY

Embezzlement Charged To Malley—Cole and Clapp Abettors.—Cole Charged With Issuing Fraudulent Warrant.

RENO, May 21, 1927.—(Special)—The grand jury at Carson City indicted E. Malley, former state treasurer, George Cole, former state controller, and W. H. Clapp, formerly cashier of the Carson Valley Bank, on seven counts yesterday afternoon.

The defendants will be arraigned before Judge Ballard in the district court at 1:30 today.

The indictments charge Malley with embezzlement of state funds, and Cole and Clapp as abettors, and include separate indictments for each of the three cashier's checks aggregating over \$516,000.

Cole is indicted for issuing a fraudulent controllers' warrant for \$392,000 which was found in the bank.

Malley states this morning that he will deliver the keys to the treasurer's office to George Russell, newly appointed treasurer, as soon as receipts for the contents of the office and vault are given him.

A grand jury to consider charges brought by the state in connection with the recently discovered shortage of \$516,000 in the state treasury was drawn Tuesday.

The grand jurors began their deliberations Friday morning at ten o'clock. It was called at request of Attorney General Diskin and District Attorney Chartz.

Ed Malley, through his attorneys McCarran & Mashburn, claims that his term, if he fails to file a new bond as treasurer, will not expire until midnight, Saturday, May 21.

The report still persists that Malley will tender a new bond and endeavor to retain his office.

### MISFORTUNE AGAIN STRIKES MRS. SHELLEY

Mrs. E. R. Shelley, whose home in Westside was destroyed by fire April 21, has received the sad news of the death of her son, H. R. Taylor at Sawtelle, Cal.

Mr. Taylor was wounded in the World War and has been in poor health as a result. Last Monday he was compelled to submit to an operation which was of no avail, and he died Thursday morning, May 19. His wife was with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor resided in Las Vegas for some months, leave last February for Sawtelle, where Mr. Taylor went for treatment at the veterans' hospital.

Mrs. Shelley is suffering a severe attack of tonsillitis and is not able to travel to Sawtelle for the funeral.

### MICKY OUTCLASSED BUT MADE GOOD FIGHT

Mickey Wallace, who fought Bert Colima last Sunday night at Nogales, Mexico, was clearly outclassed by his opponent, but nevertheless, he made a plucky effort.

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