

PRESENT FLAG STAFF TO GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Forty-foot Steel Flag Pole To Be Set in Front of Building.—Will Fly Flag Every Day.

Through the generosity and public spirit of City Commissioner O. J. Smith, Former Senator E. E. Smith and Wallie Rhoads, a steel flag staff forty feet in height, of the very latest type will soon grace the campus in front of the Grammar School building.

Commissioner Smith and Senator Smith are the donors of the staff, which has already been received.

It will be placed in position by Wallie Rhoads who is donating his services for that purpose.

The staff will be set in front of the main building according to present plans. It will be suitably inscribed with the names of the donors.

Appropriate exercises will be held at some later date, probably about the beginning of the fall term of school, at which the staff will be dedicated with appropriate flag raising exercises.

The donors have been asked to make suitable addresses on that occasion.

A department of commerce man has received inquiries for bath tubs from 35 countries within a week. It looks to us as if revolutions and wars are sprouting in all parts of the world.—Houston Post-Dispatch.

The grandson of the man who who blew out the gas now starts the automobile engine with the car in a closed garage.—Boston Transcript.

COMMITTEE REPORTS ON COUNTY EXHIBIT

Chamber of Commerce Meeting Hears Plans for Clark County Exhibit at Reno Exposition.

The committee appointed by the county commissioners to have charge of the matter of a Clark county exhibit at the Transcontinental Highways Exposition, to be opened at Reno June 26, reported to the Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting Tuesday noon that L. J. Oakes has been chosen to prepare the exhibit.

Owing to the cost, which would approximate \$3,000 according to the report of the committee, the plan to remodel the replica of the Black Canyon dam and reservoir and the panorama of mountains and desert country now on exhibition at the Manufacturer's Exhibit in Los Angeles was abandoned.

It is now planned to have Mr. Oakes prepare a series of photographs some of them of very large size, to show the Boulder Canyon project and other noteworthy features of Clark county and install the same in the space allotted to the county. This photographic exhibit it is proposed to supplement by showings of some of the products of the county.

A letter from the Pike's Peak-Ocean to Ocean Highway Association was read, announcing that a caravan, originating in New York and traveling westward over the route outlined by the association, would reach Las Vegas August 10.

An invitation was extended to the people of Las Vegas to join the procession for the journey from here through California.

A communication was received from the American Legion Flag Committee, stating that some non-resident property owners have not bought flags in compliance with the suggestion that a flag be displayed at regular intervals along the curb of Fremont street on all proper occasions.

The Chamber voted to purchase ten of the flags to assist in filling in the vacant places in the plan of decoration.

A committee consisting of O.K. Adcock, C. D. Breeze, Harry Blanding was appointed to confer with the American Legion Flag Committee as to the proper location of a 60-foot flag staff which the Legion proposes to erect as part of the decorative system.

WATER AND POWER HEADS VISIT VEGAS

W. B. Mathews, chief counsel for the Los Angeles Bureau of Water and Power; and H. A. Van Norman, engineer of the Los Angeles City Water Department, were in Las Vegas Tuesday.

This was Mr. Mathews' first visit in this city although he has been one of the powerful factors in promoting the Boulder Dam project for some years. Mr. Van Norman, acting as guide, conducted Mr. Mathews to both Boulder Canyon and Black Canyon dam sites and explained the engineering features of the great project.

They returned to Los Angeles by way of Needles, Topock and Blythe, inspecting the work being done preparatory to building the Los Angeles-Colorado River aqueduct at the latter place.

SAN JUAN BASIN PARTY VISITS VEGAS

A party of four residents of Dove Creek, located in the San Juan Basin in Colorado, reached Las Vegas Wednesday. They came west by way of the Santa Fe Old Trails route through Arizona.

The party is composed of C. V. Kinney, editor of the Inland Empire; Dr. F. A. McNeill, F. C. Johnson and F. A. Sifton. The Age acknowledges a pleasant call by the editor and Mr. Johnson.

Before returning to Dove Creek the party plans to drive to Los Angeles, San Francisco and home by way of Reno and Salt Lake City.

IMPROMPTU PARTY FOR PRINCIPAL WADSWORTH

OVERTON, May 17. — A very pleasing impromptu party was featured on the grass under the cottonwoods at the Wadsworth residence Sunday afternoon. A few close friends of Principal and Mrs. Wadsworth gathered to chat the hot afternoon away while they drank ice cold punch and ate ice cream and cookies.

Those who enjoyed the Wadsworth hospitality were: Supt. and Mrs. A. L. Kelly, J. Carlos Lambert, Miss Gwen Woolly, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Hecklethorn, Miss Teresa Jones, Miss Rachel Hecklethorn, Miss Wanda Jones, Miss Rita Jones, Miss Nicea Jones.

All report having had a splendid time and were unanimous in their declarations that impromptu parties are best.

BULLFROG-GOLDFIELD ROAD TO BE SCRAPPED

David Asplund, general agent of the Tonopah & Tidewater railroad, has announced that the old Bullfrog-Goldfield railroad, now under lease by the Tonopah & Tidewater, may be scrapped. The question will be considered at the annual meeting of the road on June 8, according to Mr. Asplund.

ROSE RANCH GLOWING WITH BRILLIANT COLOR

Charles Mostyn Owen, owner and creator of the Amargosa Rose Ranch in the northern part of town, feels that his dreams are justified and his labor and expenditure fully repaid by the enthusiasm with which his flowers are blooming.

Beginning with a brilliant showing of tulips a month ago, there has been a constantly increasing flood of color. Vying with the passing show of the tulips came the gorgeousness of a wonderful display of poppies of every shade, larger and more brilliant than the writer remembers to have seen.

Just now the baby roses are coming into bloom by hundreds and many of the roses on the hundreds of young bushes seem to be the very last word in rose perfection.

Mr. Owen is doing this work mostly as a labor of love. It is a great satisfaction to him that flowers respond so enthusiastically to encouragement here, and the people of Las Vegas thoroughly appreciate his efforts.

SENIOR CLASS NIGHT NEXT MONDAY EVENING

Monday evening, May 23, the Senior Class Night exercises will be given at the High School auditorium.

- Following is the program: Class '27 Class songs Tom Croal Grade Valse Brillante Leybach Madeline Corkhill A Pleasant Half Hour at the Beach Marjorie B. Cook Edna Kramer Class Will Helen Beckett The Usual Way Phyllis Fergus Louise Crowe Cass Prophecy Mae Conger Doll Dance Herb Brown Mary Jane Moccock Presentation of Key Virginia Horsey Alma Mater Class '27

MILLETT BRINGS BACK BIG TROUT

Frank Millett returned to Las Vegas Wednesday from a fishing trip into the Lone Pine district. The fact that he was well rewarded by the trip is evidenced by the fine big trout he brought back.

Chian sorely needs another Conchucos now.—Boston Globe.

Chicago has 110 lady millionaires who have no husbands. Opportunities for young men in Chicago ought to be especially good.

We understand that Governor Smith and William G. McAdoo have been asked to cut out the "personalities" in the next campaign, but what will those two have to discuss if they don't talk about each other?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

If other senators follow the example of Mr. Borah and take up the study of foreign languages it is appalling to think what a confusion of tongues may mark some future filibuster.—Boston Transcript.

And Pravda, the name of the Russian newspaper that printed the ridiculous "terrorization" lie about Sacco and Vanzetti, is the Russian word for truth!—Boston Globe.

Mr. Coolidge called at the Washington zoo the other day to take a look at the two lion cubs presented to him by an admirer. We have a suspicion that he stepped around to the elephant's quarters, too, for a peek at the far famed political emblem.—Des Moines Register.

SENIOR CLASS INVITED TO BE ROTARY GUESTS

The Class of 1927 has been invited to be the guests of Las Vegas Rotary Club at the luncheon Thursday noon, May 26.

Perhaps it will be dull for the young people, but the Rotarians are looking forward to a jolly time.

European nations call Uncle Sam imperialistic because they know just what they would do if they were in his place.

Let's hope that the nations of the world don't get into a war war over disarmament.

HOME TOWN HENRY



A FEW POLKS TRADING OUT O' TOWN AINT NO CAUSE FOR ALARM IN THE DAY OF ANCIENT ROME, A FEW O' TH' NATIVES TRADED IN CARTHAGE AND NOW NEW YORK STOREKEEPERS COMPLAIN THAT SOME O' THEIR BEST CUSTOMERS ARE RUNNING OVER TO PARIS TO SHOP—SO A LITTLE OF THIS DON'T MEAN TH' HOME TOWN IS GOIN' ON TH' ROCKS

GOVERNOR ASSURES NORTH-SOUTH ROAD

Work on Hawthorne-Tonopah-Las Vegas Road Will Begin in Near Future, Declares Gov. Balzar.

To set at rest reports to the effect that the \$300,000 bond issue for a North-South Highway authorized by the last legislature through the efforts of Senator A. S. Henderson, would be diverted to other uses because of the condition of the state treasury following the recent discovery of the defalcation of more than half a million dollars, Governor Fred B. Balzar has given positive assurance that the Highway Department is contemplating an early beginning of construction.

In a message to the Tonopah Bonanza asking information on the matter, Governor Balzar wired as follows: "No truth in the report. The Highway Department is contemplating commencing work on the Hawthorne - Tonopah - Las Vegas road in the near future. FRED B. BALZAR."

STATEMENT OF the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

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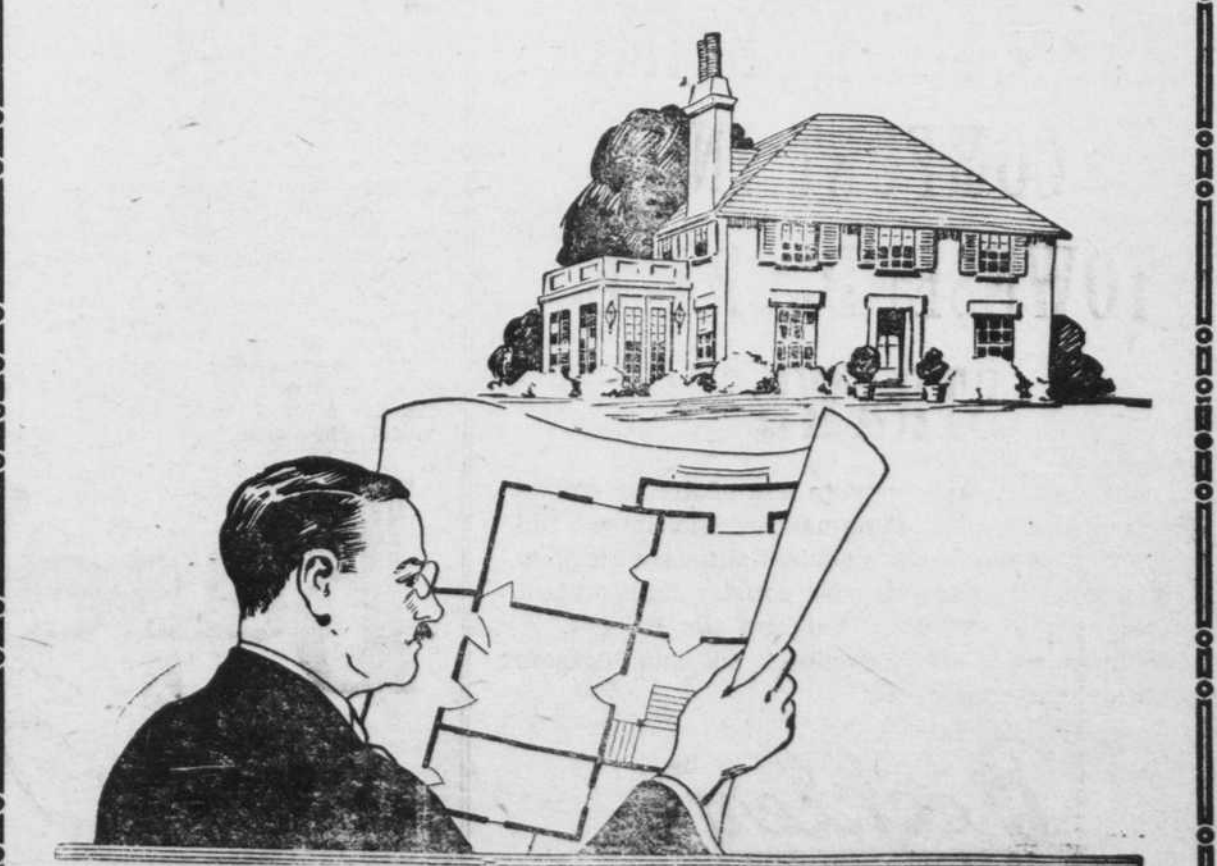


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