

DEPUTIES CATCH
DESPERATE MAN
IN DARK HALL

R. L. Carpenter, Hunted for Alleged California Thieves, Cornered by McCubrey, Two Others at Arizona Club.

A chase through the dark halls of the "Arizona Club" in Block 16 ended Tuesday evening at 9:30 in the capture by Undersheriff R. G. McCubrey and two deputies from California of a desperate man with a "blackjack" on his hip, who is wanted in California on many theft charges, and on whose person was at the time a gold watch stolen in California.

R. L. Carpenter, the fugitive, had been in Las Vegas some three weeks, and had been working at the mixing plant on the West Side until several days ago.

Located in 2 1/2 Hours

Deputies W. R. Cook and J. Morley from substation number 9 in Hollywood arrived in Las Vegas Tuesday at 7 a. m., and it took two and a half hours for McCubrey to locate the man and for the three men to corner him.

He was sitting on a stool near the "Hole in the Wall" when the deputies approached. He "ducked" inside the Arizona Club, and McCubrey rushed to the back to head him off. The hunted man went upstairs but found his way blocked by locked doors and came back down to be captured by the three men.

Taken to California
Carpenter waived extradition and was taken to Los Angeles for trial. A watch he was carrying, valued as to value with one of those reported stolen in California.

Trace of the refugee was found through his roommate, for whom he had left a note on their automobile instructing the roommate to leave the automobile keys in the car so he could go out to see "Cactus Kate."

SENIORS TO BE
GIVEN DIPLOMAS

Thirty Las Vegas high school seniors are waiting anxiously for tomorrow evening, at which time the graduation ceremony to be conducted in the high school auditorium will mark the close of their high school careers.

Dr. Bruce Baxter, of the University of Southern California, will deliver the commencement address, and names of honor society members will be announced also at that time.

A benefit dance will be held Saturday night for Harvey Tate, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis immediately after the state track meet. The dance will be at the high school gymnasium.

The seniors held their class night last night, and it is said a great deal of fun was scheduled for seniors and audience alike.

Program Given for Safety First
Meeting, to Be Held at 9 Today

The program for the Safety First meeting to be held at El Portal at 9 a. m. this morning has been announced, and the meeting will be attended by many out-of-town railroad men of importance. It is planned to end the meeting by noon.

The general public is invited to attend the program, and assist the Union Pacific employees in their safety first work.

- The officer in charge will be E. E. Cunningham, superintendent. The program is as follows: 1. Olive Brothers and Bates—Mrs. W. Olive at the piano. 2. Opening remarks—Supt. Cunningham. 3. Solo—Mr. J. F. Cory—Mrs. Olive at the piano. 4. Address—Judge C. L. Horsey. 5. Solo—Al Stone—Miss Lou Devinney at the Wurlitzer organ. 6. Short Address—Rev. Reynolds. 7. Short sketch or play entitled "Moonshine" by Abe Miller and Calvin Cory—high school students. 8. Solo—Mr. J. F. Cory and Olive Bros. 9. Recitation—Miss A. Doherty

NEW ELECTRICAL
STORE OPENED

Equipped to build and install all kinds of electrical fixtures, Bruce Brothers opened a new store and shop at 301 1/2 South Main street this week.

The three brothers, Earl F. "Boss" Bruce, Arthur M. Bruce and Chester Bruce, announce they will both build and install fixtures, selling them at Los Angeles prices.

Electro-Kold refrigerators will be installed by the new firm, it was announced yesterday.

COUNTY SCHOOLS
WILL 'WIND UP'
TERM ON FRIDAY

Changes in Teacher Staffs Outside of Las Vegas are Announced by County Superintendent.

Clark County schools will wind up the term this week, with examinations now reported well along and graduation ceremonies set for Thursday and Friday nights in the schools outside of Las Vegas.

Bunkerville and Overton high schools will hold their commencement one on Thursday evening and one on Friday evening, according to Miss Amy Hanson, county superintendent, who has received no word as yet as to which will be given first. There are 13 seniors at Overton High and 9 seniors at Bunkerville. The grammar schools in these communities also will close Friday afternoon.

Changes in Teachers
Changes in the teaching staffs of schools outside of Las Vegas were partially revealed late yesterday by Miss Hanson.

Mrs. Belle Hayes will be new principal at Sloan instead of Mrs. Mayne Russell, who will teach next year in Lincoln county, according to the superintendent, Mrs. Hayes has been teaching this year at Goodsprings.

The other teacher at Sloan will be Mrs. Velma Van Eaton.

New Building at Sloan
A new two-room building is being constructed at Sloan, the operations to have been started this week, and it is hoped it will be ready for occupancy by fall. Two new teachers will take the places of Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Marie Horen at Goodsprings.

At Arden Miss Jean Brody will continue as principal, and there will be but one other teacher, Miss Ruby Dennis. Miss Dorothy Haviland will not teach there next year. The Paradise teacher will be Alberta Sandy, of Las Vegas, who taught in Lincoln county this year.

FATHER OF FIVE
SEEKS DIVORCE

John C. Wharton has recently filed suit for decree of divorce from Ruth Tidwell Wharton on grounds of desertion. Five children of the couple, 14, 12, 10, 8 and 5 years of age, are now living with Mrs. W. L. McMurry of Wasco, California, sister of Wharton.

The couple were married in Idabel, Oklahoma in 1913. Harmon and Salter are attorneys for Wharton.

Mrs. Wharton is now living at 14133 Hamilton, Van Nuys, California, according to the complaint.

NEW GOLD FIND
NEAR CARRARA
'PROVES CAMP'

Strike on Marten Brothers' Property Regarded as Important; Assays Run High as \$60; Offers Are Refused.

Word of a new and substantial gold strike 2 miles this side of the main Carrara diggings was brought to Las Vegas Tuesday by J. O. Greenan, Los Angeles mining engineer, who had just been spending some time in the district in behalf of clients in California.

The new find, on the property of the Marten brothers, is regarded by some as next in importance to the main strike on the Gold Ace property, because, in the words of A. B. Wither, local man interested in some of the Carrara properties, it "proves the whole camp and is an important factor in unraveling the trend of the ore occurrences of the district."

Assays from \$9 to \$60 have been taken in the new find, and there is said to be a well-defined vein about 15 feet wide, which follows along an andersite dyke, and is said to be the first intrusion in the district.

The property is being developed, assaying is going forward and the owners of the claims refused to put a price on them when approached. Greenan left Tuesday afternoon for Los Angeles, expecting to return to Las Vegas in about a week en route for the scene of Nevada's newest feverish gold operations.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS
AND DOG FOR CAR

This seems to be a day and age when an automobile can be found to fit every purse, at least it would seem so according to the deal that was made several days ago by Charlie Garside of the local Dodge Agency.

A stranger passing through town was in sore need of an automobile, but was rather short on funds. He had, however, a bull dog that suited Garside's fancy, and so a deal was made—the bull dog and fifteen dollars for the car.

We have been trying to figure this deal out, it was either SOME bull dog or else, well, maybe the owner of the car is still on the road somewhere between here and Barstow.

WILL REMODEL
P. O. BUILDING

Remodeling of the Griffith building, recently bought by Postmaster Robert Griffith from his father E. W. Griffith, will be begun as soon as the post office is moved to its new location on the corner of Second and Carson on June 1, Griffith said last night.

A modern tobacco store will be installed by Griffith and Powers, after the building is remodeled, he stated. The present post office site will be made into two or three store spaces, the one facing Fremont to be used for the tobacco store.

It is said the Harris Barer shop probably will have one of the other locations there.

The building, which is about 15 years old, and which was constructed by the Senior Griffith, was sold for \$100,000 said Robert Griffith.

\$22 BRINGS MAN
\$100 A MONTH

To be paid \$100 a month insurance during the entire period of his disability, O. A. Newman, carpenter-contractor, was presented his first insurance check today by Jack W. Harbertson and A. B. Mortenson of the Business Men's Assurance Company of America.

Newman's left middle finger was crushed April 30 while he was engaged at his work as carpenter. He stated that time he has been unable to work. He has a family in Ogden, Utah. He came to Las Vegas from Ogden some three months ago.

Newman took out his policy April 19, and had paid only one quarterly premium \$22, according to Harbertson. The compensation starts with the date of the injury, and will be paid until he is able to work again.

Divorce Judge Opens Air Line



Judge George A. Bartlett, famous Reno divorce jurist, played the role of christener recently, and he's shown breaking a bottle of beer on one of the planes of the Reno-Los Angeles route of the new Nevada Airlines, Inc.

EIGHTH GRADE
GRADUATION
TO BE TONIGHT

Forty-three Grammar School Students to Receive Diplomas at Exercises at Outdoor Theatre.

Forty-three Las Vegas grammar school students will be given diplomas in the graduation ceremony at the outdoor theatre at this evening.

The program, which will start at 7:15, will be opened by a flag drill by eight Boy Scouts, who will furnish the setting for the remainder of the program, according to K. O. Knudson, principal.

The school band, directed by Matt Kelly, will give a selection, followed by the class march, and announcements by the principal.

Glee Club Number
Then will come a selection by the school glee club, under direction of Eldon Larson, a short address by Scout Executive Spears, a musical selection by the grammar school orchestra, also directed by Eldon Larson.

E. H. Hunting, secretary of the school board, will announce the honor roll and present diplomas. This will be followed by congratulatory of the graduates by parents and friends, after which the program will be closed by another band selection.

Those to be awarded diplomas are: Stanley Forbes, Albert J. Roberts, Byron Hensley, Henry Sakai, Edith Stiles, Glenetta F. Henry, Frank L. Prum, Alice May Hicks, Lucian Van Jordan, Franny Inez Burdette, Walter L. Swartz, Ivan M. Curtis, Allen Foote.

Joe Arnold Carlson, David Sleatner, M. Maxine Quent, Betty Clawson, I. Carl Buchanan, Fern Rockefeller, Erma, Thail Jarrett, Richard H. Bishop, Jr., Helen McLallen, Dorothy Hazle Jensen.

Jessie Maxian Rockefeller, Margaret Katherine Reed, Audrey Goodwin, Randall Bailey, Charles Hammer, George J. Sanderson, Neil F. Gilliland, Harrison Palmer Kellum, Dorothy E. Gravelle, Leonard V. Colville, George William Stone.

Nola Ada Barlow, Klan Jensen, La Vaughn Evelyn Wells, Margaret Cornelia Gates, Julia Carroll, Chester Ison, Earl C. Nay, Marba Anderson Mortenson.

The program will be over in time for spectators to go to the wrestling bouts, which will start at 8:30, said Knudson.

There are no accommodations for seating of the crowd at the exercises and it is suggested that cars be parked in the street and that cushions and blankets be brought.

VEGAS ELECTRIC
IS KEPT BUSY

Mr. M. J. Keena of the Las Vegas Electric Company reports the installation of many new electric refrigerating units during the past few days.

An installation of eight units has just been completed in the New Apartments on So. Second street. Mr. Hutch, of the El Deserto, on the Las Vegas highway, has had installed a large commercial unit. Mr. Keena has also just completed the work of installing a large unit in the Union Cafe.

MORENA MUST
SERVE TIME FOR
SHOOTING MENA

Mexican Who Wounded Alleged Debtor Sentenced to One to Two Years for Assault; Victim Improves.

E. Moreno must serve from one to two years in the state penitentiary at Carson City for shooting Clemente Mena two times Sunday morning after a dispute over an alleged \$200 debt owed to Moreno.

Sentence was passed by Judge Wm. E. Orr late yesterday in the district court after the defendant had waived preliminary examination in municipal court. The charge was assault with intent to kill.

Moreno shot Mena in the arm and in the side after the pair had had hot words with each other on North Main street Sunday. Mena is resting easily in the Las Vegas Hospital, and will recover from the wounds, said Judge Orr. The two men, both Mexicans, are section hands near Las Vegas.

2-STORY CLUB
BUILDING TO
BE BUILT SOON

"Boulder Club" Corporation Member Announces Structure's Completion Expected Within 60 or 70 Days.

Construction of a new two-story building on the north side of Fremont between Second and Third streets will be begun within ten days, for the new "Boulder Club," recently incorporated here, according to announcement made yesterday by P. J. Goumond, one of the members of the corporation.

The building will be 23 feet by 125, of reinforced concrete with green glazed brick on the front, and of attractive appearance, according to Paul A. Warner, architect.

"Finished in 60 Days"
It will be completed in approximately 60 days from the time it is started, it is asserted, and bids will close tomorrow for contractors. The plans have been completed for several days.

The new building will take the place of the Harris Barber shop, the Fix-It shop, and five feet of Jack's lunch, according to A. B. Wither, from whom the corporation bought the land upon which the club will be built.

Metal Tile Roof
The upstairs will probably be rented out, it was stated; there will be a stairway with opening to the street to the east side of the building. The structure will have a metal tile roof.

That members of the corporation are Clyde Hatch, Walter Watson, J. V. Murphy and P. J. Goumond, who left Nevada some years ago for Chicago and Detroit, where he has been engaged in business for several years prior to his coming here.

LAND FIRM SUED
FOR \$2508.49

The purchase price of a second-hand automobile, \$1,388.49 in realty sales commissions and the amount of an alleged \$800 loan are sought by J. A. Bery in a suit filed yesterday against the Las Vegas Development company.

Bery alleges he loaned \$800 to the company in February 1929, and has been refused payment of this alleged debt, which amount the complaint states, was to have been returned upon demand, and is now due with 7 per cent interest.

The amount of \$1,388.49 in realty sales commissions for sales claimed to have been made between March 1, 1929 and May 15, 1929, by the complainant at request of the defendant is also sought.

The amount of \$350 is sought for a second-hand automobile alleged to have been sold and delivered to the company on or about February 9, 1929. Interest and costs also are sought in the action.

MEXICO ROBBERY
SUSPECT HELD

SAN DEGO, May 22 (AP)—An unidentified Mexican with a three-day-old bullet wound in his shoulder, believed by police to have received in the machine gun killing of the two Aqua Caliente money guards Monday, was arrested in a house here today. A

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HUGE AUSTRALIA
ESTATE CALLS
LAWYER ALWARD

Local Attorney Will leave Wednesday For Southland to Aid in Settlement of Relative's Estate.

Fred S. Alward, local lawyer, will leave Las Vegas Wednesday for Australia, where he has been called by the death of a relative to assist in the settlement of a \$500,000 estate.

Alward will sail for Australia from San Francisco June 6 on the Mattson liner Sonoma, going by way of Honolulu, Samoa and the Fiji Islands.

He will return to Las Vegas in the fall after about four months, he stated last night. The trip will be made alone. The estate in the settlement of which he will assist is in Sydney.

"I'll arrive there in the winter time," said Alward yesterday, "for they have winter there while we have summer. Missing out on the heat of the summer here will make up for the times I went to Australia during the winter here and had the heat of summer there."

Alward was born in Australia and partially educated there before he came to the United States where he got his high school and legal training in Utah and California.

GIRL, 18, TREATED
AS A JUVENILE

Because of mental immaturity a young lady slightly over eighteen, after having admitted she had been guilty of second degree burglary in Las Vegas, was dealt with as a juvenile delinquent in district court yesterday afternoon, upon recommendation of C. D. Breeze, counsel appointed for her by Judge Wm. E. Orr, and was bound over to the state institution for juvenile delinquents.

The girl admitted she had entered the home of Charlie Carroll on May 15 with the intent of burglarizing it, and that she had committed other similar acts over a period of time.

She was turned over to custody of her aunt until such time as proper officers arrive to take her to her new home.

AVIATION HONOR
LIST PUBLISHED

ST. LOUIS, May 22 (UP)—On the second anniversary of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's epic flight, the American Society of Mechanical Engineers has published an "aviation honors list" probably unique in the history of American industry.

LAS VEGAS DO SHARE
TOWARD NEW WEDDING
LICENSE RECORD HERE

Another record marriage license business may be in the offing for this month, according to the clerk's office, which reported last month saw the breaking of all previous marks with a total of 35 licenses for April.

Yesterday evening the roll had reached the 23 mark, with seven more registration days in the month, and the best of it is that Las Vegas is doing her share this month, according to Dorothy Keeler, deputy county clerk. Yesterday and day before Las Vegas were "in on" three applications out of four.

Tuesday Mozart C. Burart of Los Angeles and Marjorie Roemer Peck of Las Vegas took their license.

Yesterday permits were issued for Homer D. Rogers and Pauline L. Berner, both of Los Angeles; James F. Brewer of Las Vegas and Claire Marie Eberle of Sloan, and, last but not least well-known, Raby J. Newton of the Las Vegas high school faculty and Margaret Moffat, also of this city.

NEW CABINS
PLANNED BY
BOY SCOUTS

If Campaign Contributions Are Sufficient Local Troops Will Build Two More at Charleston, Says Knudson.

Two new Boy Scout cabins will be built in addition to the present one at Mt. Charleston if funds now being given for support of the organization are sufficient, according to K. O. Knudson, scout field executive for the local troops.

Ten of the boys made a survey of the situation at the mountain with Knudson last week-end, and found conditions favorable for the work.

Contributions were recently asked in life insurance campaigns for funds, and Knudson expressed yesterday a hope that citizens will respond promptly and liberally for this good cause, for the sake of the development of the boys. Contributions should be in by June 1, he stated.

Those who made the trip to Charleston were Clifford Smith, Calvin Cory, Leland Ward, John Doherty, Tim Sheehan, Herbert Ward, Bernard London, Francis London, Elsmore Forbes, and Bruce Beckley.

HI-GRADE LEAD
ORE FROM GROOM

The second carload of high grade lead and silver ore to be taken from the Groom mine, 103 miles from Las Vegas by the Nevada Silver-Lead company, went out from Las Vegas Tuesday. The car contained approximately 45 tons of high-grade ore.

The car was shipped to Salt Lake for smelting. The first was shipped to Selby some 10 or 12 days ago.

We expect to be shipping out about two carloads a week from now, said Beane. More equipment will be added in the near future to increase the production capacity of the plant, according to Beane.

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The space, four stores and sixteen stalls, has been in great demand, it is said, most of it having been leased already to date.

In addition to the stores and stalls there is a service station in the center, which will specialize in Shell gas and oils. Tire and battery service will be included in the work done by the station, it is stated.

TEACHER EXAMS.
EARLY IN JUNE

Teachers' examinations in Nevada School Law, for teachers whose certificates are granted on credentials from other states, and who must take the examination in this subject during the first year of their certificate are in force will be held June 4, at the county court house in Las Vegas, it was announced yesterday by County Superintendent Amy Hanson.

Other examinations will be held the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh.

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his parents in Brownwood, Texas. Newton will return to Las Vegas to teach in summer school.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Howard Payne college in Texas, and W. E. Barr, one of his chums in college, was present in an important role at the wedding. Others present besides Mrs. Moffat, included the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Fries, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Cahlan. Mr. and Mrs. George Bremer, Miss Virginia Horsey, Frank Butcher and others.

The bride is one of Las Vegas' best loved girls, her sunny smile and happy disposition making her a universal favorite. Mr. Newton has won a large place in the affections of the young people of Las Vegas High School with whom he has been so closely associated.