

U. S. IS READY TO CONSTRUCT FEDERAL BUILDING IN VEGAS

Nevadan Finishes Fast Flight to New York

CAPT. TURNER CARRIES FOUR PASSENGERS OVER U. S. NEAR RECORD TIME

Trans-Continental Trip, Requiring Less Than Twenty Hours With Stops, Proves Feasibility of Coast to Coast Passenger Service; Reno-Vegas Line Ship Used in Journey.

ROOSEVELT FIELD, New York, Aug. 22, (U.P.)—Capt. Roscoe Turner, of the Nevada Airlines, attempting a record-breaking trans-continental flight with four passengers from Los Angeles, landed his Lockheed-Vega cabin monoplane at this field shortly after 12:30 a. m. today.

El Dorado Has New Burst of Mining Activity

Trend is Toward Production of Predominance of Gold With Some Silver; Old and New Workings Active.

A revival of activity is being shown in the mining region of El Dorado Canyon, old mines which have been producing in times past, and new ones, being worked and prepared for production.

School to Open Sept. 3 With 37 Teachers

Eight New Instructors on Staff For Term; H. S. to Have Fifteen, Grammar Grades Twenty-Two.

With eight new teachers in the Las Vegas school system, four in high school and four in grammar school, the educational staff of this city will swing into action September 3.

FORD SAYS HE'LL QUIT MAKING CARS IF PROHIBITION ENDS

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—(U.P.)—Henry Ford threatens to close down his automobile plant if prohibition ends.

"If booze ever comes back to the United States I am through with manufacturing," he says in the September Pictorial Review appearing Friday.

Regarding his plan to shut down his factories if booze returns, Ford says:

"With booze in control we can count on only two or three effective days' work a week in the factory—and that would destroy the short day and the five-day week which other industry has introduced.

Vegas Section Of New Airways Book Planned

Seven Thousand Five Hundred New Directories to be Distributed in Nevada; Information Secured Here.

Preparing material for an airways directory of the seven western states, Dorsey J. Dunlap and H. C. Hill of the Dunlap Airways Directory corporation have been in Las Vegas for several days, collecting information.

Seven thousand five hundred copies of the directory will be distributed free in Nevada upon publication about September 20, Hill stated yesterday.

Every landing field in the western states will be included in the directory, with information concerning all air lines and schedules, and rates. There will be pictures of airports and points of interest in and around every city represented.

OFFICIALS MEET WITH CITIZENS TO DISCUSS SELECTION OF LOCATION

Government Has \$20,000 to Spend on Site for Structure, Will Start Work Immediately If Land Problem Solved; City Offers Free Site in Park Area; 10 Proposals Made.

The prospects for the early construction of a magnificent building to house the various activities of the federal government, present and prospective, in Las Vegas, were materially enhanced with the arrival of government officials in Vegas yesterday.

Wm. Arthur Newman, district engineer for the Pacific States and Hawaii, site agent for the U. S. Treasury Department, and E. P. Smith, post office inspector, San Francisco, and lease inspector of the post office department for California, Nevada and Arizona, came for the particular purpose of selecting a suitable site for the building in preparation for the work of drawing the plans and constructing the building at the earliest possible date.

Mr. Newman stated that the sum of \$20,000 has been appropriated to pay for a site, but that no further money would be available for that purpose and in the event that a suitable site cannot be secured for that money that the matter will have to be delayed perhaps for several years.

Other localities are crying out for federal buildings, he said, and competition for federal building money is keen in Washington. Las Vegas is fortunate in having friends in the U. S. senate and in the house who are close in the confidence of the administration and whose efforts have resulted in placing this city on the building program for this year.

Mr. Newman and Mr. Smith spent the day in familiarizing themselves with the various portions of the city, forming their own ideas as to what locations will best serve the government and the people of Las Vegas.

Mr. Newman called a meeting of citizens at the court room at 7:30 last evening and was gratified to be met by a large audience of interested people.

No Trace Found Of Pair Swiss Atlantic Fliers

NEW YORK, Aug. 21. (U.P.)—Vessels of the American navy kept watch along the Atlantic coast tonight for two young adventurous Swiss fliers who started almost three days before on a westward crossing of the Atlantic.

Zep Will Start For U. S. Today

TOKIO, Aug. 21.—(U.P.)—The Graf Zeppelin, victor over rain and storm, ran into bad luck this morning for the first time on its flight around the world, and departure for Los Angeles was postponed a few minutes before the scheduled takeoff.

Long Hop For Girl Derby Fliers

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 21. (U.P.)—The remaining seventeen entrants in the Santa Monica-Cleveland air derby for women will take off from municipal airport here at 6 o'clock Thursday morning, on a long hop which will enable them to continue on schedule time.

Operation Here May Save Beatty Girl

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Richings of Beatty, Nevada, brought their 12-year-old daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to the Union Pacific hospital with a ruptured appendix at 2 a. m. Tuesday morning.

Burglary Charge Also for Forger Lorenzi Checks

Joe Harris, Discharged Former Carpenter Employee Said Identified by Signatures As Check Thief.

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Hawkins Off to State Tax Commission Meet

W. E. Hawkins left early this week for Carson City, to attend a session of the state tax commission of which he is a member. He will be gone three or four weeks.

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Two Gambling Ships Navigating Menace And so Must Quit

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Aug. 21.—(U.P.)—Two notorious Southern California gambling ships were to be ordered from the high seas today under a U. S. treasury decree that they armenaces to navigation.

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