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LAS VEGAS, CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA, THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 22, 1929.

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IS READY TO CONSTRUCT FEDERAL BUILDING IN VEGI

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.

New Burst of

New Workings Active.

prepared for production.

ore over a long period of time.

gold predominating, in fact.

ing another shipment.

full blast.

mence shipping.

some high-grade

for renewed activity.

The new Knob Hill mine has re-

working five men at present prepar-

The Rand, one of the old pro-

The Wall Street, another old

for going into production once more,

and will soon be ready to com-

Another former big producer, the

The Golden Empire is busy with

development work, blocking out

large bodies of mill grade ore, with

Quaker City, also is being prepared

Mining Activity

of activity is

ROOSEVELT FIELD, New York, Aug. 22, (U.P.)—Capt. Roscoe Turner, El Dorado Has ROOSEVELT FIELD, New York, 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.

Turner left Los Angeles at 3:45 a. m., eastern standard time, Wednesday, and required approximately nineteen and one half hours for the trip. Stops were made en route for refueling at Albuquerque, N. M .: Tulsa, Okla.; Louisville, Ky.; and Cincinnati, O.

The record for west to east flying made by Capt. Frank Hawks without passengers. The record with one passenger is 18 hours 21 minutes 59 seconds.

All the flood lights were turned on at the field when the plane was heard approaching, but Turner seemed uncertain that it was Roosevelt field, as he circled overhead six times before landing.

Captain Turner said he would take off Saturday morning in the same ship with the same passengers for Los Angeles in an attempt to break the east-west record.

Passengers in the plane were Fred M. Trosper, Russell Techt and H. C. Gatty of Los Angeles, and D. E. Lane of Berkeley, Calif... Gatty acted as navigator on the trip. The purpose of the flight was to demonstrate the feasibility of a transcontinental airplane passenger service. The official time for the flight was given as 19 hours, 51 minutes.

The Lockheed Vega monoplane which Captain Roscoe Turner flew from coast to coast yesterday in 19 hours and 53 minutes is one of the planes which flies regularly between Las Vegas and Reno, and Reno and Los Angeles for Nevada Airlines, Inc.

40 seconds.

A new Lockheed-Vega ship was recently purchased by the corporation. Three of these ships, which are capable of a speed of 200 miles an hour, ply on this route regularly, and Captain Turner is manager of operations for Neva-

No Trace Found Of Pair Swiss Zep Will Start 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 flyers who started almost three days before on a westward crossing of the Atlantic.

With nothing heard or seen of them since they flew over the Azores partment this afternoon asked all ships along the coast to watch for aging the gondola support. The supposition the aviators had been at 4:40 a.m., before the damage was forced down.

The closest watch of airports and coast guard stations along the coast had failed to give the slightestt trace of the flyers, Oscar Kaser, 22. and Kurt Luescher, 21, who took off from Lisbon, Portugal, Monday

D. W. Lewis, executive vice-president of the United Guaranty Comcall by this old friend.

School to Open Sept. 3 With 37 Teachers Henry Ford threatens to close down remaining one per cent made up his automobile plant if prohibition largely of "the wealthy class, the

Eight New Instructors On United States I am through with 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

fifteen in high school.

All 8A work will be handled in the high school building, instead of one of the primary grades, as heretofore, according to Maude Frazier, principal, so that when the Burglary Charge Ancient Tribes new high school building is completed they will remain where they Trend Is Toward Production are, minimizing the shifting of

The teachers in the high school With Some Silver; Old and will be as follows;

tha V. Akin, home economics: W shown in the mining region of El E. Barr, commercal; P. Dorado Canyon, old mines which vocational; J. Harold Brinley, have been producers in times past, science and mathematics; F. H. and new ones, being worked and Butcher, physical education: Beulah J. Drom, physical education; More gold is now being found in Helen this region, which has produced a Mabel Mariana, Spanish; Raby J. predominance of high grade silver Newton, history; Lewis E. Rowe, forgery, will be lodged against -Mayan tribes of the Yucatan advertising, with some local advermusic and art; George E. Harris, El Dorado Canyon, it has been science; Angie Roosa, English and explained, was created as the result Latin. Lionel R. Scott, English, of the upheaval of the Opal moun- and Mildred Scott, mathematics. tain and the Black Canyon ranges. The

These upheavals caused a fault along the eastern side of Opal Las Vegas grammar school, and range, and west of this fault there Ruth Fyfe is principal of the West seem to be better gold values, with Side school. The other grammar grade teachers are as follows: cently shipped a carload of ore to bert Edwards, Catherine Donnelly,

Salt Lake City, which is expected Laura R. Wilson, V. F. Victor, to run \$50 to the ton. This mine is Oxley. Craner, Sara Wilson, Doris Han- made by him before. cock, Mary Ottinger, Elinor Shirducers, is working a full force of men, with its sixty-ton mill going Gregerson, Veronica M. De Vany, Amy Early and Thelma Cropper. The four last named will timer, is working on preparations

Now L. A. Officers **Arrest Them For Driving Too Slow**

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.-(U.P)-Slow drivers, meandering down the middle of Los Angeles streets will Other properties in the district which are expected to produce are face arrest and reckless driving charges, Chief of Police Davis anthe Occidental, Jeans and Tex Ba-

The old mining town of Nelson is Davis said such drivers were re-

There will be twenty-two teachers in the grammar grades and

Of Predominance of Gold grades at that time.

Maude Frazier, principal; Eva Adams, English and history; Ber-W. Bell, B. Haines, commercial four last named will be which line it on either side at pres- teaching here for the first time.

sponsible for many accidents.

Staff For Term: H. S. to manufacturing," he says in the Sep-

K. O. Knudson is principal of

new in the system this year.

Long Hop For For U. S. Today Girl Derby Fliers

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 icipal airport here at 6 o'clock and the other for \$60. the world, and departure for Los Thursday morning, on a long hop Angeles was postponed a few minon schedule time.

utes before the scheduled takeoff. As the Zeppelin was being walked and at Midlands for lunch, resum-Monday afternoon, the navy de- from its hangar the rear engine ing their flight in the afternoon. A gondola scraped the ground, dam- brief stop will be made at Abilene for refueling, and a stop for the flares at sea or on shore, in the dirigible was walked out on the field night will be made at Fort Worth.

realized. Dr. Hugo Eckener announced that repairs would require probably 24 hours and the ship was returned to the hangar, where the passengers disembarked. The commander said he hoped to start for America Friday morning.

TOKIO, Aug. 22, (U.P.)-Blue jackpany of San Bernardino and Riv- ets early today found a half-suffo- closed that nothing indicated the erside, Calif., was in Vegas on cated would-be juvenile stowaway motor had failed before the plane business yesterday. The Editor of in the hatch of the Graf Zeppelin. was wrecked on the rocky hillside. the Age acknowledges a pleasant He was removed to a hospital for The body of Miss Crossan arrived in

Santa Monica-Cleveland air derby else at the resort. for women will take off from munwhich will enable them to continue

They will stop at Pecos for fuel

WELLTON, Ariz., Aug. 21, (A)-J. W. Noel, inspector of the federal department of commerce, today expressed belief that Marvel Crossan. San Diego aviatrix who fell to her

death near here Monday while participating in the Santa-Monica-Cleveland women's air derby, became ill from the desert heat and lost control of the ship. Examination of the plane dis-

San Diego today for burial. his family

FORD SAYS HE'LL QUIT MAKING Vegas Section CARS IF PROHIBITION ENDS NEW YORK. Aug. 21 .- (U.P.) - efective in the United States with the

Have Fifteen, Grammar tember Pictorial Review appearing Friday. "I would not be bothered with the problem of handling over 200,000 men and trying to pay them wages which the saloons would take away from them. I wouldn't be inter-

> with drink. Gasoline and booze don't mix, that's all."

ested in putting automobiles into

the hands of a generation soggy

seven day week. With sobriety a working man can have an eight Ford, always a friend of prohi- hour day and a five-day week with bition, believes it is 99 per cent ef+ the same or greater pay. Also for Forger Revolt Against

Sent to Take Charge.

years to require more than a hand-

north.

Quinta Roo.

ful of troops to quell.

criminal class and the abandoned

his factories if booze returns, Ford

"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

sober industry has introduced.

Harris, Discharged For- Mayans Who Produce Chicle future. mer Carpenter Employee Said Identified by Signatures As Check Thief.

A charge of burglary, as well as Joe Harris when he is taken into peninsula-remnants of the oldest custody, according to D. G. Lorenzi, 37 of whose checks were stolen from his book late last week, and five of which have been used for the forging of checks passed in Las Vegas.

Harris, discharged from Lorenzi's cities by the Spaniards, these In- City, Colorado. employ as carpenter four months dian tribes have been forced to ago becaue of drunkenness and un- labor in camps in the territory of Matt Kelly, Eldon Larson, El- reliability, is known to be the forger, Lorenzi stated yesterday. Leslie Edwards, Arthur Sant, Ethel ing on the forged checks with present uprising is the first in coming, it is planned. Ruth Nottage, Clariece signatures known to have been

Furthermore, said Lorenzi, the Pearl Cruickshank, Elfrieda name of Harris, to whom the regarded the outbreak that it has checks were made payable, "for sent 350 soldiers from Vera Cruz labor" was written in the same to handle the rebellion. handwriting on both the face and the endorement of the checks, al- covered America the Mayas had though Lorenzi's name, the forgery of which was detected by the bank. Yucatan peninsula, one of which,

was written in a different hand. Harris is about five feet eight by the Carnegie Institution of inches in height, weight about Washington in cooperation with 175 pounds, is medium heavy, and the Mexican government. has a round, red face according

to Lorenzi. Warning against cashing checks Hawkins Off to State which might be numbered among those the blanks for which were Tax Commission Meet stolen has been issued by the First State Bank, where the forgery was discovered when various firms, which had cashed checks for Harris, brought them to be turned in.

Whoever stole the checks evibe gone three or four weeks dently knew the place, according to Lorenzi. He broke out the screen and then the glass, lifting the bolts on the window and thereby entering. He took the checks from the back of the book, several in a place, so that Lorenzi would EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 21, (U.P)-The not have noticed their absence for remaining seventeen entrants in the some time. He disturbed nothing

Four of the checks were for \$44

Operation Here May

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

Dr. Z. A. d'Amours operated on

she has a fighting chance for re-Dr. d'Amours gives great praise to the nurses and Dr. Frazier of the hospital for the work they did in connection with this operation.

the child at 8 a. m. and reports that

Will Beckley left Wednesday morning for Los Angeles, where he

Of New Airways Book Planned

Regarding his plan to shut down Seven Thousand Five Hundred New Directories to be Distributed In Nevada; Information Secured Here.

day and the five-day week which ways directory of the seven western states, Dorsey J. Dunlap and H. C. Hill of the Dunlap Airways When men drank two or three Directory corporation have been in days a week industry had to have a ten or twelve hour day and a six or Las Vegas for several days, collecting information.

lication about September 20, Hill stated yesterday.

directory, with information concerning all air lines and schedules, and around every city represented.

pilots and stations, chambers of commerce and automobile clubs. VERA CRUZ, Mex., Aug., 21 (U.P.) There will be mostly national

tising, to support the project. civilization in America, have re- ecrporation is a Nevada corporavolted again over conditions under tion. Dorsey J. Dunlap, its presiwhich they produce chicle for the He is a lawyer and formerly of gum chewing civilization of the dent, is from Batimore, Maryland, Scattered from their beautiful vice president, is from Canyon

first directory, for Utah, Idaho, Washington, California, Periodically they have rebelled Nevada and Montana, others for the government and the people of because of comparison of the writ- at working conditions, but the other groups of states will be forth-

Two Gambling Ships So serious has the government **Navigation Menace** And so Must Quit Centuries before Columbus dis-

built tremendous cities in the Chichen Itza, is being excavated menaces to navigation.

southeast of here.

Commander Muller S. Hay of the cutter Algonquin, surveyed the two W. E. Hawkins left early this menaces to navigation because they week for Carson City, to attend a do not operate regular watches, session of the state tax commission Complaints had been received from of which he is a member. He will regular shipping companies and the

Financial Crisis

the powers to accept the Young channel and extreme western Cuba and no more. The less of that we reparations plan, tonight demanded were cautioned to prepare for spend for land the more we will tion. to know what conditions will result from the predicted breakup of the hours in a hurricane warning is- square feet of space. international conference here, and sued tonight by the U.S. weather Save Beatty Girl was informed that it is possible the bureau. present Dawes plan will remain effective.

> tember 11, whether the present con- northeastward ,the report said. ference is a success or failure. A serious German financial crisis is threatened if the conference breaks up, as threatened tonight.

Germany called the meeting of Von Dissen, who has been adjudged we know how in the best location the big six delegates in a last ef- an incompetent person, and for we can get fort to save the conference. So far whom Mabel Racine, of San Diego, the efforts have failed to accom- is guardian. plish its purpose of achieving acceptance of the Young plan.

cussing evacuation of the Rhineland | The couple were married in 1906 in fit to offer a part of this tract for a also was unsuccessful when France Seattle. still refused to announce the dates | Von Dissen, who is acting as at- ommend to the company that the Bridger, \$45,000. on which the evacuation may be ex- torney in personam in his case, restriction as to use for park purwill spend the coming fortnight with pected to be complete, despite in- seeks custody of the one minor poses only be removed as to that Buck's Addition, 150 feet on Seventh sistance of Germany and Britain.

Preparing material for an air-

Seven thousand five hundred tributed free in Nevada upon pub-

Every landing field in the west-

The Dunlap Airways Directory the Maryland legislature, Mr. Hill,

After the publication of the

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Aug. 21.-(U.P.) Two notorious Southern California government building. The govern- light district would be removed from the high seas today under a U. S. treasury decree that they are

and the Monfalcone, anchored approximately 13 miles off the coast

Germany Facing Vessels Warned Against Storm

WASHINGTON, Aug., 21 (U.P.)heavy weather during the next 24 have for building. We need 20,000

of unknown intensity was central to hold these hearings and hear Annual payments are due on Sep- at Grand Ttymen, and moving

DIVORCE SUIT FILED J. L. Von Dissen filed suit yester-

day for divorce from Myrtle May Mrs. Von Dissen was adjudged

Another meeting of delegates dis- a ward of Terrell State hospital.

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

OFFICIALS MEET WITH

Site in Park Area; 10 Proposals Made. The prospects for the early construction of a magnificent building to house the various activities of the fedcopies of the directory will be dis- eral 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 ern sates will be included in the States and Hawaii, site agent for the U.S. Treasury Department, and E. P. Smith, post office inspector, San rates. There will be pictures of air- Francisco, and lease inspector of the post office departports and points of interest in and ment for California, Nevada and Arizona, came for the particular purpose of selecting a suitable site for the Lorenzi Checks Work Conditions "It will be the first thing of its building in preparation for the work of drawing the plans building in preparation for the work of drawing the plans we will produce something which and constructing the building at the earliest possible date.

will be useful and necessary in the Mr. Newman stated that the sum of \$20,000 has been For America Chewing Gum Salt Lake City, and will be dis-In Fierce Uprising; Soldiers sait Lake City, and will be dismatter 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 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

Mr. Newman called a meeting of ested paople.

In opening the meeting Mr. Newman said that he is here to learn the city has full power to remove where the people think is the most the undesirables. Assurances had suitable place for the location of a previously been made that the redbe at least 140 by 150 feet in size | willingness to accept this site. and on a corner. The building will be planned to house all the activi-The barges are the Johanna Smith lies of the government, present and We have \$20,000 to spend for that purpose. We haven't any more and must get a site for that money. We want your building to be in a ships yesterday and reported them | convenient location and where you where it can be seen by the large number of automobile tourists passing through.

Inspector Smith, speaking for the post office department, said that center of town. the department wants the building located where it is convenient to you. The postoffice department requires that it be convenient to the railroad station and convenient for the delivery of the mail.

We do not want the postoffice in the outskirts of the town. But it matter up and make a report. does not follow that it should be on

Mr. Newman, resuming his re-At 9 p.m. a tropical disturbance practice of the treasury department everybody's ideas. Written proposals should be submitted on and all phases of the question exblanks furnished for that purpose so that we will have something definite to consider. We desire to get the best building for you that

Walter R. Bracken stated that the Las Vegas Land & Water Company has conveyed some 30 acres of land insane in Texas in 1923 and is now to the city for park purposes, the old fair grounds tract. If the city sees federal building site he would recchild, James Franklin, who is nine. portion.

City Attorney Frank Stevens, reviewing the history of the park tract stated that the matter could probably be arranged. He called attention to the fact that the city commissioners by resolution last spring notified Senator Oddie that the city is willing to donte five acres of the park land for a federal building

A. E. Cahlan suggested that if the government could receive five acres free of cost the \$20,000 thereby saved might be used to beautify the

Mr. Newman referred to the uncitizens at the court room at 7:30 desirable character of a portion of last evening and was gratified to be the city in proximity to the promet by a large audience of inter- posed site and asked what could be done about it City Attorney Stevens replied that

gambling ships were to be ordered ment has decided that the site must should the government indicate its Judge Breeze suggested that the corner of Fifth and Stewart would be the most desirable site in the projected, including the post office. park land and that the building there could be seen by travelers passing on Fifth street. Mr. Brack-

> en coincided with that idea. Mr. Flowers suggested that the building would present a fine apcan point with pride. It should be pearance placed at the head of Third street or Fourth street and would there be very attractive. Ed Clark suggested that in such a location it could not best serve the

Mr. Nungesser stated that in his opinion, since Fremont street is becoming so congested. Fifth and Stewart offers the best inducement. Ed Clark suggested that as it seems impossible to decide at this time, some civic body should take the

Mrs. Johnson of Johnson Realty THE HAGUE, Aug. 21, (U.P.)—Germany, threatened with failure of Vessels operating in the Yucatan the main street. We have \$20,000 Consuggested that there are other the main street. We have \$20,000 Consuggested that there are other the main street. sites that should receive considera-Carl Farrar suggested that the

government representatives visit the park land and select the location marks, said that it is a customary therein they think most desirable. C. P. Squires suggested that a little more time be given so that all

sites might be given consideration

amined. Mr. Newman and Mr. Smith stated that they would remain here today and would receive all propos-

als offered.

tion as desired.

At the close of last night's meeting the following proposals were in the hands of Mr. Newman: By the City of Las Vegas-Five acres or a portion thereof on Stew-

art street in such shape and loca-

Al James-Corner of Second and Miranda Craner-Lot 5 blk. 13,

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