

SOCIETY

Mrs. E. F. Davison was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club, at her home yesterday afternoon. Prizes for high scores were won by Mrs. O. C. Boggs and Mrs. E. W. Cragin. Those present were Mesdames Jake Beckley, J. F. Hesse, Leo A. McNamee, F. R. Mildren, O. C. Boggs, Wm. S. Park, W. E. Ferron, E. W. Cragin, C. C. Rcnnow, F. S. DeVinney, A. C. Grant and W. B. Mundy.

Mrs. Will Beckley was hostess to members of the Community Bridge club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining them with a bridge luncheon.

Mrs. Will Beckley and Mrs. S. J. Lawson will be hostesses this evening, when they entertain a group of friends at a bridge dinner.

Toilet Sets Presented At Formal Opening

Tuesday morning past will long be remembered by the women folk of Las Vegas. At 9 o'clock that morning the Mermaid Fountain Lunch began celebrating their formal opening by giving away toilet sets. A waiting throng of women were at the doors long before opening time. The firm regretted that they did not have more sets to pass out. A larger shipment will be on hand soon and another happy event will be celebrated by this popular fountain lunch. An announcement should be watched for. The three young men in charge of the Mermaid Fountain are popular with the younger set of Las Vegas. All can be termed champion good fellows. Jerry Van Hurrycke distinguished himself as dietician for the greatest dance marathons ever held. At the Southgate marathon which went to 2220 hours, Jerry's dietetical ability enabled the winners to set what is termed a record for all time. He is now cook at the Mermaid. The Mermaid Lunch Room and Fountain is located on North Fifth street, just off Fremont, and is operated in connection with the Mermaid swimming pool.



L. J. McDonnell, who has just been appointed regional manager of parts and service of the Buick Motor Company. He has charge of this important service throughout the west.

Straight From Paris



Model by Molynieux, Black Velvet Wrap With Smocked Sleeves White Fox Collar

Alabama Girl Quits London Stage For U. S.



Tallulah Bankhead, the Alabama girl who went to London eight years ago without a job or reputation and became a star on the English stage, is coming back to make talkies. She is shown here in two poses.

LONDON, Jan. 7. (AP)—A slim, blond bundle of nerves and beauty, with a touch of madcap and plenty of brains, may be an idol of America's movie millions before many months.

She is Tallulah Bankhead—5 feet 5 inches tall, 110 pounds—born with her dark blue eyes just 28 years ago in Huntsville, Ala.

Her father is Rep. William Brockman Bankhead from Alabama, her uncle is senator from that state and Tallulah is the Dixie girl who came to London eight years ago without a job.

Now she's probably London's most popular actress. People wait at the stage entrance to see her leave—sometimes she needs police—and once, when the theater was small, the crowd tore down the box office.

She is sailing for America January 7 to make talkies and stay.

Tallulah has lived modestly in a little house on Berkeley Square which she made over from a garage. It's furnished quietly, comfortable but not flamboyant.

She dresses simply, usually in sports clothes during the day. Black is her favorite color, then pastel shades. Wears few or no jewels. Her favorite flower is gardenia, and other white flowers next.

She has a swanky car and likes to drive it, but not in London. She doesn't know directions here, and the only time she did try to drive she had to hire a taxi to go ahead and lead the way.

Her best part she thinks was "Amy" in "They Knew What They Wanted." The role she least liked was "Iris" in "The Green Hat." "Iris had no sense of humor about herself," she explains.

Food doesn't interest her. She never eats regular meals—only by spasms. Then she eats plain fare—bacon and eggs often. Frequently her dinner is a dish of stewed tomatoes.

Sports aren't attractive to her, but she's learning tennis. Likes to read—Louis Bromfield, for example—plays contract bridge and phonograph records. Carries a portable phonograph everywhere and has one in her dressing room.

She likes American jazz. Made one record herself and thinks it's terrible.

She was named after her grandmother who was named for Tallulah Falls in Georgia. Her mother died when she was born.

She hopes to be married but the man must have "a divine sense of humor." He needn't be good looking, either, but attractive to her. She'll give up the stage then, for she doesn't think the two can go together. No actors need apply.

She's been in love a couple of times but recovered.

Her speech and manner are direct, her voice deep, her accent "way down south." And American slang is "fresh air" to her.

Coats of Caracul Chic At Capital

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (AP)—Smart women of the capital favor coats of black Russian caracul cut on princess lines for wear at the theater and other informal evening events.

Mrs. James Davis, wife of Senator Davis from Pennsylvania, and Mrs. William Jeffries Chewning, daughter of Senator Couzens of Michigan, are among those wearing these wraps.

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Farm-Reared Nebraska Girl Wins Job as County Attorney

HOLDREGE, Neb., Jan. 7. (AP)—A girl who grew up on a Nebraska farm and worked with men in the field has taken over another "man's" job—that of county prosecutor.

Dora Nelson is the first woman to be elected as a county prosecutor in Nebraska and one of the few in the United States.

Although modern farm women usually limit their activities to feeding chickens, caring for the cows and to home work, financial conditions made it necessary for Miss Nelson to take her place with the farm hands in the fields.

She attended a country school and high school, where she took a limited course in stenography and typewriting. Obtaining work in a

Holdrege attorney's office, she was attracted to law and was admitted to practice in 1928.

Her employer was the Phelps county prosecutor. Last year, while he was away on a trip, she was appointed acting county attorney and prosecuted a number of cases successfully.

Her employer decided to retire from office and, with some diffidence, she became a candidate. She was elected by a majority of 200 as a Republican.

"Justice, peace and tranquility," she says, constitute her notion of what the law enforcement officer is charged with maintaining by enforcing the law, and she accented the "tranquility."

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