

SOCIETY

Mrs. J. T. Watters and Mrs. Chas. L. Dimock will entertain members of the Auction Bridge club at luncheon Wednesday.

Mrs. Dave Kramer entertained at dinner in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary Sunday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Keeler, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knox, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott and Miss Jewel French. Prizes were won by Mr. Payne and Mrs. Knox.

Friday evening Mrs. George Zetter, Jr., entertained in honor of Mrs. Fermin King. Guests included Mesdames Charles Gonnard, Wanda Farrow, R. B. Griffith, Glen Van Eaton, C. D. Keeler, Earl Honrath, James Powers, Vincent Cobley, Leonard Ronnow, Vern Perry, Lloyd Payne, Darrell Dayton, J. R. Hemphill, J. P. Cahlan, Clair Wadsworth, and guest of honor, Prizes were won by Mrs. Vincent Cobley and Mrs. James Powers.

Mrs. John F. Cahlan entertained with a bridge luncheon Saturday at the Oasis, followed with cards at the Cahlan home. Prizes were won by Mrs. James Powers, first; Mrs. Vern Perry, second; and Mrs. C. D. Keeler, consolation.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Keeler are entertaining this evening. Invited are Mr. and Mrs. Clair Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cahlan, Misses Irene Barceloux, Nevada Pedroll, Ethel Oxley; Messrs. C. Russell Squires, Hugh Shamburger and Coach Dashiell.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lightfoot and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pembroke entertained at dinner Saturday evening, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rumph, Mrs. A. W. Ham, Mr. Fred Rumph and Mr. Charles P. Squires.

"Fighting Parson" (Not Shuler) May Be Ath. Commissioner SACRAMENTO, Calif., Jan. 12 (AP)—The Rev. Leslie Kelly, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church of San Francisco, and known as the "Fighting Parson," will be offered a position on the State Athletic commission, succeeding B. W. Gearhart of Fresno, resigned, Governor Rolph announced today. Major A. M. Barton will be reappointed as chief engineer of the state reclamation board, the governor also announced. Resignation of all the members of the state board of forestry was received and accepted today by Governor Rolph. The members included H. F. Gilman, Los Angeles, and D. Eymann Huff, Orange.

Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF SOUTHERN NEVADA, Incorporated. at Las Vegas, in the State of Nevada, in response to the call of the State Bank Examiner for a Report of Conditions at the close of business ending on the 31st day of December, 1930. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$ 75,385.39; Overdrafts, unsecured 73.84; Furniture, fixtures 6,298.64; Quick assets: U. S. Gov't. and Municipal Bonds \$46,400.00; cash and sight exchange, \$157,900.78; 204,300.78; Other resources 30.00; Total \$286,038.65. Liabilities: Capital stock paid in \$ 50,000.00; Surplus or Reserve Fund 7,000.00; Individual deposits subject to check, \$164,428.46; other deposits, \$280.50; time certificates of deposit, \$7,250.00; savings deposits, \$54,623.60; cashier's checks outstanding \$1,124.10; 227,676.66; Reserved for interest and taxes 1,411.99; Total \$286,038.65. State of Nevada, County of Clark, ss. I, H. D. BUZICK, cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. D. BUZICK, Cashier. Correct—Attest: Will Beckley, Ed. Von Tobel, directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1931. Miss P. Whitehead, Notary Public.

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SPIES!!

Super-Plotters Lurk in Hotels and Cafes of European Cities Gathering Armament Information for Their Employers

A Stony Heart and Baby Doll Face Necessary For Women Who Aspire to Places in Europe's Intricate Espionage Systems

(This is the first of a series of articles by Ralph Heinzen, United Press Paris manager, on the espionage activities in peace time Europe.)

By RALPH HEINZEN United Press Staff Correspondent (Copyright, 1931, United Press) PARIS, Jan. 12—The chancelleries and the smart bars, the cosmopolitan restaurants and the lobbies of de luxe hotels of the capitals of Europe are peppered again with those mysterious suave men and jeweled women, born fascinatrices and intriguers, who are listed on the police records of Paris, Berlin, Vienna and the other key cities as men and women to be watched.

The great spy organizations which flourished across Europe before the war, and enabled Germany, for instance, to know how many rifles France had, where her ammunition factories were turning out every month, are bigger and better than ever.

All Countries Have Spies Instead of one or two powers keeping tabs on the rest of Europe by means of paid spies, as before 1914, all are using them today. There is no nation in Europe today without its army of spies.

At the Surete Generale in Paris, the great police organization of which France has been proud for nearly a century, officials say that the espionage problem today is a difficult one to handle. Its ramifications are so great that hundreds of counter-spies in each country must be constantly at work to offset it.

Before the war, most of the spies were known. When they worked, they were seldom able to cover their traces and such spying was disagreeable though not necessarily dangerous. Just after peace, there was great spy activity in Europe, a natural aftermath of the war and its monster military and civil spy organizations.

Then for a few years, espionage seemed to be dying out. But after a three year period of relapse, the great international game of spying on your neighbor while being spied on yourself is going on again and at a greater scale than ever.

Thousand of Spies The French secret police say that there are thousand of spies in the country. These include secret agents of all powers in Europe. America is represented also by cus-

tom's spies who watch purchases of Americans, women—jewelry and gowns, principally—to make sure that a false custom's declaration will not prove profitable.

Competition among the political spies is keen and the successful spy must be adroit. The process of elimination of the clumsy and success of the clever has resulted in the breeding of a race of super-spies. Police say they are harder to control than ever before, and even before naval engineers finish drafting plans for a new "pocket battleship," hastily copied sketches sometimes are already on their way out the country.

There once was a stigma attached to spying. The penalty in time of war is a hasty walk to face a firing squad. In peacetime, there is a prison term. Generally, a spy who once has been arrested is fingerprinted and photographed so much that he is worthless to his employers.

Spy Information A spy is interested in all sorts of things. Naturally, his first desire is to learn something concerning the national defense of the country he is set to look over. He is after news of army and navy changes, modernized equipment, plans for tanks and battleships, fortifications and attacks. He watches the industries which can provide gas and chemicals, airplanes and automobiles, munitions and cannon for war.

Most of the spies concentrate on national defense, but others go into the workshops and sneak secret processes of manufacture, formulae and other trade secrets. There are spies in the dressmaking trade who steal ideas. There are international spies in banks, shipping companies and factories. Spies serve you coffee and listen to your conversation over a cafe table. Spies make up your bed as hotel valets and take the torn letters out of your waste basket. Spies pay your servants, or your secretaries, and then spend their evenings writing long reports in invisible ink just as in the movie plots.

Half of Spies Are Women Half of the spies in Europe today wear skirts. Spying is a profession to which many encographers aspire, and the only stock in trade needed is a stony heart, impervious to love and flattery, beauty and the face of a baby doll to throw the police off the track.

Many of the chiefs of Europe underground espionage services believe that where secrets of nations



Warren Farrell, hard hitting Arden welterweight, who clashes with "Indian" Johnny Smith, Nevada welterweight champion, in the 10-round main event of the American Legion boxing show Friday night. The bout is a return match after a sensational ring battle the two staged on New Year's day.

Metro Store Will Have Jan. Sale

A January clearance sale on odds

and ends, such as has never before been held in Clark county, will start the latter part of this week at the Metro 5c, 10c and \$1.00 store, located at 108 Fremont street. The entire stock of this concern will be entirely readjusted for this sale.

Everything for the household use and ladies' apparel accessories can be had at the Metro store. The stock would do credit to any store of its kind in any metropolitan city. This sale will offer opportunities that are rare indeed. A woman or man can shop at the Metro for most any of their needs. The various departments are laid out in perfect order so that one can do their shopping without confusion. Perfectly trained clerks will serve you. During the sale an augmented force will enable you to be waited on immediately.

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LIVELY CLASH EXPECTED AT FRIDAY'S BOUT

Farrell All Set to Regain Title Won by Indian Johnny Smith

"Indian" Johnny Smith, newly crowned welterweight champ of Nevada, will give Warren Farrell of Arden first crack at his state title in a 10-round return bout. The go will be held this Friday, Jan. 16, in the American Legion stadium.

Smith won a close decision over Farrell after ten of the hardest fought rounds seen here in many moons on the New Year day fight card. Many of Farrell's followers declared that the decision in favor of Smith was either a mistake or plain robbery and have stated their intention of wagering heavy sugar on Warren in a return match. There is no question about the closeness of the decision of the previous battle. It was so close that the judges themselves disagreed. Two of them, John Cahlan and Tom Salter, rendered verdicts in favor of Smith, while Art Harris, the referee and third judge, gave his decision to Farrell.

Because the bout was such a sensational one and the decision rendered in favor of Smith raised so much discussion Matchmaker Harry Enchle of the Legion figured the best thing possible to do was to rematch them and let Farrell and Smith argue it out again. This will be their third ring meeting. Farrell won the first bout at Pico, Calif., a year ago by a two round knockout.

Ross Sly, who fought many main events here a year or so ago, meets Bud Thomas in the six round semi-main event. Everyone concedes Sly a good chance to win from Thomas who has won his last five starts

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George Ball clashes with Jack Morris of Reno in the special event. Morris is the toughest guy the local 140-pounder has tried conclusions with as yet. Young Thompson, negro, vs. Lou Amerigo, 125 pounders, opens the show.

Women, accompanied by male escorts holding a ringside ticket, will be admitted free to Friday evening's boxing show.

PERSONAL

James G. Scrugham, editor of the Nevada State Journal, arrived in Las Vegas on business yesterday.

Linn Walker, of the Smith Realty company of Salt Lake City, was in Las Vegas on business yesterday.

Gerald G. Langley left yesterday for Los Angeles on business.

Ingram Takes Price's Place At California

BERKELEY, Calif., Jan. 12 (AP)—The selection of William Ingram, former coach at the United States Naval academy at Annapolis as head football coach of the University of California for the next three years was announced here late today.

The executive committee of Associated Students made the announcement after a session lasting more than an hour.

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