

GIRL WINS JOHN D.'S HEART, GETS SEVEN DIMES AS PROOF



Little Norma Jean Perkins, six-year-old Kentucky girl, is proud of her bracelet made from Rockefeller dimes.

ORMOND BEACH, Fla., Feb. 2 (AP)—Norma Jean Perkins received lots of presents on her seventh birthday but she appreciated that of John D. Rockefeller most of all. It was a gold bracelet from which dangled seven shiny, new dimes, given Norma Jean at different times for her enthusiasm as a gallery of one at John D.'s golf matches with her father, Norman B. Perkins, of Williamsburg, Ky., and Ormond Beach.

Perkins had the bracelet made for her seventh birthday. "Mr. Rockefeller's awfully nice," Norma Jean said, "he always remembers my full name and I like him."

The oil magnate and Perkins are close friends, and nearly always Norma Jean follows them around the course.

HIGH TIDES DO DAMAGE ON COAST

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2 (AP)—High tides caused minor property damage at Long Beach, tore out a section of the \$1,000,000 sea wall at Santa Monica and deposited sand and debris from Oceanside to Santa Barbara today.

The tide was measured at 7 feet 3 inches at 6:30 a. m. It was expected to reach the same height tomorrow.

Arizona Town Is Under Quarantine

CHRISTMAS, Ariz., Feb. 2 (AP)—County health authorities tonight placed Christmas under quarantine in an attempt to curb an outbreak of spinal meningitis.

Sheriff's deputies were ordered to patrol the town borders to prevent persons from coming in or going out.

Nine persons have died from the disease in the last sixty days. Two patients and twenty-five contacts are in the Globe isolation hospital under care of physicians.

P. A. Keegel left yesterday for Los Angeles on business. He will enjoy a short visit with his son who is at Harvard Military school, before returning.

With a crop reported 32 per cent less than in 1929, California citrus growers received \$135,000,000.

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PERSONAL

Miss Frances Martin has returned to her studies at Scripps college, Claremont, after visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Roy W. Martin, for several days.

Mrs. Charles P. Squires returned home Saturday evening from Redlands where she has been visiting since before Christmas.

Miss Alice Doherty, Miss Adeline Cline and Miss Jean Ward, students at the University of Redlands, and Miss Dorothy Buzick, who is a student at Scripps college, spent the week-end in Palo Alto. Miss Doherty has completed her semester work at Redlands and will return home tomorrow.

Oberman Bhenke and Howard Burnside of Decatur, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. V. McEvoy. Mr. Bhenke is Mrs. McEvoy's nephew.

Mrs. W. R. Gore, who has been seriously ill for the past month, is still in a critical condition.

W. J. Stewart has been confined to his home at the old ranch for the past two weeks, suffering from an attack of influenza.

Mrs. N. E. Williams, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Carol, and her son, Buddie, left Sunday evening for her home in San Dimas after spending the week-end with Mrs. Roy W. Martin.

Simon's garage is the proud owner of a new Neon sign, telling the world that they are distributors for Goodrich tires.

Mrs. C. C. Dearden, with her new baby boy, was able to leave the Las Vegas hospital and go to her home Sunday.

Miss Margaret Adams, who had her tonsils removed at Las Vegas hospital Saturday, was able to go home Sunday.

Mrs. T. D. Fanatia went to Los Angeles Saturday night to spend several days visiting friends.

The board of city commissioners will hold an adjourned meeting this afternoon at three o'clock. The regular meeting will come on Thursday, the fifth.

Miss Louise King, accompanied by Kenneth and Rex Richardson and Rollin Graham, drove to Basty Sunday, where Kenneth and Rollin have positions. On the return trip Miss King drove the 120 miles in three hours over all. She states that the road is in fine shape.

M. Benson and W. H. T. Graham, of Redondo Beach, both members of the Benson, Inc. organization, were in Vegas on business yesterday.

Thomas P. Ragsdale left Saturday for Reno where he expected to take the examination for admission to the bar.

Marlin A. Bunker of St. Thomas is in Vegas visiting his son, Vernon Bunker.

Joe F. Perkins was here yesterday from the Moapa Valley.

District Attorney Harmon is expected to reach home today after an absence of several days on business.

Mrs. William May, who was confined to the Ferguson-Balcom hospital for several days, has returned home.

Mrs. R. Chadburn of Sloan has been allowed to leave the Ferguson-Balcom hospital and return to her home with the new baby.

champion. However, in due credit to him it must be remembered that Johnny won a decision over Farrell on New Year's day in a ring battle that was a classic.

Dick Swartz, Las Vegas middleweight, who can always be depended upon to stage a good action bout, takes on Bull Carey of Los Angeles. Carey is a rough, tough, plugging battler and should be well matched with the willing Swartz.

Young Thompson, fast and clever colored feather, tackles Jimmy Mack, another fast colored boy in the curtain raiser.

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PENNEY CO. HEAD MAKES STATEMENT

Says Retailers Hold Key To Better Business

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Earl C. Sams, president of the J. C. Penney Co., put the solution of the present industrial situation up to retail merchants in a statement made here today, in which he said, "If retail merchants throughout the country would forget what they paid for merchandise now on hand, would reprice it to the public on the basis of a fair profit on the replacement cost of the same merchandise in today's market, and then would get back of the new prices with an aggressive advertising and selling campaign, they would furnish an impetus to returning prosperity which would immediately be felt all over the country."

"Some of the trouble with general business is found in the fact that manufacturers are faced with a lack of orders for the future. Merchants who refuse to liquidate present stocks of merchandise by failing to look the price situation squarely in the face, are in no position to place orders for new merchandise."

"In the J. C. Penney Co. we have attempted to parallel the downward curve in wholesale prices with corresponding downward movement in retail prices ever since the present trend set in nearly a year ago."

"All merchandise on hand in our stores at the close of 1930 is being re-priced on the basis of today's replacement costs. By following this policy we expect to be able to keep our volume of sales by items of merchandise at a point commensurate with the early months of last year and to maintain them on a profitable basis. The first two months of 1930 were periods in which unusual gains were made."

"A study of 104 items, covering white goods, women's dresses in the moderate price brackets, men's clothing, hats, work clothing and piece goods shows an average price 21.4 per cent below that of last year with reductions running up to 39.1 per cent in some items of women's dresses, 35.8 per cent in prints, 39 per cent in work clothes and 25.3 per cent in men's clothing."

"The trend in merchandise prices during the past ten years is shown in such items of common use as sheetings in which one standard quality shows a drop from \$2.49 each in 1920 to \$1.83 each at the present time, with the 1930 price being \$1.19 each."

BORN
EGLINGTON: At the Las Vegas hospital, Friday night, January 26, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Eglington, a son. The youngster answers to the name of Lloyd Nestor Eglington. All concerned are doing nicely.

DIED
SALAZAR: In this city, Monday morning, February 2, 1931, Mrs. Maria Salazar, aged 65. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Fr. O'Grady tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the Catholic church. The remains are at Palm Funeral Home.

Deceased lived in Las Vegas several years. She leaves surviving one daughter, two sons and one brother, all residing in this city.

Mrs. H. J. Jones, who underwent an operation at the Ferguson-Balcom hospital last week, was able to return home Monday.

Mrs. Ray L. Christenson, who was operated on at the Ferguson-Balcom hospital last week, was able to leave the hospital Sunday.

TREES
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MRS. JULIAN SEEKS DIVORCE FROM MILLIONAIRE HUSBAND

Asks \$5,000 a Month Temporary Alimony—Charges Julian Associates With Other Women Whom He Takes on Long Trips

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2 (AP)—C. C. Julian, California and Oklahoma oil operator, today was sued for divorce by Mrs. Mary Olive Julian, who charged cruelty.

Mrs. Julian asked custody of two children, alimony of \$5,000 a month and the appointment of a receiver for Julian's financial enterprises, estimated at a value of \$10,000,000.

Declaring she married Julian in Winnipeg, Canada, Dec. 1, 1910, when he was a helper in a plumbing shop, Mrs. Julian declared that she assisted her husband in getting his start in the oil world by securing various large sums of money from her father.

Julian, now living in Hollywood for the last two years has attempted to have her found mentally incompetent, his wife alleged. She stated this course of cruel treatment began March 22, 1928, when he filed an insanity complaint against her at superior court here.

At the hearing on this warrant, Julian declared her to be mentally unsound and deranged, his wife stated, petitioning the court to have her confined to a sanitarium.

Insisting that these allegations were entirely false and that Julian knew them to be untrue, Mrs. Julian asserted the only purpose of the oil operator's action was to obtain custody of their two daughters, Lois, 17, and Frances, 16.

For more than ten years, Julian had neglected her and their home, associating with women for whom he maintained various apartments in Los Angeles, his wife alleged.

Mrs. Julian stated this conduct had become notorious, causing her intense humiliation.

Julian's philandering caused him to be subjected to a beating by an irate husband just about three months ago in Oklahoma City, Okla. Mrs. Julian alleged in the complaint which was filed by Attorney Leonard Wilson. She stated that this alleged beating by the woman's husband was widely broadcast over the oil district.

The woman in the case had been guilty of misconduct with Julian, his wife alleged, in stating that the woman's husband attacked the oil operator on the public sidewalk in front of the Skirvin hotel in Oklahoma City.

Julian became infatuated with a Cherokee Indian girl last September, his wife alleged.

She charged the oil operator became so infatuated with this Indian girl that he brought her here in his own airplane from Oklahoma and lived with her at the Biltmore hotel.

She declared he made no attempt to conceal his actions.

During the past two years, Julian has given her approximately \$1500 a month, but has refused to allow her to disburse this money herself, his wife stated.

Julian has been expending sums running into thousands of dollars monthly on parties, his personal expenses and maintenance of a private airplane, which costs him around \$25,000 monthly, Mrs. Julian asserted.

Charging that Julian had threatened to assault her, she asked the court to order him to be confined to county jail.

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DEATH COMES TO MRS. PARK UNEXPECTEDLY

Holdup Pair Is Sought By Sheriff Keate

(Continued from page 1) Sheriff Joe Keate has been busy the past two days investigating the actions of eight different men comprising three groups who have been under suspicion of holding up S. L. Rowe, proprietor of the Las Vegas Welding & Machine shop on O'Connell street, just back of the Al Drew electrical shop, Sunday evening.

The two bandits secured \$11.00 from Mr. Rowe and 25 cents from the cash register.

The victim of the robbery was unable to furnish any description of the men who robbed him or of the car in which they drove away, making it exceedingly difficult to fix the crime on anyone. Nevertheless, the sheriff's office are picking up all possible suspects and making a thorough investigation of their activities.

It is with a sad heart that we chronicle the passing of this good woman who was a loving and faithful helpmeet to her husband, a devoted mother and a valued friend and neighbor.

To those who are stricken with a grief that is well-nigh insupportable, we extend our full-hearted sympathy and that of the entire community.

Ten Persons Die From Poisoned Food at Banquet; Others Serious

AFTON, N. D., Feb. 2 (AP)—With 10 persons already dead from poisoned food served at a party, physicians worked over two other guests today to prevent the extinction of all those who attended the gay affair at Edward Hein's farmhouse.

Genevieve Hein, 16, and Joseph Leach, 26, were in a critical condition at the local hospital and their recovery was only problematical.

Dr. G. W. Campbell said. Salad made from canned peas was blamed for the deaths of the 10 persons who came to the farm house last Thursday for the celebration. The peas had been canned by Mrs. Edward Hein, one of those who died, and doctors said they had caused a poison which had paralyzed the throat muscles of the victims.

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