

US GUARANTEE CORPORATION IS INSOLVENT

Financial Difficulties Of Concern Laid to Beesemyer

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27. (AP)—The United States Guaranty Corporation, a Gilbert H. Beesemyer institution, today was declared "hopelessly insolvent" by Superior Judge Walter S. Gates, who ordered a receivership for the concern.

Judge Gates said he was prompted to place the affairs of the corporation in receivership because the new board of directors appointed after Beesemyer's manipulations tied up the assets of the concern, was dominated by the old board which had permitted Beesemyer, its chairman, to control the United States Guaranty.

Howard J. Sheehan and Charles F. Allison were named as joint receivers by Judge Gates. Their bonds were placed at \$50,000 each. The case in which the receivership originally was sought had been under submission for three weeks, to give the new board of directors an opportunity to function.

Contention of counsel for the corporation that the new directors could bring it to solvency was met by Judge Gates' charge that the board had failed to take any steps to recover funds embezzled by Beesemyer.

Beesemyer is now serving a term in prison for wrecking the Guaranty Building and Loan association thru peculations by which he financed various promotional schemes.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pico and son, Louis, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlin are spending the week-end in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Ferris Donahue and daughter, Ruth, left yesterday evening for Los Angeles, where they will remain until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCoy and daughter, Tessie, accompanied by Mrs. Eva Adams, Miss Amy Earl and Miss Lila Hieble, motored to Los Angeles yesterday afternoon. They plan to hear the opera "Rigoletto," which will be given Saturday night, and will return Sunday.

Dr. E. H. Conger left yesterday for St. George where he will be engaged in L. D. S. church work for the next few days.

Mrs. Clara Wadsworth is reported improving since her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Curry of La Grande, Ore., are spending a few days in this city. Mr. Curry is in the real estate business and is quite impressed with the possibilities that now exist in Las Vegas in building residences and apartments for rental income investments.

C. of C. Wants Information On Minerals

Nye Wilson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is compiling information regarding the mineral deposits of Clark county, both metallic and non-metallic deposits.

The Union Pacific officials are co-operating to the extent of sending Mr. Wilson all available information from their files, but there is yet a great deal of material which he is anxious to obtain.

It has been suggested that those owning deposits of various kinds communicate with Mr. Wilson, giving him such data as might be valuable to him in answering inquiries from outside. With the necessary information at hand, it is possible that sales might develop.

ADVERTISE IN THE AGE IT PAYS

Dodgers Get Coast Slugger To Help Lopez Behind Bat



What Ernest Lombardi, Brooklyn's catching recruit, lacks in catching polish, he'll more than make up by his slugging, the club management hopes. Lombardi, Coast league product, is figured to take some of the receiving burden from the shoulders of Al Lopez, sensational Cuban.

OAKLAND, Feb. 27. (AP)—Aside from being one of the greatest prospects developed in the Pacific coast league in many seasons, Ernest Lombardi, young catcher purchased by the Brooklyn Dodgers from Oakland, has physical distinctions that should make him plenty of comment.

He has hands like hams; his man feet and a Roman nose of such prominence the newspapers boys refer to it as a "roaming" nose. His shoes are 10 1/2. E. widest manufactured for the trade and are attached to a 6 foot, 2 inch frame of 290-pound weight.

The 22-year-old youngster, who cost the Dodgers \$50,000 and two players, Hank DeBerry, catcher, and Eddie Moore, infielder, is figured to get the second string catching assignment with the club this season.

The Dodger management hopes he'll be able to take some of the catching burden off the shoulders of Al Lopez this season. Last year, over-work left the sensational Cuban very bedraggled when the Dodgers made their futile final drive down the stretch after the pennant.

Eventually Lombardi may be in there hitting Lopez for the top hole job, that is, if he can bring his receiving mark up any where near his hitting efficiency.

He led the coast league catchers for the last three years with batting averages of .377, .396 and .370, ranking among the ten leading hitters. In 1929 and '30, this big fellow led the catchers in assists, with 93 and 105, evidence of a powerful throwing arm.

While at catcher's value, primarily, is his ability to handle the pitcher and run the game. Lombardi's forte is hitting. He simply overpowers left handed pitching and is not so weak against the right handed variety. He laces the ball to all fields.

The left span of a railroad bridge across Susan bay, California, weighs 1,580 tons and can be raised to a clearance of 135 feet in 80 seconds.

Benjamin W. Thomas, plaintiff, vs. Isola E. Thomas, defendant. Decree of divorce granted. Harmon & Saller and Geo. E. Marshall, attorneys for plaintiff.

Raymond L. Taylor, plaintiff, vs. Margaret Taylor, defendant. T. A. Wells, attorney for plaintiff; Lewis & Gambill, attorneys for defendant. Hearing on order to show cause continued to March 9 at 10 a. m.

Joseph K. Nulsen, plaintiff, vs. Helen Hovey Nulsen, defendant. Ham & Taylor, attorneys for plaintiff; Stevens, Henderson, Noland & Noland, attorneys for defendant. Correction of date in decree.

In the matter of the estate of Frank L. Duncan, deceased. Stevens, Henderson, Noland & Noland, attorneys for estate; C. D. Breeze, attorney for minor heirs. Order entered approving final account and ordering distribution as prayed for.

Wallace Frohner, plain. ff., vs. Eleanor B. Sypina, as administratrix of estate of Gibson, etc., et al., defendants. Hearing on demurrer. Stevens, Henderson, Noland & Noland, attorneys for plaintiff; Charles Horsey, attorney for defendant. Matter taken under advisement.

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Proceedings In District Court

Hon. Van E. Orr, District Judge presiding.

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C. I. T. Corp., a corp. plaintiff, vs. J. S. Smith, defendant. Ham & Taylor, attorneys for plaintiff; C. D. Breeze, attorney for defendant. Hearing on demurrer. Defendant given ten days in which to further plead.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. W. N. Schuyler and Mrs. A. E. Cahlan were hostesses at a charming bridge luncheon yesterday afternoon. Prizes for high and low scores were awarded Mrs. Walker R. Young and Mrs. John F. Cahlan. Guests included Mesdames John F. Cahlan, Wm. S. Park, S. J. Lawson, Walker R. Young, Leo Roth, O. C. Boas, J. H. Lightfoot, C. E. Pembroke, A. R. Grant, W. C. Olive, C. D. Breeze, R. D. Bacon, C. L. Damon, James Cashman, R. W. Thomas and C. C. Radnow.

S. Agnes Guild of the Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. Geo. S. Day Friday afternoon.

Van Meter Babe Funeral Is Held

Neil, the gay old infant son of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Van Meter, was buried at Woodlawn cemetery yesterday morning after simple services, with three or four close friends attending.

The babe died Wednesday night after a struggle of 24 hours, during which the local fire department put in service their recently purchased pulmotor.

Mrs. Van Meter, who is at the Las Vegas hospital, is reported by her physician to be improving steadily.

No Jail Release For Miss De Voe

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27. (AP)—The district court of appeal today denied an original application by Miss De Voe for release from the county jail on bail pending her appeal from conviction of grand theft of \$25 from Clara Bow, who formerly employed her as a secretary. The court denied the petition without comment.

Miss De Voe is serving 18 months in jail as part of a five-year probation term.

Miss De Voe contended that keeping her in jail was tantamount to forcing her to serve a sentence for a crime of which she may later be found not guilty in appeals to the higher courts.

Previously Miss De Voe unsuccessfully attempted to obtain release on bail before Superior Judge William C. Doran.

Insurance Annual Statement (For Publication) The North River Insurance Co., New York, New York.

Capital (paid up in cash) \$ 4,900,000.00

Assets 29,914,679.41

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ACTIVITY AT YUCCA GROVE GOLD STRIKE

Claims Being Opened Show Assays Over \$300 Per Ton

There is more activity at Yucca Grove gold strike in California, 30 miles from the Nevada state line.

Representatives of the Centella & Beck Mining Co. of Chicago and Los Angeles have obtained many valuable claims from the Nickerson and Cyndra group.

The Beck advises that machinery and equipment will be on the ground by March 15.

Mr. Hardley of the U. S. Smelters has men at work doing trenching and sinking several shafts.

W. O. Paulson and Gus Haage, who have followed strikes from the Alaska gold fields to Mexico, are doing development work. They report that the makings of a real camp is in sight. Assays from these claims run well over \$300.

Schuyler Home Is Progressing

The construction of the residence on South Sixth street, which is being built by the manual training department of the high school for W. N. Schuyler, is progressing according to the original plans. The home will be completed by the end of the school year.

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Benjamin W. Weaver, Secretary

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NEW and USED FURNITURE FOR REAL VALUES IN NEW FURNITURE VISIT THE PEOPLE'S STORE Opposite School Phone 439 OPEN EVENINGS

Navy Dirigible Passes Key West

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 27. (AP)—The navy dirigible Los Angeles passed over Key West at 11:30 to-night en route north.

It was making about 40 miles an hour and clear weather prevailed along the Florida east coast.

Applications For Food Loans To Be Received

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. (AP)—Farmers' applications for food loans will be received the first of next week, the agriculture department announced today in making public plans for dispensing the \$20,000,000 fund appropriated by congress.

Half of the fund has been set aside under the plan announced today for the rehabilitation of agricultural and live stock credit corporations. Secretary Hyde originally had intended loaning only \$1,000,000 of the appropriation for refinancing agriculture corporations but at the last moment decided to include live stock organizations and increase the amount.

Radio Tubes to Don 'Pants' This Season

NEW YORK, Feb. 27. (AP)—Radio tubes now have pants.

Just why they are called pants, no one knows, but that is the name given by engineers to a new form of filament insulation used in quick-heating tubes.

The new material, it is claimed, enables the tubes to reach working heat within a few seconds after the current is turned on, but does not diminish the quality or life of the tubes.

B. B. May, Agent For U. P. Bus Line Tickets

B. B. May, of the Professional Pharmacy, is agent for sale of Union Pacific bus line tickets.

Tickets to any point in the United States, and general information may be obtained from Mr. May at the Professional Pharmacy, located in Carl Ray's Professional building.

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TREES Fruit and Shade Trees should be planted within next 30 days. Reses, Shrubs, Lawns, etc. Las Vegas Nursery, Third and Colorado. Phone 219.

Fresh Ranch EGGS Large Size 2 Dozen 25c SATURDAY ONLY Ward's Cash & Carry

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY Blanding's PALACE MARKET NEW FRYING CHICKENS Fresh Dressed ALSO HEAVY RED & GRAY HENS SHOULDER PORK (Whole) Per Pound 20c CHOICE POT ROAST, Per Pound 20c HAMBURGER (Fresh Ground) Per Pound 20c LIVER (Pork or Lamb) Per Pound 20c EGGS, LARGE FRESH, Per Dozen 20c Two Dozen for 35c LAMB, VEAL & BEEF STEW, Per Pound 20c LARD, Pure Pork Kettle Rendered, Per Pound 15c SKINNED HAMS (Paritan), Per Pound 26c The Market That Has the Full Line All the Time LAS VEGAS PACKING CO.

Main Street Grocery and Market Saturday Specials SUGAR—Pure Cane 10 Pounds For 49c MACARONI—Fontana Brand 5 Pound Can 69c POTATOES— 100 Lbs. \$1.65 14 Lbs. 25c ONIONS—Large Sweet 9 Pounds 25c CELERY—Large White 3 Bunches 25c LETTUCE—Large Firm, each 5c ORANGES—Sweet Navels 176 Size, dozen 15c GRAPEFRUIT—Large Size 7 For 25c APPLES—Winesaps 12 Pounds 25c MATCHES— Carton 6 Large Boxes, for 15c PICKLES—Sweet or Dill, dozen 15c PUREX— Pints 8c Quarts 15c KNOX GELATINE—Each 15c SYRUP—Golden Corn 5 Pound Can 37c CHEESE—Full Cream Long Horns 1 Pound 23c MARGARINE Fern Brand, pound 13c CORN—Sugar No. 2 Cans 2 For 25c JAM—Del Monte, No. 2 Cans Each 28c Peach, Apricot and Plum CRACKERS— 1 pound Petites, each 18c SILVER POLISH— Regular 35c Jar, for 15c SHINOLA— Regular 2 for 25c Size, Now 8c VANILLA EXTRACT— 2 Oz. Pure, for 23c MARSHMALLOWS— 1 Pound Pkg. for 21c CATSUP— 1 Quart Cans, each 19c MUSTARD—Libby's 9 Oz. Glass, each 9c CABBAGE— Firm and Green, pound 3c SALT—2 Pound Bag for 6c