

RAIL Splinters

BY JOHN H. LIGHTFOOT

Mr. and Mrs. William Nesbit leave Monday next for a short vacation in northern Utah.

Machinist J. P. Johnson when not at the shops is busy building a neat cottage on his property on north Seventh street.

Storekeeper for the Union Pacific at Las Angeles, Frank Cragin, spent Thursday in Las Vegas looking over the stocks.

E. F. Lackey, of the master mechanic's office is taking a two weeks vacation in California, accompanied by Mrs. Lackey.

Bob McShane has returned to Las Vegas, taking a position with Master Mechanic Wilcox.

Ivan Jackson, carpenter with the construction department of the Union Pacific at this point has taken himself to Kansas and will return in a few days with Mrs. Jackson.

Jimmie Jones, boiler maker, has returned from Texas where he was called on account of the death of his sister.

Delafio Wernert was in Las Vegas Thursday. Delafio is a brakeman on the Union Pacific and was on Train 22.

W. F. Van Horn, vice president of U. P. S. E. A., and Nephi Whiticar, grand chairman, O. S. L. S. E. A., were guests of Al Stone Wednesday and combined business with pleasure by taking a trip to Boulder City.

M. and Mrs. W. C. Olive have returned from their trip to Pocatello. The trip was an enjoyable one, they said.

CHICAGO BANK WEATHERS RUN

CHICAGO, June 11 (AP)—Chicago bankers announced today that they had weathered successfully a series of frenzied runs on outlying banks, which they believed will make the week of June 7 go down as the most exciting in two decades.

Twenty-seven institutions closed their doors, many of them temporarily, for about two hundred thousand accounts and possibly \$100,000,000 in deposits were involved.

Lack of public confidence, precipitated when several small banks affiliated with the Fourth Street bank which had merged with the First National, closed.

Eight hundred housewives began calling friends, exchanging information which was usually incorrect. So every bank on the south side was the scene of runs. The runs spread to every outlying bank.

NEVADANS TO FORM SOCIETY

RENO, June 11 (AP)—Nevada's Native Daughters has been formed here "to preserve in the minds of all native Nevadans the memory of the days when the territory of Nevada flourished in the wealth taken from its mines and from its other natural resources, and to perpetuate the history of the state from territorial days."

The organization actually originated several years ago as the auxiliary to the Nevadans, but its name was changed by formal action. There are more than 200 members. Mrs. Gusie M. Rose is president.

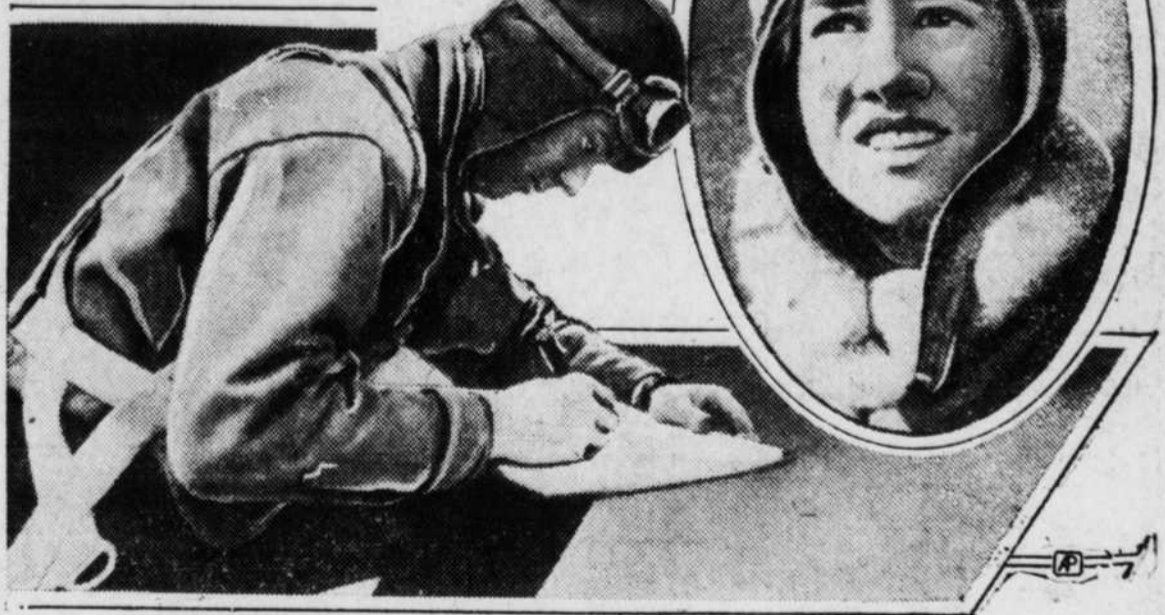
Plans are being considered for the establishment of a permanent home for the preservation of records and as a club house.

CREW REPORTED IN YACHT MUTINY

PASADENA, June 11 (AP)—Reports here are that Zane Grey, the novelist, is abandoning a world cruise to the South Seas because of threatened mutiny among members of the crew on his yacht, which is proceeding to Tahiti.

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FLYING COLONEL PLANNING NEW COURSE FOR TRANS-PACIFIC, ORIENTAL FLIGHT



Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife and navigator, Anne Morrow Lindbergh, are mapping a route (above) across the North Pacific as a "vacation jaunt" this summer.

By OSCAR LEIDING (Associated Press Aviation Editor) WASHINGTON, June 11 (AP)—Fame's fair-haired boy has picked as a "vacation trip" what most people would consider an adventure of a life-time.

The same matter-of-factness that characterized a little known mail pilot four years ago, stuffing letters of introduction into a pocket before winging away to Paris, marked Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's facing toward the Pacific for a flight with his wife to the orient.

He "neglected" even to mention the contemplated journey to his distinguished father-in-law, Senator Dwight Morrow of New Jersey, and while newspaper presses were rolling out the story of the venture he was spending an afternoon in the air with wife and "We."

This did not mean, however, that he had not taken a peek of the perils of the journey, planned carefully for special pontoons and other equipment for his plane and pored over maps and charts in "family conference."

The new adventure is almost a pioneering one, the army round-the-world fliers of 1925 being the only others who have taken the westerly course from the United States to the orient.

Their journey was made earlier in the season, in April and May. They made their way step by step from Seattle through fog, rain, snow squalls, sleet, headwinds and storms.

The Lindberghs, says the weather bureau, should find better flying conditions, though they may still encounter headwinds and bad visibility, with some portions of the eastern shores of the Pacific shrouded more than half the time in fog.

Mrs. Lindbergh is expected to be the navigator because of her skill in the art, which often has earned the tribute from her husband, who showed his own ability on the Atlantic flight, that "she navigates better than I do."

Plans for the flight came as a surprise to the many friends of the Lindberghs, because as recently as the beginning of the year they were known to have in mind another visit to Central and South America.

"That is a trip we keep in the back of our heads," Colonel Lindbergh said in December, "that we should like to take as soon as we have ample time. There are many friends down there we would enjoy seeing again."

Aside from the pontoons, specially designed to carry part of the fuel load, little is believed necessary to groom the Lockheed-Sirus for the flight because of Lindbergh's habit of keeping it in flying trim.

Close friends say that the big monoplane plays a great part in his everyday life and that he finds in it not only a vehicle for his many sallies into the air, but a foil for his engineering ideas.

A different motor, calculations on propeller settings and studies of design features were all part of the colonel's program in a search for greater speed.

AIRDOME PLANS PUBLIC WEDDING

The public wedding of a Las Vegas couple, Raymond Barnes and Eleanor Alice Myers, will be solemnized on the stage of the Airdome Follies theater tomorrow night, according to the management.

Merchants have responded readily to offering wedding gifts, which include a lot, house, furniture and complete equipment. The ceremony is scheduled to start about 11:30 p. m. and the midnight performance of that show proper is scheduled at 10:45 p. m.

Cy Perkins, presiding over the country store, will be the main attraction of tonight's show, which also will include the revue and a silent picture.

She showed 42.8 knots an hour on speed trials carried out in accordance with the clause of the Washington naval conference.

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY

Group of businessmen have license and location for largest hotel and casino in the state. Opportunity for one or two men with a little money to make a fortune. All replies confidential. Give references and state amount you can invest if deal suits you. Box F, Las Vegas Age.

WATER CARNIVAL AT LORENZI LAKE PARK

SWIMMING POOL Sunday June 14

First time such a program has even been presented in this part of the country. GIVEN BY MYRTLE HUDDLESTON

World's Champion Endurance Swimmer Only woman to conquer the Catalina Channel.

All swimmers welcome to take part in this program. Be at Lorenzi Pool at 2 p. m. Saturday. Admission 10 cents. Will apply on swim.

COME Myrtle Huddleston Championship Records: Catalina Channel, 1927—Twenty hours, 42 minutes. Delray, Florida (long distance—55 miles)—Thirty-one hours, 18 minutes.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

HAS OPERATION File Lezie, employee of the U. S. Reclamation Service, who received six fractured ribs recently in the Boulder dam construction area who has been ill in the Las Vegas hospital since that time, underwent an operation for the removal of a rib in order to drain the pus which had formed in his chest cavity yesterday.

FAMILY TILT As the result of a domestic altercation, Mrs. S. F. Taylor is in the Ferguson-Balcom hospital with a badly swollen eye and a fractured jaw. Her husband, who, she told officers, came home in an intoxicated condition, was booked at the police station. He suffered a slight cut on the forehead.

FOURTH COMES EARLY Apprehended as they set off firecrackers in the bowl of one of the drinking fountains in the courthouse yard, two small boys, between the ages of nine and twelve, must appear at the sheriff's office soon.

HERE ON VISIT Clarence Wadsworth, of Caliente, is here for a few days.

LEAVE FOR UTAH Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams and son, Bert, have departed on a trip through southern Utah.

BEATY MAN HERE E. J. Burns, a rancher from near Beatty, is here on business.

BACK HOME Mrs. C. A. Garside, Jr., who has been visiting friends and relatives in Boise and Salt Lake City, has returned to Las Vegas.

HAS POSITION Miss Virginia George will be employed at the Boulder drug store, starting in a few days.

LEAVES FOR VISIT Mrs. B. A. Stevens has left for a visit in Iowa.

VISIT DAUGHTER C. S. Bush and Mrs. Homer Pirtle, of Detroit, Mich., are here visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ryland Taylor.

TONOPAHAN HERE E. Marks, formerly a resident of Tonopah, is here from Hollywood. He is a mining and business man.

PLAN PARK TOUR Mrs. Walter R. Bracken, who has been in Los Angeles for several days, will return to Las Vegas today. Next week she expects to leave with Miss Maude Frazier for a trip through Yellowstone and Glacier national parks.

Miss Frazier will return to Las Vegas in August, while Mrs. Bracken will visit on the coast for several weeks after that.

TO "MAN" FOUNTAIN Miss Helen Chubcock has been employed at the fountain in the Rainbow.

PLAN AUTO TOUR Mr. and Mrs. John W. Holden are leaving for a two months' automobile tour. They will visit the cities of the Pacific Coast as far north as Seattle and Vancouver. Thence they plan to go east as far as New York. They will return by the southern route, according to present plans.

DAUGHTER BORN Announcement of the birth of a daughter, Sarah Margaretta, to Dr. and Mrs. George W. Henry on May 15 was received in Las Vegas by friends yesterday. Mrs. Henry will be remembered here as Miss Eleanor Seibert, former member of the teaching staff of Las Vegas high school.

ON FISHING TRIP B. B. May, manager of the Professional pharmacy, has gone on a two-weeks' vacation. His brother, Wesley May, who came here from the east for a visit, accompanied him. They plan to visit Reno, where they will spend a few days fishing.

WILL ASK FOR FREIGHT BOOST

NEW YORK, June 11 (AP)—The presidents of eastern, southern and western railroads at a meeting here, voted unanimously today to petition the interstate commerce commission for an increase in freight rates of 15 per cent. Declining revenues was given as the reason for the increase sought.

EL PORTAL

Nevada's Finest Theatre ARTIFICIALLY COOLED Fri. & Sat. June 12 & 13 Matinee Saturday at 2:30 "SKIPPY" Jackie Cooper; Milti Green Robert Coogan Enid Bennett Helen Jerome Eddy Also a Colorone "CRAZY HOUSE" & Paramount Sound News Second Show 9:05 P. M.

AIRDOME FOLLIES THEATRE

First & Carson TONIGHT Cy Perkins Big Country Store WITH A BIG MUSICAL REVUE Title Room 44 "You'll Laugh—You'll Scream" 300.00 IN PRIZES \$300.00 Given Away "You May Be Lucky"

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