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**LAS VEGAS WEATHER**  
JUNE 25—Maximum 108; Minimum 72.  
Precipitation .05.

**METAL MARKET**  
NEW YORK, June 25 (U.P.)—Copper, electro-lytic, spot and future, 8 1/2 cents. Lead, spot, New York, 4.40; East St. Louis 4.22. Zinc, East St. Louis, spot and future, 3.55 to 3.60. Bar silver 28 1/2 cents.

**Boulder Dam Project**  
The Progress of this Vast Engineering Work is Fully and Accurately Covered. Associated Press and United Press Wire Service Bring News of the World to This Paper—A Leader For More Than A Quarter Of A Century.

## Post and Gatty Take Off Again On Siberian Hop; Danes Land At Bremen

### START LONG FLIGHT TO PACIFIC COAST

Liberty Crew Is Held In Germany; Made Mistake in Fueling Treacherous Route Is Ahead of Americans Over Ural Region

BY EUGENE LYONS  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
MOSCOW, June 26 (Friday) (U.P.)—The American fliers, Wiley Post and Harold Gatty, arrived late yesterday from Berlin, rested a few hours and departed in the white monoplane Winnie Mae at five o'clock this morning (9 p.m. Thursday E.S.T.) on the Siberian stage of their flight around the world.

The speedy plane was headed over the Ural, across the desolate and dangerous regions of the interior, toward Novosibirsk and Irkutsk, some 2,600 miles away. They expected to complete the longest stage of their journey by tonight.

**LAND IN GERMANY**  
BREMEN, Germany, June 25 (U.P.)—The monoplane Liberty in which Otto Hillig and Holgar Hoirris were en route from Newfoundland to Copenhagen, landed here tonight after a hazardous trans-Atlantic flight, on which they were lost in storms and driven far off their route.

**ERROE MADE**  
The big craft landed at 10:30 p.m. (4:30 p.m. E.S.T.), after a flight from Krefeld, in the Rhine valley, where they first landed in Europe this afternoon.

Hillig and Hoirris—who fought storms and high winds for 32 hours on their flight across the Atlantic—were unable to complete their flight to the Danish capital, although they were only 200 miles from their goal.

At Krefeld, an error was made in refueling the plane. They asked for 50 gallons of gasoline and continued the flight an hour and a half later, only to discover that the mechanics had misunderstood instructions and put 50 liters of gasoline in the plane. The Liberty already had passed over Bremen, but Hillig and Hoirris decided to turn back, landing here at 9:50 p.m. (3:50 p.m. E.S.T.), according to the official timing at the field.

Both were exhausted when they landed their plane at the Bremen airdrome and they retired immediately, almost too worn out to speak.

### MAY CONTEST SUIT



Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt (right) posing with Mrs. True Vencill in front of the Vencill home in Reno, where Mrs. Vanderbilt has been residing since the much-mooted divorce case concerning her husband and Peter Arno, the artist. William Woodburn, Mrs. Vanderbilt's attorney, announced that she would contest her husband's divorce complaint either through an answer or a cross-complaint.

### VANDERBILT GOES WESTERN; LOADS HIS 'DEADLY' GUN

RENO, June 25 (U.P.)—Just when everyone thought the Vanderbilt-Arno feud was going to be settled with subpoenas, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., went "western" again today.

Told that members of the Arno camp were target practicing, Vanderbilt said: "My guns are loaded—now. Anyway, I don't need target practice. I have four medals for expert marksmanship and can hit a bullseye—his eyes narrowed—whomever that might turn out to be."

### NEVADA YOUTH TO GO TO CAPITAL

CARSON CITY, June 25 (U.P.)—Governor Balzar and Superintendent of Public Instruction W. W. Anderson expect to select within the next few days a boy or a girl from a Nevada school to go to Washington, D. C., to participate in tests designed to determine the value of sound films in public school instruction.

### HOPELAND TO BE BURIED IN NORTH

Raymond Hopeland, who died at a local hospital after being brought here from Boulder City following a case of heat prostration, will be buried at Seattle, Wash.

### TRADER HORN DIES

LONDON, June 26 (Friday) (U.P.)—Alfred Aloysius Horn, 82, known in many parts of the world as "Trader Horn" died at Whitehall early this morning, the Central News reported.

### Woman Magistrate Found Guilty Of Five Counts Of Malfeasance In N. Y.

NEW YORK, June 25 (U.P.)—New York's courts of justice moved in record time today and before sundown the following important actions had been written on their records:

1. Magistrate Jean Norris, first woman to hold such a position, had been found guilty of five counts of malfeasance before the appellate division of supreme court and had been ordered removed from the bench.
2. Ten minutes after the justices' decision in the Norris case, Magistrate Jesse Silberman went on trial in the same courtroom on charges he was unfit to continue on the bench.
3. Isidor J. Kresel, former prosecutor in the minor courts investigation, was indicted on perjury

### STIMSON WILL GO TO ROME FOR DEBT PARLEY

Delicate Negotiations Being Carried On By Mellon in Paris

Italy's Full Okay Of Hoover Moratorium Plan Is Assured

By CHARLES M. McCANN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, June 25 (U.P.)—With delicate French-American negotiations continuing over President Hoover's proposal for a one year postponement of war debt and reparations payments, Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson announced today that he would sail Saturday on a 10-day ship for Italy.

Stimson's announcement was open to the interpretations—that there was no need for him to remain here, or that they were going so slowly it was thought necessary for him to reinforce Secretary of Treasury Andrew W. Mellon who arrived in Paris today.

Stimson will be in close touch with the President and the state department, where William R. Castle, undersecretary, will be in charge. Castle, and Ogden L. Mills, Mellon's undersecretary of treasury, will handle negotiations with the President here.

Stimson said he had not replied to the French note declining the Hoover proposal as it stood and suggesting that Germany pay the "fixed" portion of her reparations into the bank of international settlement, which could lend it back if necessary.

Stimson saw French Ambassador Paul Claudet, this afternoon, and explained to him the American objections. It was gathered that he re-emphasized that the plan must be effective promptly.

It was considered possible that before a formal note declining the French proposal was sent, Mellon would try to lay a basis for quick solution of the differences. If formal notes by way of preliminary negotiation, an American note declining the French proposal as it stands, and a French reply, accepting the Hoover plan in broad principle.

### COAST LEAGUE SCORES

Missions	500 000 001 6 14 1
San Francisco	401 000 000 5 11 0
Zahniser, Caster and Hoffman.	Davis, Delaney and Mealy.
Hollywood	204 021 000 9 9 0
Los Angeles	000 000 100 1 7 3
Bray and Mayer.	Herrmann, Nelson and Campbell.
Oakland-Portland and Sacramento-Seattle games, postponed due to rain and wet grounds.	

## Los Angeles Heat Kills One; Loss Caused By Lightning In California

WHERE 40 NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH



Forty passengers on a Long Beach, Cal., electric train narrowly escaped being burned to death when the car crashed into a tank truck containing 5,000 gallons of gasoline. The truck was completely demolished, although Robert Fair, driver, incurred minor injuries. Photo shows the wreckage of the truck, whose tank burst and drenched the train with gasoline, which miraculously did not catch fire.

### CHILDREN ARE BURNED WHEN BOLT HITS TREE

Middle-West and East Struck By Intense Heat Wave

Stock Shipped From N. Dakota to Escape Starving to Death

LOS ANGELES, June 25 (U.P.)—Heat and freakish electrical storms "unusual" for this section, assailed southern California today, causing at least one death.

CHICAGO, June 25 (U.P.)—A brassy sun sent midwestern thermometer sunbathing toward an almost unbearable 100 mark today. So humid was the air, reaching a moisture count of 76 in Chicago, that pedestrians dripped perspiration, clammy shirts slung to claimants backs and few were the citizens who all the day without unbuckling their collars.

### START SEARCH FOR SEEKER OF LOST MINE

By GEORGE D. CRISSEY  
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PHOENIX, Ariz., June 25 (U.P.)—Fear that a life had been claimed in proving the truth of an Indian legend was expressed here tonight as search was started in the rugged Superstition mountain range of central Arizona for A. Ruth, 65, missing for two weeks.

Little hope is entertained by the searching party. There is practically no water in the Superstition country and the precipitous walls and twisting canyons offer a constant hazard even to experienced mountaineers.

Advised of her husband's disappearance, Ruth's wife in Washington telegraphed Sheriff J. R. McFadden of Maricopa county and urged him to spare no effort in the hunt. A reward of \$100 for finding Ruth or the body was offered.

### SCOTTY TAKES TO AIR; TO TRY HOP IN RECORD TIME

LOS ANGELES, June 25 (U.P.)—Death valley Scotty, of the "fabulous desert gold mines," announced today that he would attempt to break the transcontinental speed record in a flight with James Hall, noted broker-aviator of New York.

### EINSTEIN ASKS PARDON

SACRAMENTO, Calif., June 25 (U.P.)—Governor James Rolph Jr. today received a letter from Albert Einstein, world famous scientist, urging "absolute pardon" for Tom Mooney and Warren K. Billings.

### MEMORIAL CEMETARY FOR DAM HEROES IS PLAN OF CRAGIN

By NEVADA NEWS BUREAU  
Leading a movement to suggest to the federal government the creation of a memorial cemetery somewhere in the national government's reservation near Boulder City, May-Ormie Cragin, of Las Vegas, is taking steps to place the suggestion in concrete form.

Recent incidents in the dam area show that the great enterprise will inevitably claim the lives of many workers before the great job is completed in the fall of 1937. These men will give their lives for the greatest engineering undertaking of its kind that the world has yet known. They are the soldiers on the firing line of the great construction army who pay the supreme sacrifice for the progress of a great reclamation project which will bring happiness and prosperity to generations yet unborn.

It would be a fitting thing that these men should receive the respect and recognition which a memorial cemetery with standard headstones and a suitable monument to their sacrifice would give.

### DAM WORKERS TO BE DOUBLED

LOS ANGELES, June 25 (U.P.)—Felix Kahn, treasurer of Six Companies, Inc., said at present a total of 2,250 men were employed on railroad and other construction on the big Hoover dam project.

### FILM DIRECTOR GOES INTO COURT

LOS ANGELES, June 25 (U.P.)—L. S. Van Dyke, well known screen director, carried an argument with the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios over his contract into superior court today.

### MURDERER NEAR DEATH; KNIFED

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., June 25 (U.P.)—One prisoner was near death and another was in solitary confinement tonight at the Texas state penitentiary here as the result of a knife fight in the dining room today.

### PITTSBURGH MAYOR IS INDICTED FOR FOOD BUYING FRAUD BY GRAND JURY

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 25 (U.P.)—Charles H. Kline, who retired as a common pleas court judge to become mayor of Pittsburgh in 1926, was indicted by a grand jury today on 48 counts of malfeasance in office in connection with the city food purchasing.

The grand jury. Mayor Kline faces removal from office if he is convicted. Legal authorities said today. They based their conclusions on the cases of Joseph Cauffiel, former mayor of Johnstown, Pa., and a former board of county commissioners of Luzerne county who were removed after the state's highest courts upheld their convictions of misbehavior in office.

### RAIN IS BOON

Temperatures got almost to 95 in Memphis, Tenn., but the heat combined with rains during the last few days proved a boon to cotton farmers in northeast Arkansas and western Tennessee.