

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

LEAVE FOR HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Reed Tanner, accompanied by their daughters, Jane and Lucille, left last night for their home in Eureka. They have been spending the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Olson of this city.

BACK FROM SAN BERDOO
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lawrence and baby daughter, returned home last night from San Bernardino, where they spent the week-end on a short pleasure trip.

RETURN TO OVERTON
John Bunker and his son, Merlin, have returned to their home in Overton, after spending the past two days in Las Vegas on business.

FROM BUNKERVILLE
The following residents of Bunkerville spent the week-end in Las Vegas on a combined business and pleasure trip: B. T. Crawford, J. E. Barnier, Felix Higgins, Elsie Leavitt, Mrs. Andrew Paulspher and daughter, Dora, and Marjorie Knight.

TO LIVE IN L. A.
Mrs. Earl Shipley and baby daughter left recently for Los Angeles, where they expect to make their home with Mr. Shipley, who is attending a law school there. Mrs. Shipley was formerly Miss Anna Bunker of this city.

JERRELLS RETURN
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jerrell and family arrived in Las Vegas yesterday from Rock Springs, Tex., and will remain here indefinitely. Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell are old-time residents of the Goodsprings mining camp.

VISITS IN VEGAS
J. C. Roote, a resident of Milford, Utah, spent Sunday in this city visiting his niece, Miss Adrienne Roote, and her mother, Mrs. Sadie Furlong.

VISITORS LEAVE
Will Lee and his son, Terry, spent the week-end in Las Vegas visiting

Mr. Lee, who is spending the winter months here with her daughter, Mrs. Maxwell. They returned to their home in Caliente yesterday.

MRS. LACKEY ILL
Mrs. Pearl Lackey, employee of the Second Street grocery, is confined to her home on account of illness.

BRINLEY STILL ILL
J. Harold Brinley, science teacher in the local high school, has been confined to his home for the past week with influenza and is still unable to resume his duties.

COHEN HOME
Louis Cohen, local attorney, has returned from a ten-day business trip in southern California.

WEEK-END VISITORS
Misses Hazel and Vera Hannig of Overton spent the week-end in Las Vegas visiting with relatives.

FROM LOS ANGELES
Mrs. J. R. Snyder of Los Angeles is spending a few days in this city looking over some property and visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Deverell and family.

BUSINESS VISITOR
Lake City is spending several days in Las Vegas on business.

RETURN TO SCHOOL
Mrs. Roland Wiley and Miss June Simon left Sunday evening for Los Angeles to resume their studies at the Woodbury's business school after spending the week-end in this city with relatives.

MINERS RETURN
Edgar F. Mineer, superintendent of the Moapa Valley schools, and his wife, returned to their home in Overton yesterday morning after spending Sunday in this city on a combined business and pleasure trip.

WERE HOUSE GUESTS
Misses Inez and Lafone Simon, students at Pomona, Calif., left last night for their home after spending the week-end in this city as the house guest of Mrs. Leon Peterson.

VISITING SON HERE
Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall of Klamath Falls, spending two weeks in Las Vegas visiting their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Marshall.

HARMONS RETURN
Mr. and Mrs. Harley A. Harmon returned last night from Los Angeles where they spent the week-end.

MRS. WOODARD WELL
Mrs. A. Woodard, who has been ill at her home for the past three weeks with pneumonia, was up Sunday, greatly improved.

BACK FROM FUNERAL
Andy Scallon, U. P. passenger conductor, returned Sunday from Anaconda, Mont., where he attended the funeral of his brother.

HAS SEVERE COLD
Mrs. Norman Scott has been confined to her bed for several days with a severe cold.

HARRY MARTIN ILL
Harry Martin, Union Pacific employee, has been quite ill for several days with a bad cold.

WELLS RETURNS
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wells of 118 North Eighth street returned from Los Angeles yesterday after spending the week-end visiting relatives.

MONTGOMERY BETTER
George F. Montgomery, who has been confined to his bed with influenza, is on the road to recovery, according to latest reports.

BACK FROM CARSON
Mrs. Frank Waite and daughter, Ethel Roy, local high school student, have returned from Carson City where they spent the past week visiting relatives.

MRS. SMITH IMPROVES
Mrs. Jessie Smith of South First street, who has been ill for some time with the flu, is doing nicely and is able to be up and around.

ENGLAND ILL
Harry England, Union Pacific fireman, is in the Las Vegas hospital, due to a severe case of influenza.

DAUGHTER VISITS
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Scott are enjoying a visit from their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nemeth of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beal, former residents of Las Vegas, who have been spending a few days in this city, are leaving this morning for their home in Los Angeles. This is the first time Harry Beal has seen Las Vegas since he left here twenty-one years ago to go to the Imperial Valley to reside. Mrs. Beal has been here once only since then. Both are amazed at the progress of the city and if they could dispose of their interests elsewhere, would like to return to Vegas to make their home.

JAPAN'S ARMY OPENS HEAVY OFFENSIVE

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after a series of new violence on Monday. These included the Japanese seizure of the Hongkew district, a raid on the central post office, and an attack on the American-owned Texas corporation (Texaco) buildings at the mouth of the Yangtze by a Japanese destroyer, which was allegedly retreating against snipers.

Snipers continued to endanger the residents of the settlement as mobs of refugees increased in number, threatening serious disorders. Announcement in Tokio that a Japanese army unit would reinforce Japanese marines here, increased the tension in the city.

Monday was another day of increasing tension and alarm in the international settlement.

The fresh outbreaks of violence were many and far-reaching, but perhaps the most important development before dusk was the action of the Japanese marines in taking complete control in the Hongkew section of the settlement. This section is normally guarded by Japanese, but their aggressive action in taking it out of the hands of the settlement police and putting it in strictly military control foreboded new and more serious developments for foreign residents, including the 5,100 Americans in the settlement.

AREA MENACED
Japanese Captain Baron Sameyima, commanding marine headquarters, notified the settlement police that all police stations in Hongkew must be closed and that no police must be seen on the streets between 6 p. m. Monday and 5 a. m. Tuesday. This area has been seriously menaced by snipers who have terrorized the entire settlement for five days, and the Japanese used this as a pretext for taking control.

Japanese marines shot out all street lights in Hongkew after occupying it and it was believed they intended to take the most drastic action to clean out the snipers, possibly following the methods used on the Chapel (native) district,

which included bombing and burning the sniper positions. Sandbag barricades were erected along Mingheng road, 100 yards from the Hongkew police station gate, and machine guns were mounted, pointing toward the station. Barbed wire barricades were erected by the Japanese around Hongkew and they appeared to be determined to subdue all opposition in the district.

ORDERS EVACUATION
Japanese Minister Mamoru Shigemitsu, who returned today from conferences in Tokio, unofficially advised all Japanese women and children in Shanghai, totalling some 18,000, to evacuate. Previous to most of them have moved out of the threatened parts of the Hongkew district. Many of them will go to Japan and others will sail for the Japanese-owned area of Dairen at the southern tip of Manchuria.

Other incidents of aggressive violence occurred when the Japanese closed the central postoffice and when a Japanese destroyer opened fire on the Texas corporation (Texaco Oil company) buildings at the mouth of the Yangtze river. Both acts were alleged to have been caused by Chinese snipers.

In addition the Japanese landed 300 marines at Kiaochow creek in the Pootung section, across the Shanghai river, downstream from Shanghai. Mayor Wu Teh-Chen announced. The landing point was near the Vacuum Oil installation.

The Japanese marines seized the postoffice late in the day, closing the doors to all residents of the settlement and refusing permission for employees to collect or send out mail. All persons calling for mail were curtly ordered to move on.

RUSS GUARD POSTOFFICE
The Japanese claimed that snipers were operating from the central postoffice building. A Russian detachment of Shanghai volunteers had been guarding the

post office, but the marines took command for several hours while the police attempted to avert a clash. Later the marines withdrew, leaving the Russian detachment on guard but isolated from other foreign guards by the Japanese marines patrolling the district.

The incident at the Texas corporation buildings occurred after Chinese villagers in the neighborhood had set off a large number of firecrackers in some minor celebration. According to the best account of the affair, the Japanese apparently mistook the sound of the firecrackers for shooting and sprayed the American company's buildings with machine-gun fire. The windows were shattered but otherwise there was slight damage. An adjacent Chinese installation and the nearby Asiatic Petroleum corporation plant also were reported to have been fired on.

At dusk the city was prepared for another night of terror, although hopeful that no major fighting would occur. Snipers continued active, smashing the glass in two automobiles in front of the Bank of Communications, which is on the waterfront in the settlement.

An American girl, whose baby had been taken to the French concession for safety, attempted to cross the Garden bridge to the concession, but was halted by Japanese marines. They refused to permit her to continue, despite the fact that she was escorted by the settlement police.

The French concession, which has been least menaced by snipers, was more tense than previously. Barbed wire barricades were erected at all approaches, while tanks and French soldiers armed with machine guns patrolled the streets.

A curfew law, forbidding all assemblies and banning any loitering on the streets, was in effect throughout the settlement, in sharp contrast to the gay night life of the

CUPID GIVEN FIRST ROUND WITH DIVORCE

Li Dan Cupid started the year 1932 off with an overwhelming decision over Ol Man Divorce Court in the first round of their annual twelve round battle.

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SOUND EFFECTS ADD NEW THRILLS TO BIG PARADE AT EL PORTAL TODAY

A rare treat is in store for Las Vegas moviegoers starting today at El Portal theater, for "The Big Parade," King Vidor's masterpiece, has been reissued by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer with sound effects and will be shown at this theater for two days.

Time has not lessened the effectiveness of this picture which will go down into history as the most stirring and realistic story of the World War. Its tremendous scenes are given added spectacle through being heard as well as seen, for now we not only see the gripping episodes in which the American soldiers stalk through Belleau Wood in the face of terrific machine-gun fire to be mowed down like so much hay, but hear the guns, airplanes, explosions and incidental sounds as well.

PATRIOTIC FEVER REALISTIC
Sound has also been employed to advantage in the scenes in which the hysterical fever of the populace is at its height at the beginning of the war with its parades, flag-waving, good-byes to the enlisted men and other manifestations of the patriotic fervor. Again the sound of the moving trucks and marching men adds thrills to the stirring sequence in which Renee Adoree, as the French girl, looks for John Gilbert as the regiment moves to the

front, finds him at the last minute and sinks to the roadside clutching the old shoe which he has thrown her.

The humorous scenes, in which Karl Dane as the champion tobacco-chewer of the company and Tom O'Brien as the hardboiled corporal figure, are also given added laughs by the addition of sound.

NOTHING TO EQUAL IT
As a moving, tender and gripping story of the experiences of an American soldier, "The Big Parade" has never been equaled in either silent films or the talkies. The performances of both John Gilbert and Renee Adoree in this picture are considered among the outstanding portrayals of the screen. With its beautiful musical score intact and with the additional thrills of sound synchronization, this picture will again grip the thousands who first viewed it in the silent days while for those who missed the original production—it will prove a revelation.

If Mrs. Fred Cook will call at The Age office she will receive a free ticket good for today only at El Portal theater.

city under normal conditions.

The arrival of the 31st United States infantry from Manila, will mark the first landing of American troops (as distinct from marines) in Shanghai since 1900. British reinforcements en route include the second battalion of the Argyll and the Sutherland highlanders, known as "The Ladies from Hell," who sailed from Hong Kong on H. M. S. Berwick. French troops also were ordered from Indo-China.

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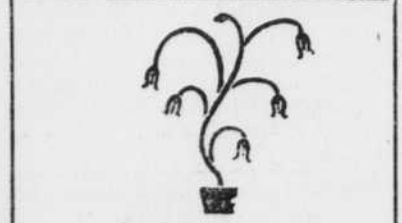
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