

# BOULDER CITY

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## NEV. CONSTRUCTION STARTS WORK ON BOULDER'S THEATRE; TO OFFER STAGE PRODUCTIONS

### Gala Opening Planned For May 1; House To Seat 800

With a gala opening planned for May 1, construction started yesterday on Boulder City's new 800 seat theatre.

The Nevada Construction Company was awarded the contract last week at the opening of bids at Long Beach, in the face of bids from practically every construction firm in Las Vegas. They have set up an erection schedule of ten weeks on the job, and already have several tractors and a crew of men doing the excavation work.

The new theatre will have an ample stage, and the Capitol theatre corp., Ltd., has announced that stage productions will be presented and first run motion pictures shown for Boulder City movie fans. Milton Arthur, of the Capitol Theatre Corp., is also one of the executives of the Fox West Coast theatre group, and Fox productions will be featured.

The building is to be of concrete block construction, two stories in height, and will follow the Spanish motif in architecture. The theater portion of the building will have a roof supported by arch trusses, allowing sixty feet of clear space over the seats. Up to the minute heating and ventilating plants will be installed, and the interior decoration will be handled by the West Coast theatres' decorators. The total cost of the building will be in excess of \$50,000.

The plans also call for two stores, each 22 x 40 feet in size, one on each side of the foyer. The second floor at the front of the building will be occupied by offices.

## LEGION DRIVE HAS BIG START

The drive for membership in the American Legion post 31, Boulder City, that has been in progress for several days, is advancing favorably, according to Commander R. F. Skinner. Steve Bending joined last Saturday by sending in his application from San Francisco. Pete Hansen, who is in charge of the graveyard shift at the upper end of the river; C. M. Funston, engineer; Roy Mainville, government paving engineer; and C. M. Russell, carpenter foreman at the gravel plant, are among the latest members to join. In the future, any ex-service men who wish to sign for membership, may do so by leaving their dues with any of the committeemen.

## AUXILIARY WILL MEET AT BOULDER

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the school house on New Mexico street and Avenue B. The goal of the auxiliary is to better conditions for the organization and inspire deeper interest in ex-service men's wives, daughters, sisters and mothers. Women who are eligible for membership are urged to attend the meeting tonight.

## ANOTHER SCHOOL FOR BOULDER NOW OPEN AT R. R. "Y"

School opened last week at the railroad Y in a frail wooden structure hurriedly put together by parents. It was announced by Mrs. Anna F. Bissell, teacher, who will conduct the classes.

Nine families have registered with the teacher and sent their children to school, and seven more have applied for registration. Up to date, there are twenty pupils attending the lower grades in the new school and about twenty-five more, the capacity, are expected to start some time this week.

Mrs. Bissell states that she is planning to teach the upper grades, and her tuition fee is \$1.00 per week for one child and \$1.50 per week if there are two children of the same family, but in case there are three children of the same family, the fee will be only \$2.00 per week.

She has furnished all school books by appealing to friends in California, where she formerly taught school, but she has been unable to secure enough histories and geographies. Mrs. Bissell is a graduate of state normal, and has taught school in four different states. She holds a teacher's certificate.

## WOMEN INVITED TO SEWING BEE

A sewing bee will be held this afternoon between 1 p. m. and 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Lee Holland, who resides in the Railroad Y at Boulder City. Mrs. Holland sends her invitation through the columns of Las Vegas Age, and cordially invites mothers and their little babies to attend. She announces she will be glad to offer instructions in needlecraft and will furnish the sewing machine and patterns. Mothers with babies will always find Mrs. Holland at home in her large, comfortable tent, ready to receive, assist and welcome them.

## FIRST WIENER ROAST IS HELD

The reservation's first outdoor wiener roast was held Saturday evening on the north side of the reservation and was reported to be a success.

Those who took part were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe, Miss Billie Roe, Miss Florabel Keeler, and Miss Lucile Burrough.

## HERSCHERS ARE PARENTS OF BABE

Another citizen of Boulder City was born Sunday morning at the Las Vegas hospital. Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Herscher are the proud parents of the baby girl, who weighed seven and a half pounds at birth. Both mother and daughter are reported to be getting along nicely. Dr. Herscher is a member of the staff of the Boulder City hospital.

## BOULDER BRIEFS

### JOINS LEGION

W. A. Bechtel, Jr., who recently visited Boulder City, was made a member of the American Legion post 31, at Boulder City. Bechtel served as a private with the engineers in France.

### MOTORS TO VEGAS

Mrs. L. W. Keeler motored to Las Vegas Monday on business.

### VISITS SISTER

A. C. Reed of San Diego, Calif., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Poole, who has just returned to her Boulder City home from the hospital, where she underwent an operation.

### CONFINED TO HOME

F. W. Julian, employed by the Six Companies, Inc., is confined to his home, suffering from a boil on his arm.

### VEGANS VISIT

Miss Mary Strauss, accompanied by Miss Gertrude George, Miss Helen Smith and Miss Cramer, all of Las Vegas, were in Boulder City Saturday afternoon on a visit.

### INJURES FOOT

Miss Provost, who teaches the second grade at the Boulder City schools, is suffering from an infected foot.

### VISITS FRIENDS

Mrs. Steve Wentz motored into Las Vegas Saturday and spent the day visiting friends.

### PLEASURE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stieckney, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Applegate, Mrs. Norma Curtis and George Pults, motored to Las Vegas Saturday afternoon on a pleasure trip.

### HOYT ILL

Wilbur Hoyt, who is in the Boulder City hospital, is reported to be seriously ill.

### CONFINED TO BED

Mrs. Lenord Wilson of Williamsville is confined to her bed in the home of Mrs. Rex Williams.

### FROM COAST

Ollie Schiber, estimating engineer for the Metropolitan Water district, accompanied by Mrs. Schiber and H. C. Chadwick of Los Angeles, spent the week-end in Boulder City.

### PARTY VISITS

James Cashman, accompanied by a party of friends, was in Boulder City Sunday on a visit.

### MORANS LEAVE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moran left Boulder City last Friday for Los Angeles where they will spend a few days on business and pleasure.

### ENTERTAINS VEGAN

Mrs. Charles Richard of Boulder City entertained Miss Hallie Howarth of Las Vegas Sunday.

### FINNEYS IN VEGAS

J. L. Finney, accompanied by his daughters, Virginia and Lucille, spent the week-end in Las Vegas, returning to Boulder City yesterday.

## OGDEN MILLS PREPARES TO TAKE OVER MELLON'S POST AS HEAD OF U. S. TREASURY

By CHARLES M. McCANN  
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. (U.P.)—Ogden Livingston Mills, apparently just launched at 47 on a brilliant political career, prepared today to take over from his chief, the 79-year-old Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, the hardest job in President Hoover's cabinet. Mellon's appointment as ambassador to Great Britain, the most prized diplomatic post, after eleven years as head of the treasury was overshadowed here today by the news that Mills, for four years his undersecretary, would succeed him.

Both men commented characteristically today on their new posts. Mellon, fragile, white of face and hair, between puffs at one of his little cigarette-shaped cheroots, broke a five year rule and talked publicly to newspaper men of his work and his philosophy.

"One has to change about in 'this life,'" he said. "I feel the change in the treasury should be made at once."

"Of his ideas of life he said: 'The purpose of life is to be occupied and serve in the most useful capacity, provided it is honest endeavor. The question is to find where one can give the most service. My main pleasure in work is being able to accomplish results.'"

One of the results of which he is proud is that he reduced the public debt by \$10,000,000,000; another that he helped to beautify Washington, for the grandiose scheme for improving the capital was under his jurisdiction.

Mills, cocky, somewhat hard-boiled when he is not glassily suave, but naturally of easygoing, good natured temperament, laughed off questions as to his own new work. It is not new to him, really for he has been carrying most of the load of the treasury work for many months, particularly the monumental task of dealing with the foreign debt problem.

He commented briefly on the probable rapidity of Mellon's demobilization as secretary.

He said this as he left the White House after his usual morning visit to President Hoover. A few minutes later, after a ride down Pennsylvania avenue in his old limousine, Mills was talking to Speaker John N. Garner of the house regarding taxes.

Mills, a man of great wealth, is a lineal descendant of Robert Livingston, who administered the oath of office to George Washington. He is an astute politician, who after graduating in three years from a four year Harvard course went into training as a ward healer and a quick thinking financial expert, who did most of the spade work on the moratorium and other

problems of his momentous year. He is a lover of horses, a yachtsman and a World war soldier. Mellon, mellowed by the years, sometimes called the richest man in the country, was recently under fire before a senate committee as a participant in a \$2,000,000,000 oil concession in Columbia. He is facing impeachment charges before the house judiciary committee on the ground that his great wealth and complicated holdings disqualify him for his post as guardian of the federal treasury, and starts a completely new job at an age where most men have been in retirement for years.

## MONDAY IN CONGRESS

By United Press

### HOUSE

Directed coinage committee to investigate cause of great drop in silver prices and means of stabilizing value of metal.

Agriculture committee rejected senate bill proposing to distribute 40,000,000 bushels of farm board wheat to feed unemployed.

Merchant marine committee reported favorably a measure to end week-end "whoopie cruises" outside 12 mile limit by foreign ships. Appropriation sub-committee left intact the \$11,369,000 appropriation for federal prohibition enforcement, but slashed funds for other agencies.

### SENATE

Senator Cordell Hull, Dem., Tenn., charged the "economic isolation" policy of the administration was responsible for the depression.

Chairman Bingham of the insular affairs committee opposed Philippine independence proposals because of the situation in the Far East.

Senator Wheeler, Dem., Mont., told the senate the power trust was endeavoring to prevent the nomination of Governor Roosevelt in order to keep the power question from becoming a major campaign issue.

A bill to prevent use of butter substitutes by federal departments and agencies will be introduced soon by Senator Elaine, Repn., Wis.

The \$375,000,000 LaFollette-Costigan federal aid relief bill was attacked by Senator Black, Dem., Ala., as a "Hamiltonian measure," predicated on the belief that the people could not be trusted.

## CAL IS SUED FOR TALKING

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Feb. 8. (U.P.)—Former President Calvin Coolidge today was served with papers naming him co-defendant with the New York Life Insurance company in a \$100,000 damage suit.

The suit, brought by Lewis M. Tebbetts, St. Louis, Mo., insurance broker, charged Coolidge with defamatory statements in recent radio talks. The plaintiff asked \$50,000 compensation and \$50,000 punitive damages. Tebbetts' declaration charged that Coolidge warned radio listeners "to beware of certain insurance men" known as "twisters and extractors." Tebbetts said he had developed a new system of "form insurance" which Coolidge defamed.

## ESTATE FILED FOR PROBATE

Valued at \$42,800, the estate of Thomas Rowan was filed for probate yesterday morning by Stevens and Henderson, attorneys for Mrs. Rowan, executrix.

Rowan's will provided that four-fifths of his estate should go to his widow, the remaining fifth to be divided among relatives. The estate consisted of \$15,500 in Northern States Power company securities, \$21,500 in cash deposits in various banks, and the rest in local holdings.

Rowan was killed when he and two of his employees were run down by an automobile while trying to hail passing motorists on the Boulder highway.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

McCANN—LEASURE: J. H. 50, and Anna E. 40, both of Las Vegas. O'NEIL—MANSKY: Richard, 40, Chicago, and Blanche, 40, St. Louis, Mo.

LORENZEN—WARD: N. Henry, 43, Las Vegas, and Eunice L. 39, Long Beach, Calif.

FRANSEN—DIXON: Marvin K., 28, and Alpha, 19, both of Lancaster, Calif.

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## BUNKERVILLE NEWS NOTES

A shower was given Thursday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hafen, to help furnish their new home. Mrs. Earl, Mrs. Fish and Mrs. Bearson served lunch to all guests. Window shades, curtains, dishes, pictures and many useful articles were given. Mr. Hafen and his sons are busy painting and getting ready to move in this week.

The cement work is completed on the new bridge and it will soon be open to the public for travel.

Miss June Sprague and Walter Huntsman of Kaolin were married here Friday by Bp. Wm. Wittwer. Her mother, Mrs. Oliver Sprague, was here from Kaolin to attend the wedding. The young couple will make their home in Las Vegas for the present.

The basketball team left Friday for Tonopah and other towns to play the return games.

The Fireside Circle girls were entertained by Misses Dorothy Hunt, Mary Leavitt and Nettie Hardy last Wednesday night, at the home economics room. Refreshments were served and a jolly evening was spent.

## MARY LOU DAWN

WILL GIVE  
2 Free Lessons  
IN  
Class Dancing  
EVERY  
Wed. and Sat.  
AT 3:30 AND 4 P. M.  
GIVE THE CHILDREN THAT  
LONGED FOR OPPORTUNITY  
TO LEARN DANCING  
THE MEADOWS  
Mary Lou Dawn  
STUDIO OF DANCING

## PROCEEDINGS IN DISTRICT COURT

Hon. Wm. E. Orr presiding.  
FEBRUARY 8  
In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Tillingshast, McNamee & McNamee, attorneys for estate. Seventh account approved, etc.  
Lorenzen vs. Lorenzen. Decree granted. E. F. Dupray, attorney for plaintiff.  
C. L. Allison vs. First State bank of L. V., et al. E. F. Dupray, attorney for plaintiff. McNamee & McNamee, attorneys for First State bank of L. V.; Harry H. Austin, Albert Duffill, attorneys for defendant. Midland National bank of Midland, Tex. Trial.

If Mrs. E. G. Carr will call at the Age office she will receive a free ticket, good for today only at El Portal theater.

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Dozen  
Ways of  
Saying  
"Be My  
Valentine"

Strutwear Hosiery —  
to show Her how  
thoughtful you are.  
Chiffon, \$1.50  
pair  
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pair

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A gay, new Ann Pennington Scarf or an Ascot Tie will thrill her a-plenty \$1.25 at

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## The MEADOWS

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COMMENCING WEDNESDAY  
February the 10th  
Featuring  
MABEL WILSEY and BEULAH VAN  
with  
Six Snappy Steppers  
We are inaugurating luxurious state rooms on this date for those who desire to dine privately.

The Date:  
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February 10  
THE MEADOWS  
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## BOULDER CITY CLASSIFIED

### BEAUTY SHOPS

ALL LINES of beauty culture—real marcel—finger wave—hair cutting permanent wave. Mrs. L. P. Holman, 615 Ave. P., Boulder City. 341f

## PAIR-O-DICE CASINO

THIS WEEK'S  
Menu  
ONE DOLLAR DINNER

Italian Starter	Relish	Salami	Olives
Celery	Italian Peppers	Salad	
Canape or Salad	Soup	Italian Raviolas	Sea Foods
Broiled Lobster, With Lemon Butter	Half Dozen Oysters, Any Style	Broiled Halibut, Maitre D'Hotel	Fried Tenderloin of Trout, Tartar Sauce
Fried Fresh Shrimps, Parsley Sauce	Breaded Veal Cutlets, Tomato Sauce	Breaded Pork Tenderloin, Cream Sauce	Chicken Liver Omelette
Pair-O-Dice Special Club Steak, Broiled	English Pork Chops, Broiled	French Fried Potatoes with Any of Above	


SPECIAL DOLLAR AND A HALF DINNER

Broiled Pork Tenderloin, Fried Sweet Potatoes	No. 1 Eastern Steer Beef Tenderloin, Broiled	Special New York Sirloin Steak, Broiled	Half Spring Chicken, Maryland	Choice Dessert and Drinks with Either of Above Dinners
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COLD MEATS

Cold Sliced Chicken, Potato Salad	\$1.00
Cold Ham, Potato Salad	.75
Cold Beef, Potato Salad	.75
Cold Lobster, Mayonnaise Dressing	1.00
Cold Assorted Meats, Potato Salad	.75

With the above, you can dance the entire evening to the tunes of Howard Jones'  
5 ACES AND A QUEEN  
ORCHESTRA  
NO COVER CHARGE



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## LINCOLN

UNITED we stand, divided we fall"—a great saying of a great man—as true today as when he said it . . . true for all time to come. The country has just passed through a grave economic crisis — less perilous, of course, than a civil war—but nevertheless serious, in the amount of suffering it has caused.

The reconstruction period is now at hand, and we, as a nation, must stand united. Personal and local prejudices must be put aside in the common interest of bringing back happiness and prosperity to America and all her people!

## First State Bank

LAS VEGAS, NEVADA