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OBSERVATIONS Grist from the Daily Grind By C. P. S.

LAS VEGAS WEATHER May 6-Maximum, 72; minimum, 47. Precipitation, .15. For storm, .25. METAL MARKET NEW YORK, May 6. (U.P.) - Bar silver, 27.40-27.45 cents a ounce. Copper, 6 cents a pound. Zinc, 2.50 cents a pound. Lead, 2.90 cents a pound.

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.

PRESIDENT INSISTS President Hoover, in his second emphatic message to congress in two days, yesterday appealed to the people of the nation for support in balancing the national budget.

ASSASSINS Yesterday the president of France, Paul Doumer, was assassinated. There appears to be no particular reason for the crime except the dissatisfied "spirit of the times."

HOSPITALITY The Chamber of Commerce has been given the duty of raising the comparatively small sum of \$350 to add to other funds already available for the entertainment of the 200 delegates who will be in Las Vegas May 21 attending the Democratic state convention.

R. E. LAKE IS LAID AT REST The mortal remains of Robert E. Lake, sr., pioneer, archaeologist, miner and prospector, were reverently laid at rest in Woodlawn cemetery yesterday afternoon while the grey skies wept.

GOOD NIGHT A quaint old book or two to read, A merry verse or two to write, A humble prayer or two to plead, And then—good night.

15 NEW MEN JOIN V. F. W. Fifteen new members were initiated into the ranks of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their meeting held last night.

VEGAS LAWYER TAKES OWN LIFE IN L.A. Edward F. Dupray Is Found Dead by Maid In Hotel Room FAREWELL NOTE "Too Sick To Become Burden," Attorney Tells His Wife

LOS ANGELES, May 6. (U.P.)—Edward F. Dupray, 47, prominent attorney of Las Vegas, Nev., was found in his hotel room late today with his throat slashed, evidently by a razor blade. Police said he had apparently committed suicide.

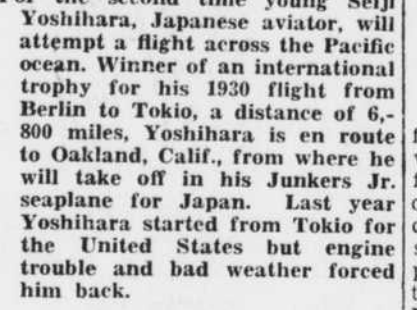
AT CLINIC When Dupray left Iowa he entered the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., and was a patient of that institution for one year. He left there to come to Las Vegas. Upon his arrival in the Nevada city he entered the legal department of the Union Pacific railroad, where he worked for more than a year.

'CASE GOODS' ARTIST FINED Aside from having his memory refreshed, Edward Miller, purveyor of case goods par-excellent, received a fine of \$250 when he appeared in municipal court yesterday morning to say "Good morning, Judge."

P.S.C. HEARING ON JEAN POSTPONED The hearing in the matter of the application of the Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad company to close the Jean, Nevada, station, which was originally scheduled to be held in Carson City on May 12, has been postponed indefinitely, according to word received yesterday from Lee S. Scott, secretary of the public service commission.

Cult Godivas In Jail Send Blush To Face Of Blustering Attorney As he waved an arm preliminarily to a serious harangue, some 30 odd women cultists doffed what few clothes they had retained and paraded slowly before him. Pooley returned, blushing, to Victoria.

TO DARE PACIFIC GRAND JURY IS GIVEN CASE OF GASTON MEANS Fiction-Like Ex-Agent Of Secret Service To Be Indicted STICKS TO STORY Six Thousand Dollars Allowed Means For Lindy Case Expense



NORFOLK, Va., May 6. (U.P.)—Another apparently fruitless cruise at sea in search of the kidnapped Lindbergh baby ended tonight when the yacht Maroon returned to its dock at the naval base. The yacht had gone out at 2 p. m.

WASHINGTON, May 6. (U.P.)—The fiction-like case of Gaston B. Means, who obtained more than \$100,000 from Mrs. Edward B. McLean to produce nothing more tangible than a series of melodramatic tales, was presented today to the grand jury of the District of Columbia.

MEANS STILL IN JAIL, UNABLE TO MAKE \$100,000 BAIL ON CHARGE OF LARCENY AFTER TRUST. In the jail corridor today he admitted for the first time that he had received \$100,000 from Mrs. McLean and that she had employed him on a retainer of \$100 a day to work on the Lindbergh kidnaping case.

HOUSEWAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE ADVERSELY REPORTED THE PATMAN \$2,000,000 SOLDIER BONUS BILL ANOTHER VETERANS BONUS COMPENSATION MEASURE WHICH HAD FRIGHTENED WALL STREET BECAUSE OF INFLATIONARY PROVISIONS AND WHICH WERE VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

FROM COAST Joe White, of Los Angeles, is spending the week-end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mikkelsen and on business.

STRAUGLE FOR BALANCE OF BUDGET By United Press The struggle for economy and a balanced budget which has dominated all congressional activities during the present session reached its peak Friday in a series of drastic moves in the nation's capital.

GIRL IN MYSTERY BEATING 19-year-old girl, her face bearing evidence of a brutal beating, was found on a highway near Santa Rosa, Calif., and has baffled police in search for her identity. Known now as "Mary Jones," the girl was believed to have been beaten and tossed from an automobile. Her mind wandering from the effects of blows, she has been too hysterical to speak.

N. Y. FIRE LOSS TWO MILLIONS MRS. MASSIE MAY BE HELD PROSECUTOR JOHN KELLEY MAY ATTEMPT TO HOLD THAILIS PORTUESCA MASSIE AS A MATERIAL WITNESS AT THE TRIAL OF FOUR ISLANDERS ACCUSED OF ATTACKING HER LAST SEPTEMBER 12.

ONE DEAD The death of one spectator and injuries to 267 firemen were officially reported and nearly 700 firemen were engaged on land and water. Most of the firemen injured were overcome by dense smoke which mushroomed all day from creosote-coated pillars.

T. G. D'BERRY IS ARRAIGNED Thomas G. DeBerry was arraigned yesterday morning in district court on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to do great bodily harm. Time for pleading was set for 10:50 this morning.

C. OF C. ASKS TAX DECISION A hurried meeting of the committee of the Chamber of Commerce of which Ryland Taylor is chairman, appointed some time ago to consider the matter of the relations of the state and county with Hoover dam reservation, was held last evening.

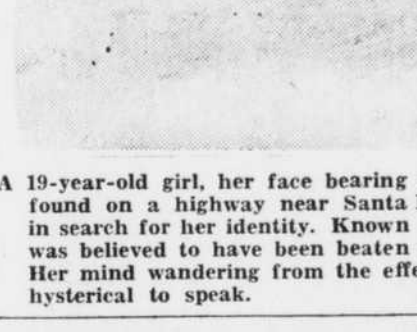
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President Doumer Of France, Dies From Wounds Inflicted By Russian Assassin; Medical Skill Is Futile

WASHINGTON, May 6. (U.P.)—The house ways and means committee went on record today against all soldiers' bonus plans, and then yielded to pressure from bonus advocates for a re-consideration which may open the way for bringing a measure to the floor.

Officials Deny Fanatic Russ Associated With Soviet



The president was fatally wounded by Dr. Paul Gorgoulloff at a book sale. Two shots were fired into his body and he collapsed into the arms of Francois Petri, minister of war, who was standing with him.

WILD OUTBURSTS Gorgoulloff was in chains at the central police station where he told his story in wild, incoherent outbursts. He had been saved from the mob with difficulty and the limousine that carried him to the station was stormed by a crowd at the Place Saint Philippe de Roule, where shouts of "kill him, give him to us," greeted the police guard.

FULMER SIFTS RANGER'S CASE United States Marshal Jake Fulmer will probably conclude today the investigation that he has been making of the alleged altercation in a downtown casino early Friday morning that landed Chief Ranger Claude Williams in the Las Vegas hospital.

SHELL EMPLOYEES TO GATHER HERE Dealers and employees of the Shell Oil company, with their friends, will be the guests of officials of the company at a banquet to be held at the Oasis cafe at 6 p. m. this evening.

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BONUS CHANGE SLIM, BUT MAY GET OVER The committee voted, 15 to 10, to report adversely the Patman and other bonus bills. This was generally interpreted as the end of the bonus as it left insufficient time for the house to consider it under the only procedure left, which is resort to a petition.

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PRACTICED MEDICINE Gorgoulloff said he was born in 1895, at Labenskaya, Russia, and had practiced medicine at St. Ruse Victor Cousin, Paris Latin quarter. "I am the assassin of the president of the Russian fascists," he said, "I spent much money defending my Russia, but Russia never gave me anything. I love immensely Mussolini and Hitler. I give my money, my life to my country. I am an idealist. I pray God to give me strength to die as a good soldier."

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