

OBSERVATIONS

Grist from the Daily Grind

By C. P. S.

BRIGHTEN UP LAS VEGAS is bright and fair this June morning. Bright with the desert sunshine on our wonderful green cottonwoods, and fair with the throng of interested and interesting Legionnaires and their ladies who are visiting us during the Legion convention.

WHAT MEN WILL It is said that men may make of a city what they will. Las Vegas has been fortunate in having been founded by men who were not content with simply wishing for things to come true, but they were willing to plan and work and wait for thoughts to grow into action, and action to shape itself into the material things.

MODERATE POLITICIAN The news dispatches tell us that Speaker Garner has opened elaborate headquarters in Chicago from which to promote his presidential candidacy.

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LAS VEGAS AGE SOUTHERN NEVADA'S LEADING NEWSPAPER

LAS VEGAS WEATHER June 8—Maximum, 90; minimum, 53. METAL MARKETS NEW YORK, June 8. (U.P.)—Copper, 5 1/2 cents pound. Lead, 3 cents pound. Zinc, 27.0-28.25 cents pound. Silver, July, 28.15-28.40 cents an ounce.

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.

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LEGION CONVENTION OPENS SENATE PASSES ECONOMY BILL

HEAVY SLASH IN EXPENSE WILL BE MADE

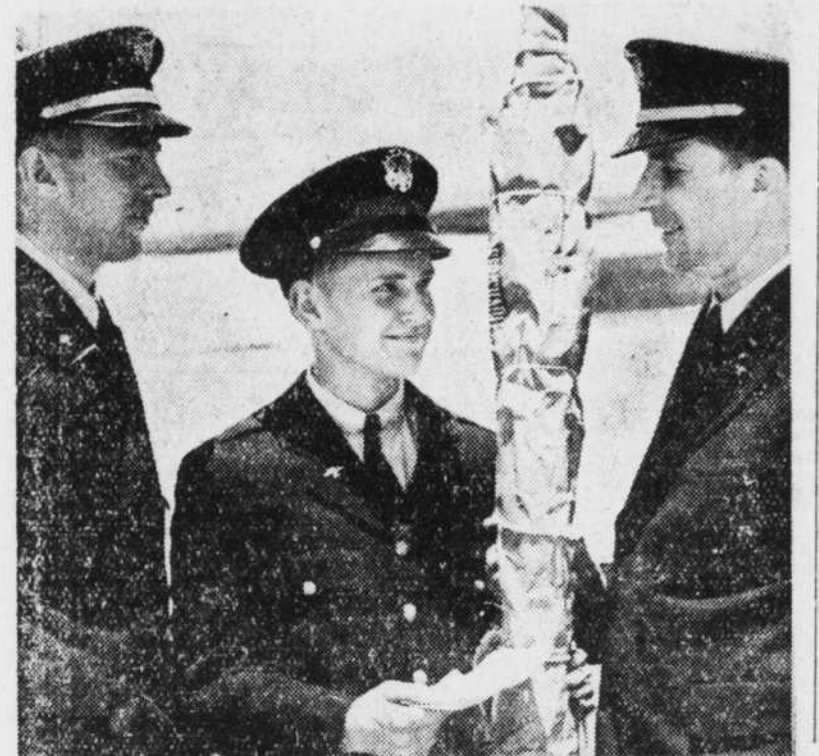
WASHINGTON, June 8 (U.P.)—The senate struck sharply at last obstacles to a balanced budget tonight when it passed by a viva voce vote the omnibus economy bill, calling for a reduction of approximately \$150,000,000 in government expenses.

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RETURN 'DOWN UNDER' VISIT



When the Monterey sailed from San Francisco on her maiden voyage she carried 12 members of the Young America league bound for Australia to return a good-will visit of "Young Australia" three years ago.

VETERANS STILL FLOCK TOWARD WASHINGTON IN BONUS DEMAND

WASHINGTON, June 8. (U.P.)—Leaders of the bonus expeditionary force, approximating a war-time general staff, met secretly in a little tourist hotel here tonight to work out plans for their siege of congress.

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Chauffeur Gets In Scrape And Can Blame Whole Thing On Coincidence

LOS ANGELES, June 8. (U.P.)—It was divorce day in the Ohanian-Casey families, with mother and daughter helping each other win divorce today.

FRIENDS TELL OF THREATS IN KEYES CASE

With a parade of witnesses for the state describing clues and telling of threats made by the defendant against the deceased, the hearing of Maurics Keyes charged with the murder of Leighton Ferris occupied most of the day in justice court yesterday.

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POLICE OFFICER MAY QUIT POST

The resignation of Day Sergeant Condo from Las Vegas police department was expected within the next few days it was learned yesterday. Although Condo could not be reached last night, Police Commissioner James said that he had not yet been advised of any such action by the officer.

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Greta Garbo Gets Pinched In Bank Trouble; Decides To Work Awhile

HOLLYWOOD, June 8. (U.P.)—Reports that Greta Garbo has signed a contract to continue her American film career were circulated today on the heels of rumors she suffered heavily when the Beverly Hills First National bank closed its doors.

DELEGATES TO SPEND THREE BUSY DAYS HERE

Slipping into Las Vegas at intervals throughout the night and still arriving at dawn this morning, delegates representing more than two thousand Nevada members of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary, were here today for the opening of the department convention.

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HUMAN LIFE HELD CHEAP

NEW YORK, June 8. (U.P.)—The cheapest commodity in the United States at the present time is human life, according to Frederick L. Hoffman, consulting statistician for the Spectator, insurance paper, who announced the results of a survey of suicides in 1931 showing 20.5 persons took their own lives for every 100,000 population during the year.

TO LIVE HERE Mrs. Frank Blackburn and son of Richfield, Utah, spent yesterday in Las Vegas on business and visiting the Hoover Dam, enroute to California, where they expect to spend their vacation.