LAS VEGAS WEATHER

June 17-Maximum, 99; minimum, 64.

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FATHER STEPS BEFORE GUN AS

Of Wounds

After driving 50 miles over wracking desert roads to take fresh provisions to his son, C. P. Moore, 51, met death yesterday at the hands of a drink-crazed stranger in the shadow of a mountain still. That is the story of witnesses to the shooting of the elder Moore, and the shooting of his assassin by Moore's son.

DRINKING BOUT

The still was operated, officers say, by the son, H. G. Moore, and his partner, W. T. Youree. Young Boston and the South Polar regions Moore, according to the witness. welcomed his father from Las Vegas yesterday. Then Russell appeared on the scene, from his cabin about six miles away, and joined in an impromptu drinking bout.

Russell was accompanied to the scene of the melee by three Vegas boys who had been visiting at his cabin for the past few days. They CAN'T LAST

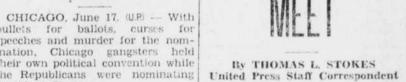
lives on north Twelfth street.



OAKLAND, Calif., June 17. (U.P. -The staunch cutter Bear - 20 vears ago a sea-going wreck of the Arctic floes-will stand out of

the Golden Gate tomorrow for Captain Benedick Yohansen, F blue-eyed Norse seafarer famed for his uncanny skill in crushing fields of ice, will take the Bear onto the high seas, bound for Boston, where his old chief. Admiral Richard E Byrd, will meet him for another jaunt into the Antartic.

"She can't last another season, were the two Haney boys, from the Westside, and the Fuller lad, who revenue cutter two decades ago. Her All three said they fied when the seams yawned open. Her hull was first shot was fired, and stayed hid- full of concrete ballast. Her masts



he Republicans were nominating President Hoover. NOMINEE DEAD Democratic vanguard moved upon

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GANGS USE

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ed Press.

'The body of the gangster's first this city today, even before the litbominee, George (Red) Barker, was tered debris of the Republican admitted "suggesting" that her husound today with 36 machine gun convention had been swept out, with oullets in it. Other nominees were all indications that prohibition, likechosen and their bodies likely will wise, would absorb the attention of e found from day to day, an un- the party's convention.

Jouett Shouse, the active chairlerworld source informed the Unitman of the national executive com-The gaugsters met in a loop mittee, arrived with the prediction hotel suite not far from the Con-gress, where the Republicans work- than the Republican prohibition ed out the details of Mr. Hoover's plank, but would not advocate outnomination. The criminal conven- right repeal. He thought that union ostensibly was to divide the doubtedly there would be a floor, ity into two equal parts, for the fight such as the Republicans whipupportioning of gambling profits ped up. between the Capone "syndicate" SEES A

SEES ANSWER TO G. O. P.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, June 17. (U.P) - The

and the Rump group led by Barker. In reality the convention was eld to choose a successor to "Scarface Al" Capone, who abdicated he presidency of Chicago's crimial element when the federal govrnment sent him to Atlanta peni-

entiary for income tax fraud. It developed at the meeting that

OAKLAND, Cal., June 17. (U.P)-A carefree youth and the plump, middle-aged social leader with whom he eloped, stood in the shadow of

LOVERS IN

SHADOW OF

HANG ROPE

ALIFORN

the gallows tonight, accused of a crime that strangely paralleled New hot steel plates and smoking embers York's famous Snyder-Gray case. The cold remorselessness with barred firemen tonight as they

which police said Mrs. Bess Nelson sought the remaining bodies of band be beaten to death, and the day when the British oil tanker boisterous joviality of her 25-year- "Cymbeline" exploded in drydock. old lover, Claude Forbes, caused of- There were 63 persons injured, As the dismal search continued ficials to doubt their sanity. If they

are found normal, they will be tried, into the night harbor boats turned their searchlights on the twisted.

TANKER

repairs after having gone aground LAUGHS AT DEED Forbes, husband of the Nelson in the St. maid, laughed when a policeman way came to his cell to tell him Nelson DRYDOCK LOST

had died. Later, he sang. had died. Later, he sang. The gray-haired matron with whom he eloped, leaving his own young wife and Nelson the only oc-cupants of the big Nelson home, dis-discovered by the heart of the city. The was estimated that more than the set of the city. Shouse saw the Democratic an-swer to the Republican prohibition cupants of the big Nelson home, disswer to the Republican prohibition plank in a decision to leave liquor centrol to the "wet" states, instead of having the federal government a window in the dark of night and a supervise the liquor-dispensing sys-tems. He thought otherwise the Democratic plank would provide, as

to tighten a loosened plate

Perfect Order Kept As Ex-Service Men Go Back To Camp After Bill Defeated; MONTREAL, June 17. (U.P)-Red "To Stay Until Paid," They Say

I FRANS

By CHARLES H. McCANN

TO STAY UNTIL PAID' THEY

WASHINGTON, June 17. (UP) - The senate tonight defeated the \$2,400,000,000 soldier bonus bill, 62 to 18. ignoring thousands of veterans who had marched dramatically from their muddy Anacostia camp to the capitol.

All hope that the bill would be considered again at this session was lost a few moments later when the senate charged with the gas-pipe murdes, their searchlights on the twisted, of Harry A. Nelson, Alameda country official and veteran of the World var's "lost battalion." searchlights on the twisted, tangled mass of wreckage, all that was left of the big tanker which had steamed into port for minor reconsider the or an antion to reconsider the great stone. Five thousand men were massed outside the great stone

Five thousand men were massed outside the great stone building as the senators voted one by one, with booming Lawrence river on her from Port Arthur, Texas. "noes" their refusal to pay veterans of the World war \$2.400,000,000 in war compensation certificates, demanded

by the bonus expeditionary force as Hundreds of veterans were in the gallery in their overalls and abtenneeves when the clerk amounced: The vote is 62 to 18 and the neasure is defeated."

They remained silent and began at once to file out into the dark corridors, to join their comrades

den until the arrival of officers, were loose. hours later. None of the boys are But the Bear steadily crashed more than fifteen years of age.

Young Moore, the three boys, and at ten knots. Eugene Meyer, who brought the She was built in the days when younger Moore to Las Vegas, were oak went into vessels and men put the witnesses who told their tales to, craft into their work. The Bear became a tradition in the north the investigating officers.

All said that the elder Moore met Grinding mountains of ice crushed his death when Russell threatened the ribs of other vessels, but the the son, only to have the father step old cutter pounded through to their between them and receive the bul- rescue let meant for his son, right between the eyes.

RUSHES FOR WEAPON

According to young Moore, he Yohansen was chief officer and ice then ducked away from Russell and pilot ran around his cabin away from the crazed gun wielder. He entered his sen and S. Edward Roos, chunky Valentine's day massacre when sevown cabin from the rear to arm sailor, remained with the Bear himself and looked out just in time when she was given to the city of to see Russell drawing a bead on Oakland by an act of congress. the sleeping form of Yource.

To avenge his father's death, but also to save Youree's life, young her from the city. A public auc-Moore shot through a hole in his tion was necessary to meet technicabin wall, his bullet entering Rus- calities. sell's left breast.

Vegas to report the affray, and to give himself up to the authorities. "My guess is we're going toward the South Pole," Yohansen ventur-Vegas to report the affray, and to Undersheriff W. T. Mott and Dep-

uty Sheriff Tony Martelletti, and announced his plans yet—but any-Coroner Springer, accompanied by way, we're headed for some palce." an ambulance from the Las Vegas funeral home, went immediately to the scene to investigate and bring the bodies back to Las Vegas. Meyer and Youree, to be held as witnesses, were also brought here, as were the three boys, who were returned to their homes.

MYSTERIOUS INCOME

Russell is known by Vegas residents to have a safe deposit box at the First State bank, and is thought to have a mysterious source of income. He has, on occasion, been known to have large sums of money on his person, and at other times to be almost penniless.

 As a sidelight on his present financial condition, it was revealed by the three boys that they had had little or nothing to eat for the past few days, with the exception of a few sips of water, and a small piece of cheese. Three well bred dogs were also found there, belonging to Russell, and all so underfed as to be unable to walk.

MINE FIASCO

The killing of C. P. Moore by Lawrence Russell, and his subsequent shooting by young Moore, is believed to date back to trouble starting with the activities begun in that neighborhood by the Hidden Forest gold mine fiasco last summer, according to local residents intimately acquainted with Russell.

Vegas acquaintances of Russell said that he was the first permanent settler at the location, and had established himself on a homestead, building a cabin and digging a well, long before any other people came Heim, Canbury, Conn. to live there. With the advent of

(Continued on Page Seven) City.

the underworld was like Medusahad too many heads. The old Capone group of Frank Nitti, Joe her way through Alaskan ice fields Fusco and "Machine Gun Jack" McGurn was there. The independ-

ents headed by Barker, "Lovin' Puddy" Anixter and Billy Skidmore, attended with guns in their pockets MORAN WANTS "IN"

amicable decision, according to word filtering from the inner circle, had Three years ago the Bear was not George (Bugs) Moran appearloaned to Admiral Byrd for his ed with "Klondyke" O'Donnell and

South Polar explorations. Captain Charles (Bub) Quillan to demand a third of the gambling profits.

each other.

Of that hardy crew, only Yohanthat his new gang, the "Irish boys,"

BOUGHT BY BYRD Byrd's agents recently obtained revenues.

The convention thus broke up in WANTS TO KNOW a battle of words. The dividing of An enterprising dealer Chicago was abandoned. out-bid Byrd's \$1,000, but was pre- "Red" and Nitti vowed that they With Meyer, he then drove to Las vailed upon to withdraw his offer. would operate gambling in Chi-

ed today. "I don't think the chief's

OFFICERS HOLD VEGAS MEETING The executive committee of the

local army reserve officers associafrequently in the past. tion met with President T. P. Ragsdale at the Hotel Apache coffee shop GOOD MARKSMANSHIP

last night, to complete arrangements for airplane flights by officers of Crawford avenue on Chicago's west Las Vegas and Boulder City. It is side. A window opened in a sec- big cities of the east. contemplated that these flights will ond floor flat. The nose of a subtake place June 25 and 26.

headquarters relating to the estab- mark. The assassins had lost none Alvin T. Hert, vice-chairman of the lishment of a "contact" camp for of their old-time expertness. Police said the "job" looked as if the women together for a little rally. local reserve officers, whereat trainit had been done by Nitti. As "the ing can be conducted through the

summer, were discussed, and prep-arations made to carry out the re-latter's heydey. Nitti devised the 'second floor plant" method of quirements. Officers attending the meeting murder.

include Major L. J. Howard, Major Other information, however, said L. E. Garberg, Capt. W. W. Weed, that Moran's "Irish boys" might Capt. H. O. Davis, Capt. D L Har- be arrested with better results, if ford, Lieut C. D. Baker and Lieut. the police really wanted to find the

T. P. Ragsdale. killers.

Shanghai Police Seeking American For Murder Of Connecticut Yankee

SHANGHAI, June 17. (U.P.-Inter- Hansen, former assistant manager ries about the early times and pio- ley night sought John Martin Hansen. said to have been an enemy of Brooklyn, N.Y., on a warrant charging him with the murder of R. K. Heim. Both men were recently discharged by bank officials.

Heim's body, riddled with bullets, Hansen had booked passage for plans to leave within a week for the Hidden Forest mine activity, was found on a road outside the the states on June 18. Heim had Pinile, Mont., where she will visit

planned to sail the following day. her mother, who is now 81 years old. I business.

modified an for 18th amendment, letting the states rid of my husband we could move handle the question for themselves. into my home in Oakland and live "I doubt very much," the chair- together," police claimed she said. man said, " that the Democratic party will go on record for repeal." In forecasting that the Democrats But their expectation that Mrs. would concern themselves princi- Forbes would divorce her errant men to bits, they said. pally with prohibition-as regards issue-Shouse pointed out he had

received 50 or more sample planks. They might have reached an ranging from the "most moderate Calif. submission proposals to the most extreme wet proposals."

death was planned. Shouse, who is the candidate of the anti-Roosevelt forces for permanent chairman of the conven- Oakland tion, reiterated today his name THOUGHT HE 'GOT' HIM

This uncertainty cropped up to-

national committee, who had called

TO GO NORTH

PAT M'GINNIS

Moran, it was said, had recov-1 would go before the convention. A ered from the terror of the St. battle over control of the convention will be waged at the outset. en of his henchmen were killed by with Senator Thomas J. Walsh. of machine gunners. He demanded Montana, as the opposing candidate of the Roosevelt forces. The executive committee chairman de-i be declared "in" any possible illicit

"Bugs."

They

machine gun poked out. It barked day in a meeting of Republican na-

western suburb, without help of

Most of the gambling houses

their lives. The small-time racket-

were swearing vengeance.

clined today to predict the outcome. him.' saving

Forbes had been unemployed for Nor would he discuss candidates. Asked his opinion about the nom-inee, he said, laughingly: inee, he said, laughingly:

She was socially prominent, and "I wish you'd tell me. I'm not in cago and in Cicero, the notorious the confidence of these candidates." a leader in veterans' auxiliary work. It was still prohibition that mon-

told Claude

hushand failed.

he told them.

VETS PLAN TO opolized the talk of Republicans as they caught early trains today and closed. The keepers dared not risk hurried away. Many are a bit du-**GET MEETING** bious as to the important step they eers peddled liquor to Republican have taken away from their longconvention visitors. The "big shots" | standing support of the 18th amend-

ment. This doubt appears among walked in terror-all but Barker, drys, who wonder how the people in and among the "wet" element which them to bring the 1933 meet to Las wanted to match the plank they Vegas, occupied the greater part of Last midnight he walked down felt the Democrats would adopt in last night's meeting of the Vegas order to attract the vote in the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Also coming up for discussion them from their bunks. were the plans now being formu-

lated to erect and dedicate seven Advices from ninth corps area 36 times. Each bullet reached its tional committeewomen with Mrs. tombstones over the graves of vet- LOCAL CLUBS ARE erans in the local cemetery. Eleven new members and one hon- RAIDED BY POLICE

Minnick, William A. Brown, Da- He was released on bond.

Miss Peggy Gates of Yakima, more than 60 years and for the past Washington, who has been visiting 30 years has lived in Clark county. His favorite pastime is recalling way back when," and he has a Sunday. Before she leaves, she will seemingly inexhaustible fund of stonational city and native police to-night sought John Martin Hansen.

home

FROM SEARCHLIGHT Mrs. Mary G. Powers, of Moapa Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hudgens of

that if we were officials of Canadi ualty lists, they said they believed \$2,400,000,000 Patman soldiers bonus the death toll would reach at least bill follows: She and the man eight years her Some of the bodies may never FOR, 18-Republicans, 7: Blaine, their defeat. junior eloped May 31, officers said. be recovered, so terrific was the ex- Wis.; Brookhart, Ia.; Frazier, N. D.; plosion, which blew many of the Norbeck, S. D.: Robinson, Ind.;

Schall, Minn.; and Steiwer, Ore. Eye-witnesses described the dis-They returned to Oakland, then aster, one of the greatest in the his- Black, Ala.; Bratton, N. Mex.; eloped a second time, to Santa Cruz, tory of this city. They said the big Broussard, La.; Byrnes, S. C.; Car- BAND PLAYS ship was in drydock with the work-There, police claimed, Nelson's men busily engaged in effecting re- W. Va.; Sheppard, Tex.; and Wheepairs, when there was a great bulge ler. Mont

Forbes spent ten cents for a piece amidships, followed by a loud exlead pipe, boarded a bus for plosion. Flames shot 100 feet into the air.

Most of the workmen on deck Idaho: Capper, Kans.; Carey, Wyo.; He entered the home by means of leaped overboard into the drydock.

a ladder, crushed the war veteran's some suffering broken arms and head with repeated blows, and then legs. A few were picked up and returned to his middle-aged partaken to various hospitals. Some of amour at Santa Cruz, officers said these later died.

"Claude said, 'Well, I think I got CLOTHING AFLAME

" police quoted Mrs. Nelson as front was shattered by the blast and E. I.; Moses, N. H.; Norris. Neb.; Every window along the water- lette. Wis.; McNary, Ore.; Metcalf.

scores of persons came running to Oddie, Nev.; Patterson, Mo.; Reed, the scene just as a second explo- Pa.; sion ripped the great steel vessel Utah; Thomas, Idaho; Townsend, wide open. Workmen, blinded by Del.; Vandenberg, Mich.; Walcott, ing the men to keep order. the blast, their clothing aflame, ran Conn.; Watson, Ind.; and White, screaming for help. Many of them Me.

were caught in the third and greatest explosion. They disappear- Barkley, Ky.: Bulkley, O.; Cohen, ed in the huge burst of flame which Ga .: Connally, Tex.: came with a deafening roar. It to- Mass.; Copeland, N. Y.; Costigan, ally wrecked the tanker.

The third blast killed four Mon- George, Ga.: Glass, Va.: Gore, house of representatives. real firemen, including Fire Chief Okla.; Harrison, Miss.; Hawes, Mo.; Raoul Gauthier, noted for his brav- Hayden. Ariz.; Kendrick, Wyo.; walked in terror—all but Barker, whose swaggering bravado had caused him to be nicked by bullets difference and south will react. ard shots added to the eerie display. ner. N. Y.; Walsh, Mass.; and capitol. Most of the crew of 30 men were, Walsh, Mont.

asleep when the first blast went off. shortly before daybreak, throwing the bill

rinan, Repn., Colo.

George Wilson was arrested 1: Pittman, Dem., Nev.; and Smith, the chamber of commerce, is the the Darby club for violation of the Dem., S. C. members are: F. W. Hagglund, Fred a quantity of wine and liquor seized. Dem., N. C., were not announced. Second raid of the afternoon was

Loring arrested, but later released "no" for the purpose of ehtering are made on bond.

15-Year Old Child Carries Body Of Infant Sister To City Morgue In I. A. kept coming. to join the 2,000 al-ready on the senate staircase, ap-

LOS ANGELES, June 17. (U.P.- | ket. The guard started, then point-Through the half-light of early ed to a door. The girl entered. Anacostia side appealed to his men morning a 15-year-old girl carried a blanketed bundle into the hall of

ly to dry her tear stained eyes and "My mother could not come. You Washington from going home. He Searchlight spent yesterday here on cross herself. A watchman stopped see, the baby was born only an paused. There was a thin cheer her. The girl drew back the blan- hour ago."

WASHINGTON, June 17. (U.P.) Outside the veterans ers. Ltd., began checking the cas- The senate roll call on the defeated closely in order by their leaders. They broke into the strains of 'America" as they heard news of

The handful of police had no trouble. Inside the capitol were companies of police, hidden in the Democrats, 10: Ashurst, Ariz.; dark cellars out of sight. But they were not sent for.

There was an army band playing on the plaza and it remained silent while the men sang. Its AGAINST, 62 - Republicans, 35: presence was fortunate, and may Farmer-Labor, 1: Shipstead, Minn. have prevented one of the gravest Austin, Vt.; Barbour, N. J.; Borah, situations in recent American his-

Couzens, Mich.; Dale, Vt.; Davis, The temper of many of the men Pa.; Fess, O.; Glenn, Ill.; Goldsduring the heated ten hours through ugh, Md.; Hale, Me.; Hastings. which some of them had waited Del.: Hatfield, W. Va.; Hebert, R. the vote was not good. Their lead-Howell Neb ' Johnson Calif.' ers and congressmen who went Jones, Wash .: Kean, N. J.; LaFolout to the great stone staircase had to appeal to them a score of times for order, and selected men among the regimental leaders of the bonus Shortridge, Calif.; Smoot, army kept circulating through urg-

Around 7 p. m., it appeared that serious disorder might be precipi-

Democrats, 23: Bankhead, Ala.; tated at any moment. All day there had been 2,000 vet-Coolidge, erans at the capitol waiting for the vote on the bill which passed Colo.; Dill, Wash.; Fletcher, Fla.; triumphantly through a nervous

Just before dark came word that Camp Marks, the great tent dot-

Companies of 50 and 100, in col-The following were paired against umns of fours in military fashion, the men marched on the capitol. Stephens, Dem., Miss.; Bingham, They jammed up at the bridge Repn., Conn.; Dickinson, Repn., Ia.; acress the eastern branch of the Bailey, Dem., N. C.; Swanson, Dem., Potomac, a stone's throw from the Va; Keyes, Repn., N. H.; and Wat- historic frigate Constitution, and traffic throughout the entire south-

For: Cutting, Repn., N. Mex.; east district stoppeed at once. Long, Dem., La.; Nye, Repn., N. D.; TRAFFIC HALTS

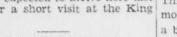
The men marched on, while motor The pairings of Senators McKel- cars and street cars in side streets lar, Dem., Tenn., and Morrison, stood still, a snakelike procession Senator Thomas, Dem., Okla, and the tree-covered plaza and the on the Paris club, where a pint Senator Bankhead. Dem., Ala., the tree-covered plaza and the of whiskey was found, and J. A. changed their votes from "aye" to large in which the country's laws long, in which the country's laws

> When about 3,000 men had crossed the bridge the situation was so bad, and traffic was in such disorder, that police ordered the draw raised. Those on the capitol side kept coming, to join the 2,000 alproaching the building and the park across the street.

A leader of the veterans on the keeping hardworking people of

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at the home of J. P. King for the past week, will return to her home enjoy a visit with her uncle. Stan-Brookhart, of Portland, Ore.,



justice today. She paused frequent- dead.

county farm today. VISITING HERE McGinnis has been in Nevada

IS 101 TODAY Hale and hearty for all his age. Patrick Elias McGinnis will cele-brate his 101st birthday at the City.

id A. Green, Ora L. Wantz, Thom-F. Pennell, and Thomas G. Birdev, all of Las Vegas; and Charles Haun, T. P. Cotter, William Cline,

orary member were initiated at the meeting. Nye Wilson, secretary of new honorary member, and the new city liquor ordinance yesterday, and