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## BANDIT TRIO TRYING JOB FOILED HERE

Held up at the point of two guns early this morning, F. G. Hanson, proprietor of a service station at the corner of Fifth and Bonneville streets, made quick work of his assailants.

The two men entered Hanson's service station with guns drawn and ordered Hanson to turn over his money to them. Hansen did as requested, after which he was bound and gagged. Hanson managed to remove his bonds as soon as the highwaymen departed, grabbed his shotgun and gave chase. He overtook them just as they were starting their car, which had been parked a block away. Hanson ordered them out of the car at the point of his shotgun. As one of the men got out, Hanson thought he had a gun in his hand and fired, the pellets from the shotgun took effect in the highwayman's back. The other member of the pair quickly surrendered and were turned over to the police.

In the car was also a woman, who denies any knowledge that her companions had planned to holdup the service station.

At the police station they gave their names as Anthony Erkitis, Arlie Taylor and his wife, Mary Taylor. The trio claim to have just arrived from Chicago.

In the bandit car were found three guns. The trio were turned over to Sheriff Keate who is conducting a rigid investigation of their activities.

Mrs. Taylor, a woman of twenty one years, says that this is the first time they have been in trouble. She denies that she knew of the intended holdup and states that she was asleep in the car. However, conflicting stories lead the officers to believe that they may have been responsible for other crimes.

According to Sheriff Keate, the two men admit the holdup.

Arlie Taylor, the wounded bandit, after being given medical treatment was placed in the county jail.

## Anderson's Install Modern Equipment

Anderson's dairy has completed the installation of a modern pasteurizing system at their new plant on Fremont street. According to Martha Anderson they now have one of the most modern dairies in the state.

### BURIED ON COT

PARSONS, W. Va. — (UP) — Wilbur Young, 64, retired merchant of Parsons didn't want to be buried in a casket when he died. He wanted his body placed on a cot. Relatives acceded to his request. The body, on a cot, was lowered into a concrete vault in the cemetery here.

## Holdings Honors



Mae Stockdale, 34, holds the honor of being the first inmate to escape from the new Tehachapi, Cal., women's prison. Her freedom was shortlived, however, as she was captured in Los Angeles after a "night out."

## Lieut.-Governor Job Is Sought By Henderson

A. S. Henderson, for fourteen years a member of the state legislature from Clark county, today filed with the secretary of State his declaration to be a candidate for the office of lieutenant governor on the republican ticket.

Henderson has been a resident of Las Vegas for many years and heads the law firm of Henderson & Marshal. Mr. Henderson said this morning, "I believe that my fourteen years as a state legislator and my whole-hearted interest in the welfare of Nevada fully qualifies me to seek the office of lieutenant governor."

Henderson will be the running mate of Governor Griswold.

### IMPROVING RAPIDLY

Ed. W. Clark, president of the First State bank, who is in the University of California hospital at San Francisco following an operation, is getting along finely according to a wire received yesterday by relatives in this city, from Mr. Clark's brother, Judge Fred McFarland.

## Files Divorce Suit Against Anderson

Mrs. Beatrice A. Anderson yesterday filed suit for divorce in the district court of Clark county, against Harold S. Anderson, alleging cruelty as cause of action. Both reside in Boulder City where Mr. Anderson is head of Anderson Brothers Supply Co., operating the great mess halls for Six Companies.

The marriage, June 11, 1932, was a notable society event of Salt Lake City, where the bride, a striking blonde, was noted for her beauty and social qualities.

## Reno's Famous Sign Missing

On a recent trip to Reno, we missed the sign that has greeted thousands of visitors—"RENO, THE BIGGEST LITTLE CITY IN THE WORLD."

We were told that the sign did not meet the approval of some members of the city commission—it was a little to "blase." We would hate to think that our Reno—a name that is world-wide—should be relegated to the past. If it must be, Las Vegas would be glad to adopt Reno's former slogan—"THE BIGGEST LITTLE CITY IN THE WORLD." How about it, Reno?

Reno is a great little city, and while there we had the pleasure of meeting J. S. Clark, president of the Pacific International Trapshooting Association, who is credited with bringing a thousand clay pigeons fans to Reno for the Pacific Coast Championship of the World. Clark is also one of the owners of the Tavern, Nevada's finest night club. Reno should be proud of such a sportsman as is J. S. Clark.

And while we are on the subject of Reno, we can't forget Wallie Gelatt, who started the winter sports in Truckee in 1912.

In 1915 Wallie had charge of the Fourth of July celebration at Truckee and one of the features of the program was that people would dance in the main street of that town to the music of a "Magnavox," placed high on the hill across the Truckee River. After ways of preparation—and a huge crowd—Wallie couldn't get a squawk out of the "Magnavox," but the crowd danced to the tune of a good orchestra.

Gelatt went to Donner Lake in 1914 and organized the Donner Lake Company which has built one of the most beautiful tourist resorts in the Sierra's. When you go that way, stop at Donner Lake and ask for Wallie Gelatt.

We also had the pleasure of seeing at Lake Tahoe, one of the best beloved men in Nevada—former Senator Tasker Oddie—and Mrs. Oddie. No man in Nevada holds the respect of the people—regardless of party—as does Senator Oddie. Tasker will someday return to the

## BISHOP EARL INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Bishop J. I. Earl of Overton, well known pioneer of Clark county, was seriously injured in an automobile accident near Delta, Utah, Thursday morning.

His youngest daughter, Nell Earl, was taking her father and mother on a trip to visit old friends and relatives in Idaho and Utah. It is understood that a tire blew out causing the car to overturn. The nature and extent of the injuries of Bishop Earl and of the other occupants of the car had not been learned at the time this is written.

Word of the accident came to Attorney Marion Earl of this city by wire yesterday morning. He immediately got in touch by telephone with the sheriff at Fillmore, Utah, asking him to intercept Ira J. Earl of this city who already had started for Provo to join his family who are visiting there, and inform him of the accident to his father.

The injured man is 84 years of age, but the physician who attended him immediately following the accident was of the opinion that the injuries would not prove fatal.

## Sheriff Joe Keate Seeks Re-election

Joe Keate, sheriff of Clark county, yesterday filed his declaration to be a candidate for that office again on the democratic ticket.

Keate has been sheriff for the past four years and prior to that time acted as undersheriff to the late Sam Gay. He came to Las Vegas almost thirty years ago as a telegrapher for the Salt Lake railroad company and is a member of the O. R. C.

The filing of Keate now makes five candidates on the democratic ticket for that office. They are: Sheriff Keate, O. C. Boggs, Joe May, Bill Wallace and Fred Jensen of Boulder City.

## Gravelle Leaves For Carson City

Harry Gravelle, newly appointed United States Marshal for Nevada, left Las Vegas yesterday for Carson City to take up his new duties. Gravelle received the recommendation for the office from both Nevada senators.

United States Senate—but not as an opponent of our other outstanding Senator—Key Pittman.