

## Union Pacific Engineer Dies

James F. Calloway of Caliente, retired Union Pacific engineer, passed away at the Good Samaritan hospital in Los Angeles following a brief attack of pneumonia, the end coming at noon on Thanksgiving Day. Mr. Calloway had been ill for only five days but despite every medical aid and painstaking care was unable to overcome the ravages of his illness, says the Caliente Herald.

Mr. Calloway, who is a brother-in-law of Press W. Duffin of Caliente, had been in the service of the Union Pacific railroad for some 35 years and retired from active service about two years ago when he moved with his wife to North Hollywood, California. During the early years of his railroad career he was engaged as fireman between Caliente and Las Vegas and later as an engineer, made the run from Caliente to Salt Lake City.

### MRS. TAYLOR GOES TO HER SON IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Ryland Taylor expects to leave the last of the week for Virginia to spend Christmas with her son Russell who is attending the Virginia Military Institute. Russell has been having trouble with an injured knee and will be in the hospital during the vacation.

It's a good thing John Howard Payne wrote "Home Sweet Home" back in the horse and buggy days. He would have had a tough time to find something to rhyme with Federal Housing Administration.

## Children's Aid Appeal Is Made

The people of Las Vegas are urged by Miss Grace Semenza, child welfare worker, to gather up all clothing that can be spared and either send it to Mrs. Ellington, 710 South Fourth street or notify Miss Semenza and she will call for it.

There are children in Las Vegas who cannot attend school because they haven't clothes.

If you have no children just look through your closets and you'll find something which can be made over into suitable clothing for a child.

### U. S. BATTLESHIP VISITS AUSTRALIA

CANBERRA, Australia. — Advice has been received from the United States government that the U.S.S. Louisville will visit Sydney in January to take part in Australia's 150th birthday celebration. Battleships from every country are expected to be present, and a great naval, military and air display will be staged.

### NEVADA COACH HEADS WESTERN CONFERENCE

RENO—Doug Dashiell, University of Nevada, head football coach, was named president of the Far Western conference as leaders of the circuit held their annual winter meeting in San Francisco. Art Acker of Chico State was named vice-president and Robert Breeden, Pacific, secretary.

READ THE AGE

## SOCIETY

### MRS. FERRON ENTERTAINS AT CONTRACT BRIDGE

Mrs. Frank McNamee, Sr., who has been a guest at the home of her son, Leo A. McNamee, was honored with a delightful luncheon and afternoon of contract at the home of Mrs. W. E. Ferron Monday. The guests were seated at a large table and enjoyed the delectable menu provided by the hostess and also the social hour. Covers were laid for Mrs. McNamee, Mrs. Sims Ely, Mrs. F. R. Mildren, Mrs. J. F. Hesse, Mrs. Thorburn, Mrs. Leo A. McNamee, Mrs. Isabelle McChrystal, Mrs. Sam Lawson, Mrs. Will Beckley, Mrs. O. C. Boggs and Mrs. C. P. Squires.

### MRS. SCHUYLER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. W. N. Schuyler entertained her Contract Club at luncheon Tuesday. The occasion was a merry one and thoroughly enjoyed by Mesdames W. R. Bracken, Will Beckley, W. E. Ferron, R. W. Martin, R. R. Russell, C. P. Squires, J. T. Watters and O. W. Yates.

### MRS. McNAMEE LEAVES

Mrs. Frank McNamee, Sr., left Monday night for her home in Los Angeles.

### ELIZABETH McCORMICK WILL VISIT AT BRACKEN HOME

Miss Elizabeth McCormick of Reno will spend the vacation in Las Vegas with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bracken. Miss McCormick will be pleasantly remembered by many as one of our Las Vegas teachers. Misses Barbara and Shirley Ferron will accompany her from Reno.

## Cornet Blowing Cheats Doctor

J. W. Garehme, Las Vegas music dealer, tells the following story which is vouched for as a true one. The title naturally would be "An Hour a Day Keeps the Doctor Away":

Johnny was a skinny little fellow about 10 years old. His father took him to the doctor for an examination one day, and the doctor prescribed quite an unusual prescription, but it worked wonders. "Doc" said, "try a cornet for a while, and we'll see."

Johnny's father promptly bought his son the finest cornet money could buy, and Johnny started taking his medicine, gaining day by day.

Several ears passed on and Johnny is healthy as can be. He just graduated from high school and will now go to college with the same cornet, earning while he's learning, and busy as a bee. Johnny says the thanks should go to the doctor—"he's the one who started me."

A wind instrument is a real health tonic. Whether you choose a cornet, trumpet, trombone, or whether you're striving for fame, fortune, or good health, it makes no difference—you, too, will derive many benefits.

## Unfortunates Need Your Help

Christmas holidays are now "just around the corner." The yuletide spirit reigns supreme. Mistletoe, holly, and the pungent fresh greenness of new-born Christmas trees will soon cheer millions of homes. Shop windows, chock full of all sorts of tempting gifts, bedecked with tinsel and trimmings, are exciting portents of the fun to come.

Adding to the general atmosphere, but in a more serious vein, are the tinkling bells of the Salvation Army, and the double-barred cross, emblem of the Anti-Tuberculosis movement, which is so familiar to all of us on the friendly little Christmas seals that ornament our packages and cards. Both of them appear at this time of year almost magically as Santa Claus himself—and equally as indispensable as agents of good cheer.

Don't neglect either of them! The need your help, as do the souls less fortunate than yourself whom they represent, and whom they strive each year to bring within the great fold of gaiety which envelops the nation during the Christmas season.

### AUSTRALIA ADOPTS A NEW PARKING SYSTEM

SYDNEY, Australia — The police department has introduced a new parking system in the downtown section of the city.

It is called "alternateday" and permits cars to park for 20 minutes on the odd-numbered side of the street on the odd days of the month and on the even numbers side on the even dates.

The police think the system will be fairer to business firms and will facilitate the flow of traffic.



Unretouched photograph of new 1938 Pontiac six-cylinder sport coupe. No rumble seat. Two comfortable folding seats inside. Wheelbase 117 inches; 85 horsepower engine; safety shift gear control which takes the conventional gear shifting lever away from front seat is optional at slight extra cost. Choice of colors and upholstery