

Red Cross Asks Aid for China

Cash for the relief of the destitute millions among the civilians of China is reaching Red Cross Chapters, an excellent response to President Roosevelt's call to the public to be generous, Red Cross officials announce. A. L. Schafer, Red Cross manager in the Pacific Area, says that individual contributions range from 25 cents to \$50. In keeping with the president's appeal for Americans to make a voluntary goodwill offering of \$1,000,000

A cablegram from the Philippines Red Cross Chapter in Manila states \$3,500 has already been contributed there, with indications residents of the Island will raise at least \$5,000.

The desperate situation of civilian refugees in Shanghai is further emphasized by Clarence E. Gauss, American Consul General, who reports that 4,681 dead men, women and children were found in the streets, alleys and vacant grounds in Shanghai in December. These were refugees who died of starvation, wounds and physical hardships. The Red Cross is officially advised that all classes are being caught in the whirlpool of distress. Merchants and clerks, professors and students, servants and laborers are living side by side in refugee camps. Many families are clad only in the thinnest of rags. Many children are being deserted by their starving parents and left on the streets. These have to be given care by Red Cross relief workers. Officials again emphasize that \$1.25 in U. S. money will provide food, shelter and medical care for one person an entire month.

Nevada Boy Wins A Scholarship

David G. Clark, son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter E. Clark of Reno, has been awarded a \$250 residence scholarship for the spring semester at the Columbia University School of Medicine in New York City, according to announcement by Dr. Willard C. Rappleye, dean of the school. Clark, who graduated from the University of Nevada in 1934, will be graduated from the medical school June 1. Dr. Clark is president of the University of Nevada. —Nevada State Journal.

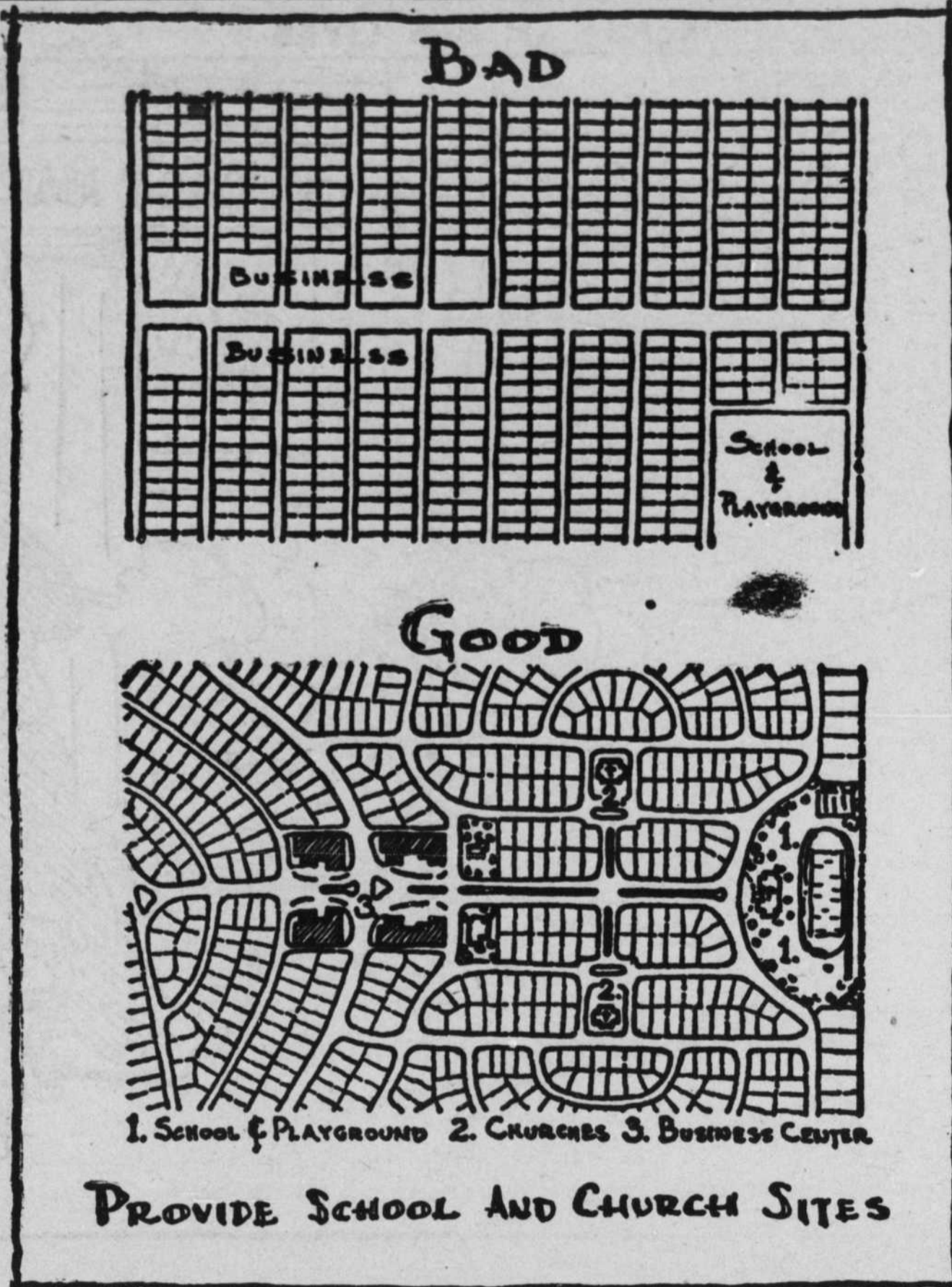
MISS MAZIE MARTIN AGAIN IN HOSPITAL

Miss Mazie Martin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Martin, was operated on for appendicitis Wednesday morning at the Las Vegas hospital. She came through the ordeal in perfect condition and is resting comfortably.

BEATTY NEEDS PHYSICIAN

A petition was circulated a few days ago among the residents of Beatty urging the appointment of Dr. A. L. Blinstrub as assistant county physician to serve the southern part of Nye county. The Beatty people feel the vital need for a resident physician for their community. Dr. Blinstrub formerly was a resident of Las Vegas with offices and residence on Fourth St.

Land Planning



The location of schools and churches should be provided for when a subdivision is being planned, according to the Land Planning Section of the Federal Housing Administration. It will be found more economical to set ground aside for this purpose at the time the development is laid out than to purchase additional property at a later date. Adequate parking space for cars should be provided at these community centers.

Business Good Says Mr. Staley

Ray G. Staley, Surveyor General of Nevada, points to the interesting fact that the receipts of his office for the month of January, 1938, amounted to \$8,257.95, this being the largest month in the matter of receipts since August, 1927.

It is interesting to note that the entire appropriation made by the state legislature for the operation of the office for one year is approximately \$8,510, therefore the one month's receipts covers practically the expenditures for the entire year.

Mr. Staley has good reason to feel that the year 1938 will be a very profitable and successful one for the Surveyor General's office.

LOCAL TEACHER'S FATHER PASSES ON

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Guild left for Reno Tuesday where they were called by the death of Mr. Guild's father, G. M. Guild.

Death was the result of a heart attack a malady from which he had suffered for some time.

He was employed as a teacher of mechanical arts in the Reno high school.

VIRGINIA BECKLEY IS WELL

Miss Virginia Beckley has recovered from her recent operation and has returned from the hospital to her Reno home, the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority house.

MOTOR TO PHOENIX

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Russell will motor to Phoenix for the week end.

VISITED TONOPAH

Deputy school superintendent L. W. Sledge spent Friday in Tonopah.

SO IT APPEARS

The result of the many experiments tried out under the New Deal seems to give proof to the jibe of the old philosopher that "a theory is an impracticable plan of doing something that is impossible."—Los Angeles Times.

HAPPY ENDING

The crop control bill turned out to be 97 pages of difficult reading. However, the few friends who stayed with it to the end say it turns out happily.—Detroit News.

Mrs. E. Bradley has been called to Grand Junction, Colo., by the serious illness of her mother.

Streamliner to Carry Crowd

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10—Eighteen streamlined motor trains will provide intramural transportation on Treasure Island's broad thoroughfares during next year's Golden Gate International Exposition.

The arrangement will be somewhat the same as was used at the Panama Pacific International Exposition, except that the units will be modern and streamlined, said President Leland W. Cutler.

Each trailer will accommodate 20 passengers, and maximum speed is to be six miles an hour.

At the 1915 Exposition, the motor trams were popular, offering quick trips between distant points.

Cutler's announcement shattered hopes of concessionaires who sought contracts to transport Exposition visitors on elephant back and by camels. Elephants would be too dangerous among the throngs.

Camels might be all right, it was agreed—if dipped in rose water every morning! Alligator rides also were banned.

Rickshaws, push-chairs and motorized scooters will be available, however, in addition to the trains.

Banks Close to Honor Lincoln

All branches of the First National Bank of Nevada will be closed all day tomorrow in commemoration of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, according to an announcement made by C. S. Wengert, cashier of the Las Vegas branch.

Newton Sec'y of Carson Rotary

Raby J. Newton, formerly of the faculty of Las Vegas high school and for several years secretary of Las Vegas Rotary Club, has been made secretary of the newly formed Rotary Club of Carson City.

The Lions Club was for several years the sole service club in the state capital.

LESS TRIUMPHANT

With business decreasing and unemployment increasing there isn't quite such a triumphant air to the query: Do you want to go back to 1929? Too many folks would answer the wrong way.—Lynchburg Va., News.

DEMANDS OF JAPAN

Many of the demands the United States and Great Britain are making on Japan could be reduced to—Call Your Shots.—Arkansas Gazette.

Tommy Goble of the Skelly crowd, has a Scotty pup which he calls "Dammit." Explains Tommy: "I always wanted a dog to which I could say, 'Come here, dammit.'"—El Dorado, Kans., Times.