

LVHS PASSING PRETTY

By JEANNE SMITH

IT'S A LITTLE ON THE 'ICKY' SIDE

This last issue of "The Desert Breeze," our school paper, was the humor issue. "The Dusty Wind" and if you happened to see one of these mixed-up affairs, no doubt you now have a stiff neck from attempting to make it out a few examples of its contents are: Smile and the world smiles with you. Weep and you get a red nose. According to that flea-bitten clap-net, Confucius, we will have rain sometime next year. Until then—water the flowers yourself. The Chemistry of Stinky club is represented in the student council by So-and-so, who was last seen taking his nose apart to see what made it run. In referring to the senior play: "What a play! What a cast! Why it stinks so bad, even a skunk from Idaho came racing down to see what was running him competition. "Sport Shorts" was labeled "Anybody's Shorts." And the stories were upside down, sideways and backwards.

NICE GOING!

The Wildcats are to go to Reno for the tournament there March 13, 14 and 15! According to dopsters all over the state—even from our bitter rival, Ely, that is also entering the finals, the state championship trophy will be carried home by Las Vegas, Carson City or Reno. Until the fifteenth, however, just hope.

SCHOOL BOARD MAKES A "GOOD DEAL"

Because of the length of the absent list Good Friday last year, the LVHS student body will be given the privilege of going to church without a written excuse this year—that is, they will be given a legal holiday.

THESE OVER-CONFIDENT PEOPLE!

Annually, the Girl Reserves honor the football and basketball boys with a banquet at the end of each season. The basketball banquet was held last Monday evening, and everyone who spoke seemed very optimistic about the trip up-state.

IT'S CREEPING UP TOO FAST

Just slightly more than nine weeks until the seniors will be preparing for graduation!

A BREEZY JOKE

Mary has a little skirt,
So neat, so bright so airy—
It never shows a speck of dirt!
But it certainly shows Mary!

A GOOD CLUB NAMED AFTER A GOOD GUY

Boulder City students who come to school on the bus every day have organized a club and named it after their bus driver, Orle Bowman, whom they call "Cabby," hence, "The Cabby Club." Las Vegas students consider it quite an honor to be asked to the meetings held at Boulder City, the last of these being last night.

Many Motor Cars Given Licenses

CARSON CITY, March 8 — Registration has been completed on 29,038 vehicles of all types during the first two months of 1940. Secretary of State Malcolm McEachin, ex-officio motor vehicle commissioner, announced today. Collections have totalled \$184,923.82.

Pleasure cars led in the number of vehicles registered with 22,782 followed by commercial vehicles with 5,653, trailers with 565, and 38 motorcycles. Approximately 2500 applications being held in the offices of the various county assessors prior to forwarding to Carson City, McEachin estimated. Registrations to date are slightly ahead of last year when a new all time record of 42,409 places of all types were sold.

Clark county in the first two months of this year reported 1999 pleasure cars, 400 commercial vehicles, 53 trailers, and 5 motorcycles, McEachin stated. Fees collected in the county totalled \$14,931.90.

SYMPHONETTES HAVE ORCHESTRA PRACTICE

Orchestra practice was held at the Mesquite Club last Tuesday, March 5th. The following program was presented by Sylvia Harris, program chairman:
Violin duet "Indian Face" by Donna McCann and Peggy Allen.
Tap dance by Joy Wilson.
Violin solo "Nevada" (which Mr. J. C. Lambert composed) by James Donich.

Violin duet "At Sundown" by Cleopatra Wooley and Alice Brady.
Guitar solo "South of the Border" by Louise Tinch.

Violin solo "Down by the Sea" by Patricia Price. She is one of the new students and did very well.
Violin solo "Scenes from Childhood" by Betty Ruth Nagle.
Violin solo "Beethoven's Minuet" by Mr. J. C. Lambert accompanied by Mrs. I. C. Stevens.

Violin solo "Never in a Million Years" by Mr. J. C. Lambert accompanied by Mrs. I. C. Stevens.

Chamber Plans Annual Banquet

Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce is completing plans for its annual banquet in conjunction with the approval of the city by the state legislature and the Chamber of Commerce.

The affair will be held at the 91 Club next Saturday evening, March 16. James Musatti of San Francisco, general manager of the California State Chamber of Commerce, will be the guest speaker. Other speakers will include several local leaders.

Secretary Oliver Goerman of the Chamber of Commerce, states that the 91 Club can accommodate 180 guests at the dinner. Those who wish to make sure of places at what promises to be one of the gala affairs of the year should make their reservations at the Chamber of Commerce office at an early date to avoid disappointment.

MRS. PRICE SPENDS DAY

Mrs. Jack Price of Orange, California, spent Monday in Las Vegas on business. She reports her husband's condition the same.

LOSING CAR KEYS

Have you ever lost your car keys? Then you know the trouble and delay it can cause. It's a good plan to write down the number of your key and keep the memorandum handy for reference should the key become lost. It will save you time and money if you have one made, suggests the Automobile Club of Southern California.

Cedar City Has Ski Carnival

The Cedar City Ski Club sent an invitation through Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce to all skiers and ski fans to attend their Ski Carnival Sunday, March 10.

The invitation states that the ski tow will be in operation and that good entertainment will be provided. Events are classified as a salami races, downhill races and a cross country race. Snow conditions are excellent on the run 12 miles up Cedar Canyon.

Among those from Las Vegas planning to attend are Louis Wells and C. S. Doherty.

Engineers' Day At University

Today at Nevada State University is Engineer's Day, according to an article written by Russell Taylor of this city in the U. of N. Sagebrush.

The keynote speech, customarily introducing Engineer's Day, will be made by Guest Speaker Irving C. Harris, director of power at Boulder Dam, at the annual Engineers' Day banquet to be held in the university dining hall beginning at 7 p. m. Friday.

Saturday at 11 a. m. the university engineering, physics, chemistry and military departments exhibits will be open to the public. A most interesting program of engineering activities will fill the entire day Saturday, March 9, closing with a chemistry show in science hall in the evening.

Easter Services At Zion National Park

Sunrise and sunset Easter services in picturesque settings will be held at many points throughout the country on March 24, but one of the most colorful will be the seventh annual Easter Pageant presented at the base of towering Bridge Mountain in Utah's Zion National Park. Similar to the renowned Freiburg Passion Play, the Zion Easter Pageant was written especially for the Zion Park setting by Grant H. Redford, who in former years has played the Christus.

Redford is continuing his dramatic studies at the University of Iowa, and this year the role will be enacted by understudy Ray B. West, Jr.

The pageant is enacted by a cast of 500 actors. A chorus of 300 voices and an electric organ provide the choral and musical effects. Sponsored and financed by the people of southwestern Utah, the preparation of stage settings and costumes for the cast is a tremendous undertaking which is made possible only through cooperation of all the participating communities. Everyone taking part in the cere-

mony, however, feels amply rewarded by the satisfaction of knowing that they have been instrumental in furnishing never-to-be-forgotten inspiration to the thousands of spectators gathered under the massive red and white cliffs that form the canyons of Zion National Park.

HOUSE GUESTS

Mrs. C. C. Boyer, daughter, Mrs. Alice Thayer and Miss Bash of Ely arrived last night to attend the state convention of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority and are house guests at the C. P. Squires home, 411 Fremont street.

JOINT HOSTESSES AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. J. T. Watters and Mrs. O. W. Yates were joint hostesses at a charming luncheon Tuesday at one

o'clock in the Apache Cocktail Lounge. The tables were prettily decorated with spring blossoms. After luncheon the guests enjoyed "pan" and contract.



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