

# Social Activities

## McCarran Bill Will Aid Western Steel

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27. Congressional approval is assured for an appropriation of 6 million dollars for investigation of raw material resources for steel production, reported Saturday by the senate appropriations committee, Senator Pat McCarran predicted today.

The appropriation was written into the bill by the interior department subcommittee on appropriations, of which Senator McCarran is a member.

The appropriation would provide funds, to be disbursed through the bureau of mines, for (1) development of raw material resources for steel production; (2) metallurgical research and construction and operation of pilot plants and demonstration plants.

Objectives of the program, McCarran said, include: (1) A comprehensive, detailed knowledge of deposits of mineral resources needed in making steel, including alloying elements and materials useful in plating or treating steel (2) laboratory, pilot-plant, and demonstration-plant work to prove the most effective method of utilizing these raw materials for the production of steel; and (3) the development of a use pattern not only for the raw materials as they go into the reduction process but for the finished material.

Particular attention will be paid, McCarran said, to making a comprehensive inventory of deposits of iron ore, coal and fluxes and such alloying elements as manganese, tungsten, molybdenum and vanadium in the western states. Attention also will be paid to planning effective local uses of these materials, and to determining the extent to which coal, natural gas and electric power can be used in given areas in connection with development of steel production.

Existence in the west of iron ore, chrome, manganese and other important ores close to resources of natural gas and electric power provides the foundation on which can be built an industry to produce important alloy steels, McCarran said.

Explaining the prediction that approval of the appropriation is assured, Senator McCarran pointed out that the appropriation has the backing of the senate special

## Ted Bate Willstead Gets Silver Wings

At Luke Field, Arizona, Ted Bate Willstead, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Willstead, 1023 Norman avenue, Las Vegas, has successfully completed his flight training at the Army Air Forces Pilot School (Advanced Single Engine).

At graduation ceremonies May 23 he received the Army Air Corps silver wings and a second lieutenant's commission in the AAC Reserve.

He received his preflight training at Santa Ana Air Base, California and pilot training with Army Flying Units at Hancock College of Aeronautics, Santa Maria, California and Lemoore Army Air Field, Lemoore, California before going to Luke Field.

He attended East High School, Salt Lake City, Utah and University of Utah.

**METHODIST WOMEN MEET**

The Methodist Society of Christian Service met Thursday morning in the church parlor for Red Cross work. The day was spent rolling bandages and making bed jackets. A potluck lunch was served at noon and work resumed. The society will continue to meet during the summer on Thursdays for Red Cross work.

A committee investigating industrial centralization and that this committee represents a very substantial group of senators interested in development of the steel industry in the west and south, another large group is pledged to cooperation with the senate group. Adequate support in both houses for the 6 million dollar appropriation item is considered certain, McCarran said.

Of particular interest to Nevada, Senator McCarran said, is an amendment offered by Senator Bankhead, from the committee investigating industrial centralization, which covers development of post war uses for non-ferrous metals. The language of the Bankhead amendment, McCarran pointed out, is so drafted as to include magnesium, and thus opens the way for an effective attack upon the problem of providing a basis for continuing the operation of the Basic Magnesium plant after the war.

## Methodist Women's Vocational School

An interdenominational vocational school for grade children will be held in the Methodist church beginning Monday, June 5. It will continue from Monday through Thursday for two weeks and Mrs. Oval, the assistant pastor of the church, will be in charge. The theme of the sessions will be "Learning through Jesus."

**Entertains Chapter At Ranch Home**

The new officers of Omicron chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, honored the outgoing officers of the chapter with a most delightful party Thursday evening at the ranch home of their director, Rose Bunker. Ruth Howard, the president presided over the business session when new committees were appointed to serve for the coming year and plans made for the summer. It was decided that the members of the chapter would unite with the members of Lambda chapter of Boulder City in a swimming party and breakfast at Hotel Last Frontier, June 4th.

A number of amusing games were played and silhouettes were made of the members and formed the basis for an interesting guessing game for which Alma Woodbury won the prize. The highlight of the evening was the passing of the traditional box of chocolates by Marge Carlson announcing her engagement to Staff Sergeant Ted Evans of the Las Vegas Gunnery School. The wedding will take place Sunday, June 4th at the Little Church of the West at Hotel Last Frontier.

Delicious refreshments brought to a close a very delightful evening.

**Pot Luck Dinner At M. E. Church**

The members and friends of the Methodist Church met Wednesday evening for the regular Pot Luck Dinner. The dinner that evening was a very special occasion as it marked the birthday anniversaries of two valued members of the church, Mrs. J. M. Ullom and L. E. Burr. The affair proved a most delightful one and was followed by the regular Wednesday evening service.

**FIRE PREVENTION WORK BRINGS BIG RETURNS**

SALEM, Ore., May 27 (UP)—The state department of forestry said today nearly 20 cents an acre was spent for fire prevention and suppression in Oregon's more than 12,000 PPP (M) acres of forest land during 1943. Total amount spent was \$2,334,756.

# Local News of Week Set Forth in Brief

## GETS OFF TO BAD START WITH FORTUNATE FINISH

Cashier Earl Evans of BMI started in his boat Sunday morning with Mrs. Evans and their two young children for a fishing trip on Lake Mead. When they were well out a sudden storm arose, threatening to sink the craft and drown the occupants. Evans managed to steer to Black Island, a bleak, windswept mountain rising from the depths, and get ashore. There they were marooned, without shelter, until Tuesday morning, when the gale subsided and they were able to return to Vegas Wash.

Hunted by boats and planes from Las Vegas army airfield, the family was not observed, frantic signals escaping notice. There was not enough fuel to make a smoke that could be seen. Evans had caught a few bass, improvised a frying pan from his metal tackle box, and thus ward off hunger to a meager extent. It was a harsh adventure but brought no ill effects. Earl Evans, Jr. 9, and Marshall, 3, prefer dry land, thank you!

## MAYHEM CASE CLOSED

Clarence (Jack) Redmon, whose ear was bitten off in a street brawl told police today he would not prosecute his assailant and left Las Vegas, and Mrs. Londa Rodgers and Tommy Blackwell, who police questioned and placed under arrest, temporarily, as material witnesses, are exonerated of any connection with the case, police declared last evening.

No explanation for his change of mind was given by Redmon, according to police who closed the case after he had left the city.

## FIGHTING FAMILY MEMBER IN VEGAS ON FURLOUGH

One of three brothers in the armed services, Kermit Krause, Coast Guard radio operator first-class, is here from his station, Nea Bay, Washington, to spend a 15-day furlough visiting with his father, Herb Krause. One of his brothers, 2nd Lieutenant Wesley Krause, a bomber pilot based in England has been reported missing in action, but word has come that the radio operator on his ship is a prisoner of war in Germany. On this report the lieutenant may have parachuted to safety and be held by the enemy also for eventual exchange.

Staff Sergeant Karl Krause, the third brother, is with a radio signal intelligence group in Australia, and has been stationed there 15 months.

## FOUR DAYS OUT OF FIVE THE LIMIT IN THEFTING

Stealing once is too often, but when it's four days out of five, and from the poor box at that—well, there's a limit. James D. Easton was caught at it, in the vestibule of St. Joan, when Father Robert Anderson and an army intelligence officer turned him over to the police. That particular amount was small, but various sums, including \$77 in one instance, had been taken from the church and rectory. Easton had been seen often there prior to these burglaries.

In police court the accused made a lengthy plea, begging for mercy on the grounds that he had been drinking and didn't realize what he was doing. Judge Blad wasn't too deeply impressed and made certain that Easton will not repeat, at least for 60 days, the time he will spend in jail.

## ONE OF THREE BROTHERS IN SERVICE INJURED

Private Joseph B. Linn, one of three brothers in the service, has been seriously injured in the Central Africa area, according to report received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Linn, 230 Morgan street, and his wife, Norma, now in Colton. They were informed that he is making normal improvement.

The young soldier, graduate of Las Vegas high school, trained at Las Vegas army air field and later assigned to the aviation transport corps in Texas, has served overseas 15 months in Iran and the near east, India, and more recently was based in west Africa. He was previously injured in India but not in line of combat. One brother, Noble, is in England, and another, Clifford, training in a Wisconsin radio school at Madison. The father is a member of Las Vegas police force.

## RED CROSS WAR FUND FALLS SHORT OF QUOTA

Chairman Otto Underhill of the Red Cross War Fund drive committee issued a detailed report Thursday that shows the campaign result to be \$3,331.85 short of its quota. The latter had been fixed at \$93,350, and collections totaled \$90,018.15. It is believed that when miscellaneous outstanding pledges are made good the actual shortage will be between \$1,000 and \$1,500.

The committee hopes that the full quota may yet be raised and is holding all books and records open so that additions may be made by citizens to their original contributions, and new offerings provided by those who for various reasons didn't get around to doing so earlier. Contributions may be mailed to P. O. Box 592, Las Vegas, or delivered to Clark county chapter headquarters, Room 7 Clark building, between First and Main.

According to Chairman Claire

## DEATH TAKES THIRTY-YEAR RESIDENT OF LAS VEGAS

Frank G. Rau, a local resident since 1914, when he came from Kansas and established the Las Vegas bakery, died Thursday morning after a long illness at his home, 111 Lewis avenue. He was the father of Private First Class Carl Rau, who operated the bakery in recent years and until his induction into the armed forces and is now a bakery instructor at Fort Warren, Cheyenne, Wyoming. He also leaves a widow and two other sons—William, a Los Angeles attorney, and Morris, in the same profession at Monroe, Wisconsin.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the chapel of Palm Funeral Home with burial in Woodlawn. Private First Class Carl Rau has come on special furlough to attend the rites.

## NOW IN EIGHT LANGUAGES

First American film since the fall of France to have an additional version in French will be the 20th Century-Fox dramatization of Franz Werfel's "The Song of Bernadette," opening today at El Portal Theater. In preparation for the time when Europe shall again be an American film market the picture has been already made with an additional sound track in French; and the story has been translated into eight languages. Jennifer Jones makes her screen debut in the title role, with William Eythe, Charles Rickford, Vincent Price, Lee J. Cobb and Gladys Cooper also featured.

## TITLING OF A FILM

"When I'm in a cockpit I'm just a guy named Joe," said General Chennault while addressing a group of young pilots. And from that remark in the far South Pacific came the title for the stirring drama, M-G-M's "A Guy Named Joe," current at the Vegas Theater and starring Spencer Tracy and Irene Dunn. Oddly enough, there's not a "Joe" in the cast, which includes Van Johnson, Ward Bond, Barry Nelson, James Gleason, Lionel Barrymore, Don De Fore and Esther Williams.

## DEATH COMES SUDDENLY HERE TO OPA OFFICIAL

Following a sudden heart attack, Dr. Rex Arlo Crider of Reno, Nevada OPA information expert, died Friday morning in Las Vegas Hospital. He had accompanied other OPA officials to this city five days previously, and was stricken in a local hotel Thursday evening soon after having met Mrs. Crider upon her arrival from Reno for a visit. Dr. Crider was widely known throughout the state. He was born in Brooklyn, Iowa, March 1, 1890, educated in the public schools there, and one of the first graduates from Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, in 1913.

Going to Reno in 1915 Dr. Crider established practice there and also engaged in real estate and construction, rearing the Crider building and the Crider apartments. He was active in civic affairs, prominent in Red Cross and Boy Scout work, and the past year district governor of the Lions. Five years ago he ran third in a six-man race for mayor of Reno. He leaves, besides the widow, a son, Jack, in the navy; a sister, Opal Crider, in Los Angeles, and a brother, Clyde Crider, San Luis Obispo. The funeral will be in Reno.

## LOST WALLET RETURNED BUT FINDER NOT FOUND

The finder of a lost wallet belonging to Philip Mould, a hotel guest, used the U. S. mails as a means of restoring the property to the owner, but neglected to include the principal content, more than \$100 currency. Everything else, includ-

## WINDING CASING DROPS HITTING MAN ON HEAD

While awaiting the Helldorado bathing beauty parade Sunday evening John Lindley, 225 South Second street, was the victim of a painful freak accident that rendered him unconscious for some time. He was passing in front of the Mesquite building when a window casing dropped from the second floor upon his head, necessitating county hospital treatment for cuts and bruises. According to police reports occupants in one of the upper offices were endeavoring to open a window when it suddenly swung wide, the hinge apparently broke, and the entire casing fell.

A baby buggy in which lay a sleeping infant was barely missed by the falling object, and the police stated that the child probably would have been killed had the casing hit the carriage.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"ANCIENT AND MODERN NECROMANCY, ALIAS MESMERISM AND HYPNOTISM, DENOUNCED" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, today.

The Golden Text is from Romans 16:19, 20, "I would have you wise unto that which is good, and simple concerning evil. And the God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly."

The Lesson-Sermon includes the Bible passage, "Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else" (Isa. 45:22).

Also the correlative from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "In no instance is the effect of animal magnetism, recently called hypnotism, other than the effect of illusion." (P. 101).

## ATTENTION

V. F. W. also other Service organizations Memorial Day Parade to start at 10 a. m. from corner of Main and Fremont streets. Your presence is requested at 9:30 a. m.

## Mrs. Boyer Guest At "Pan" Party

Mesdames O. C. Boggs and O. W. Yates were hostesses at an evening of Pan honoring Mrs. C. C. Boyer, of Carson City, Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Boggs. Those enjoying the occasion were Mesdames C. C. Boyer, J. T. Watters, Mahlon Brown, Fred Hesse, C. W. Woodbury, C. D. Breeze, Leonard Fayle, Miss Helen Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. McNamee, Mr. and Mrs. James Cashman, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Squires and Mr. O. C. Boggs.



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