

WEATHER FORECAST.
Tonight and Thursday,
unsettled; cooler Thurs-
day.

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS	
SILVER	\$1.08 3/4
COPPER	16 1/2 c
LEAD	\$5.11
QUICKSILVER	\$85.00

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GERMANY DECLINES TO SIGN

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, May 22.—Germany declines to sign the peace terms because they spell economic destruction, political dishonor and moral degradation of the entire German nation, not only for the present but also for unborn generations. The statement authorized by the cabinet through the Associated Press, said: "That these consequences must legally follow acceptance of the conditions—the American press itself has recognized without question. Toward them Germany took the standpoint that acceptance could not be demanded and that the entente was unjustified in imposing such demands."
"Germany has not only the moral right to compliance to the general promises made it," the statement added, "but firmly grounded, definite and clearly defined claims, according to the basic rules of international law, on all entente powers and especially on the United States. Specific recognition of the right of Germany, and the German peoples to a peace of right, justice and reconciliation, instead of the paragraphed song of hate which was written at Versailles, is contained in a note of American Secretary of State Lansing of November 5, 1918."

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, May 22.—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau has asked an extension of time for the Germans to present their peace reply. He said further notes are being prepared and it would be impossible to complete them by 1 o'clock Thursday, when the time limit expires. The Havas Agency said it believed the request will be granted. The note explained that the Germans desired more time to study a number of questions which they have not yet had an opportunity to examine.

FINAL APPEAL TO MUSCOVITES

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, (Tuesday), May 21.—A. F. Keonczyk, former premier of Russia and seven other members who constitute the assembly and members of the Parisian Union for the Reconstruction of Russia, have issued an appeal to the democratic world for prompt action with a view to helping Russia out of her present chaotic condition. The appeal proposed the organization of a mission composed of the delegates of all powers to go to Russia to explain to the people and the different Russian governments the democratic aims they were pursuing. The appeal said it "should be stated categorically that the different governments repudiate the idea of any intervention likely to infringe on the sovereign rights of Russia."

BRITAIN WOULD PACIFY SULTAN

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, May 22.—Britain's desire that a semblance of Turkish empire be preserved in order to avoid religious complications such as might arise through Musselman dissatisfaction, is causing continued discussion in peace conference circles of plans by which this end might be effected. It is understood that plans provide for the sultan remaining in Constantinople as head of the Moslem faith with only nominal moral authority.

ANNUAL PLAY OF THE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

The senior class of the Tonopah high school has been busy for some time past preparing their class play and now have it about ready for presentation.
The play selected for this year is a royalty play entitled "The Strenuous Life," and is a comedy-drama of college life at the University of California.
The Butler theater has been engaged for the evening of Thursday, May 29, for the presentation of the play and the young people expect to give an evening of entertainment that has not been equaled in Tonopah in a long time.
The cast of characters will be ready for publication in a day or two.
Everybody knows men who expect to arrive without starting.

NO POWER SERVICE DURING THE STORM

◆ Interruptions of the power service are responsible for the delay in the Bonanza today. The storm raged furiously in the White mountains and a general suspension of service on three different occasions resulted on the lines of the Nevada-California Power company.

SILVER LADEN SPECIAL TRAINS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—In the 12 months ended April 23 a total of 18 treasure trains made trips from Philadelphia to San Francisco, each carrying between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000 of silver bricks representing wartime shipments by the government of melted silver dollars to India. Each train was composed of five express cars and two armed guards rode on each car. Each brick was worth \$1000. More than 265,000,000 silver dollars were melted and shipped to India to meet the urgent demand for coinage.

WILSON THANKS U. S. SENATE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—President Wilson sent an acknowledgment from Paris of the notification cabled him Tuesday by the special senate committee that the senate had concurred in extraordinary session. He said "please express my appreciation to the senate of its courtesy and say I communicated with congress in the usual manner through my message presented yesterday and express the hope that I may soon be present in Washington to communicate to them full information with regard to international affairs."

WANT DIVORCE IN TREATY FORM

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Sherman announced today that he would introduce a resolution Friday proposing separation of the league of nations covenant from the peace treaty. The opinion seems to gain ground that all repeal measures will be kept in committee until after July 1, notwithstanding the president's recommendation for repeal of the wine and beer provision wartime prohibition. Prohibition leaders expressed confidence that enforcement measures will be enacted before then.

TONOPAH HIGH CLOSING DATE

Saturday, June 7, has been selected as the date for the Tonopah high school commencement exercises. The exercises will be held in the high school gymnasium in the evening at 8 o'clock.

Judge Mark R. Averill has accepted the invitation of the graduating class to deliver the commencement address and the people of Tonopah will at once know that a treat is in store for them. State Superintendent Hunting has consented to be present and to make the presentation address. This will be the first opportunity of Superintendent Hunting to appear before the public in Tonopah and he will be glad to meet as many Tonopahs as possible at that time.
Music for the evening will be provided by Prof. Carl's orchestra.

The graduating class numbers 12 and the young men and women who will receive their diplomas this year are Roy Clark, Ethel Farrell, Pearl Terrault, Robert Mitchell, Grace Clendenen, Rhoda Lamb, Ralph Meldrum, Alberta Turner, Irene Farrell, Vera Parker, Mary Landers, Mary Connors.

SUNNY DIVIDE RECEIVES CARLOAD OF MACHINERY

J. W. Morris of the Sunny Divide Mining company, has been notified by a telegram from Grant Miller that a carload of machinery was shipped from Reno two days ago and is due to arrive here in the morning.

PIONEERS, ATTENTION!

Tonopah Pioneers of 1901-02 are requested to attend a meeting this evening at the office of the Tonopah Daily Bonanza for the purpose of furthering arrangements for celebrating the year of their arrival in camp.

WINGFIELD GIVES STATEMENT ON SITUATION AT THE DIVIDE

The exact situation in the Tonopah Divide mine together with a summary of the work done and what will be done within the next few weeks is given out by George Wingfield.

His statement was as follows:
"The drift on the fourth level has been extended until it is about 10 feet beyond a point that would be about the middle of the big 311 stope on the third level. About 10 feet from the end a short crosscut has been run for about 15 feet to the south and a raise started which is now up about 20 feet. The first 110 feet of the fourth level drift averages for the face of the drift \$148 and we do not know yet what the full width is as we have not either wall and have not up about the middle of this 110 feet is averaging about \$60 per ton."

"We have reason to believe that beyond this 110 feet we have gotten off the vein and from the dip and strike of the ore shoot at the big 311 stope above, we can not expect to be into this big bulge on the bottom level with the work that has been done so far. We have been getting along in the past with a three-drill compressor but about the 10th of April bought a ten-drill machine and have just finished the installation of this so that now we can get some real work done on this fourth level as well as start the crosscut on the fifth level."

"We will immediately extend the drift, crosscut both north and south and continue the raise under the bulge. We will also put in some crosscuts both ways at other points."

STALL BROTHERS BUY ONE HALF INTEREST IN CALIFORNIA MINE

Frank Stall and George Stall, the men who made a million out of their lease on the National mine at National and who owns the big Masonic mine at Masonic, Mono county, Cal., have bought a half interest in the California Tonopah mine from Gov. Jos. Hutchinson and J. R. McCrea. The transfer was effected this morning. The first act of the joint owners was to pay the lessors \$25,000 in cash for all their rights and equipment under their lease and certain stock promised them. The details of the deal and a full description of the plans of the buyers appeared in the Bonanza of May 14. The new company will be known as the New California Tonopah Mining company. The former lessors have secured a contract to drift from the 575-foot level under the bottom of the present winze, or a distance of 275 feet. The last act in razing down the curtain on the old management was noted today when the lessors received a check for a carload of ore that had been shipped to the Tonopah Belmont mill which netted \$42 a ton. Another carload is on the dump. The mine will be operated under the personal direction of Frank Stall, who will become resident agent and move his home to Tonopah.

STUDYING AERO LINE TO DIVIDE

Frederick C. Porter, official representative of the Aero Club of America and an officer of the Pacific Aero Club, arrived this morning from San Francisco commissioned to inquire into the feasibility of establishing an airplane service between Tonopah and the coast. The visitor does not come here to organize a company or to do any promoting as his activities will be restricted to ascertaining the commercial requirements of the camp. In the opinion of Mr. Porter the distance to San Francisco could be negotiated in not to exceed five hours.

PITTMAN-BREWINGTON WEDDING HELD IN RENO

Val Pittman, prominent southern Nevada mining and newspaper man and brother of United States Senator Key Pittman, was married in Reno at 4 o'clock this afternoon to Miss Ida Brewington of Bevier, Mo., says Tuesday's Gazette. The ceremony was performed at the rectory by Rev. Samuel Unsworth, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, and was attended by only a few close friends of the couple.

Mr. Pittman and his bride met in Tonopah a few years ago, where Miss Brewington was teaching music in the Tonopah schools. Rumors that the marriage was to take place a few months ago were heard in Tonopah when Mr. Pittman made a hurried trip east on a visit.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Brewington of Bevier, and was very popular in Tonopah. Mr. Pittman has been manager of the Tonopah Miner for six years and has also been engaged in numerous mining enterprises. He has resigned from the management of the Miner, and with his bride will leave tonight for San Francisco, where he has been appointed to a position with the United States shipping board, and they will make their home in the bay city.

and get our bearings with relation to the vein. The opinions given to me by the most eminent engineers that are in this country and who have seen the property cause me to think that there is no reasonable doubt but that the other ore shoot (that is the one at the big bulge) will extend downward to the fourth level just as the first one has done.

"The formation seems to be exactly the same as above and if the mineralization continued in the first shoot, there seems to be no real reason not to expect it in the other. The various stopes and raises in the mine are holding up to our best expectations and in the wired report from the mine last night, giving the assays in these stopes and raises, not one went below \$50."

"We are just starting to cut the station for the fifth level at approximately 600 feet in depth and will push the work of crosscutting from this point. All of this work can now be done more rapidly and much faster development can be expected hereafter."

"It should be remembered that we have only drifted on the fourth level for a distance that would be 250 feet in a straight line that we have not had the time nor the compressor capacity to do any crosscutting except to the south for a very few feet in two places; that in this 250 feet we have shown up 110 feet that average \$148 for the width of the drift and we do not yet know how wide this is and will not know until we are able to crosscut it both ways."

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DEATH OF HOTEL MAN

Charles W. Webster, lessee of the Goldfield hotel, died in the Lane hospital in San Francisco Tuesday morning of cancer.

POLES WIN IN UKRAINE

(By Associated Press)
WARSAW, (Monday), May 19.—The Ukrainian offensive against the Poles is completely broken is officially announced.

BAPTISTS HOLD BUSINESS TALK

(Correspondence Associated Press)
DENVER, Colo., May 21.—Interest of ten thousand Baptist churches centered in Denver today when the opening session of the Northern Baptist convention was called to order in the municipal auditorium for what leaders say will be an epoch-making week in the history of the denomination. Approximately 2000 delegates were present. Radical changes in church management, church financing and the post-war world activities on a scale never before dreamed of are to be proposed to clergymen and laymen.

President F. W. Ayers of Philadelphia opened the convention after a week of pre-convention activities at which reports of committees which have planned the new activities of the church were whipped into shape for presentation.

As the convention opened the chief subject in discussion among the delegates was the proposal to put the denomination's affairs on a business basis with a maximum of efficiency and minimum of waste effort. Wide divergence of opinion, expressed through religious periodicals during the past several months by church leaders, assured an interesting contest on all suggestions on his subject which are to come before the convention proper.

One of the business methods is a budget proposal, with a committee to decide before each convention just what amount of money will be needed for each branch of church work and divide the total among the churches after convention approval. The plan was worked out by the National Committee of Northern Baptist Laymen appointed at the last convention and their plan is a modified form of the national congress at Washington, meeting once a year.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

◆ Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:

	1919	1918
2 a. m.	61	42
9 a. m.	66	50
12 noon	72	61
Maximum May 20	77	66
Minimum May 20	57	45
Relative humidity at 2 p. m. today	24	per cent.

ENJOINED FROM STEALING NEWS

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 21.—A final decree was entered today by the United States district court perpetually enjoining the International News Service, its officers, employees and agents from taking, appropriating or selling news received from or gathered by the Associated Press by obtaining it from members of the Associated Press or their employees or from any bulletins or newspapers published by Associated Press members.

FLIGHT OF NC-4 FOR LISBON IS DELAYED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—Resumption of her trans-Atlantic flight by the NC-4 has been delayed. The navy department received a message today saying one of the plane's engines developed trouble, and that the start for Lisbon would not be made today.

Dispatches indicated that the motor troubles are not serious, and it is expected that the seaplane will get away at daybreak tomorrow. Commander Towers, flight director, recommended NC-1, which sank at sea, be stricken from the navy list as "lost at sea," that NC-3 be placed out of commission for rebuilding when she arrives in New York. Towers and the remaining members of the two crews will proceed to Plymouth, England, the objective port of NC-4, aboard the destroyer Stockton.

ABANDON HOPE FOR SAFETY OF HAWKER

(By Associated Press)
ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 22.—Hope for the safety of Hawker and Grievie, missing since they attempted the trans-Atlantic flight Sunday is virtually abandoned by the British fliers preparing to take wing in their wake.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—The house adopted the suffrage amendment resolution after less than three hours' debate.
The vote was 204 to 88, 42 in excess of the necessary two-thirds majority vote. Suffrage leaders predicted final enactment within two weeks.

SIBERIAN CASUALTIES COME TO SAN FRANCISCO

(By Associated Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—One hundred wounded Czechoslovaks of the Siberian campaign are due next week on the American transport Sheridan from Vladivostok, San Francisco is the nearest place to obtain adequate treatment for their severe wounds.

HIGHWAY ENGINEER INSPECTS PROJECTS

C. C. Cottrell, state highway engineer, has completed a week's trip of inspection of the various highway projects in different parts of the state and reports work proceeding satisfactorily on all of the contracts now under way. During his trip he visited Tonopah, Beatty, Hawthorne, Goldfield, Ely and Fallon, traveling by auto. Highway work is under way in Nye county, White Pine county and Churchill county.

WELTERWEIGHT COMES FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Walter McDevitt, San Francisco's crack welterweight boxer, arrived in Tonopah this morning with his manager, Kid Amer. McDevitt has all the earmarks of a good man, and judging by his long record, one can plainly see that Gus Ranier has secured a boy that will be a big attraction for the show on the 29th. McDevitt was recently discharged from the navy. He enlisted at the beginning of the war and just before serving his enlistment period, McDevitt fought some great battles. He won over Ad Wolgast in 10 rounds, has a 10-round draw with Joe Rivers, fought Harry Thorpe three times, losing once, beating him in 10 rounds and again beating him in 15 rounds. He has a newspaper decision over Wildcat Ferns, Matty Baldwin and Frank Whitney—all 10-round fights; won from Frankie Adams in 15 rounds. These were all fought in Kansas City, Joplin, Mo., and Des Moines, Ia. In San Francisco McDevitt fought Kid Herman, winning twice and getting four draws; he also has two draws with Eddie Shannon and a draw with Joe Miller.
He will train daily at the Northern at 3 p. m. with Joe Welch.

SHIPMEN MAY SHUT UP YARDS

(By Associated Press)
OAKLAND, May 22.—A strike of a quarter million shipworkers and men employed by allied crafts will be called if a satisfactory agreement to supplant the Macy Award agreement between shipbuilders of the Pacific coast and employes is not reached by July 21.

MACHINISTS QUIT WORK IN LOS ANGELES YARD

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, May 22.—83 hundred union machinists, who quit the Los Angeles Shipbuilding company plant yesterday because of alleged discrimination against union men by the company, remained on strike today. Both sides said an early settlement seemed improbable.

WARSHIPS COST FORTY MILLIONS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—Only two definite bills were received for construction of the remaining two of ten superdreadnaughts authorized by congress in 1916. The Newport News Shipbuilding company offered to deliver one in 40 months for \$21,300,000. The Bethlehem Shipbuilding company offered one delivered in 40 months for \$22,650,000.

AMERICANS DISSATISFIED WITH THE PEACE TREATY

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 22.—The Paris correspondent of the Westminster Gazette reports dissatisfaction with the peace treaty on the part of some members of the American delegation. The paper quoted one as saying: "The treaty does not mean peace; it means war." The correspondent added that he was greatly concerned over evidence of the changed feeling in American quarters regarding Wilson.

ENGINEERS DISPLACE THE WINNEPEG STRIKERS

(By Associated Press)
WINNEPEG, May 22.—When the union men at the city waterworks declined to furnish full pressure as the council had ordered, and left the building, their places were filled by men supplied by the Manitoba Society of Civil Engineers. Deliveries of gasoline, food and ice were made. The general strike leaders countered, but made no announcement.

PERSHING WILL REMAIN TO WATCH THE RHINE

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 21.—Pershing's proposed visit to England is postponed indefinitely. It is inferred this is due to the official view that it would be inadvisable for Pershing to leave the Rhine until Germany has signed the peace treaty.

FARM COMMISSIONER SENT TO GREAT BRITAIN

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—Edward Foley of San Francisco has been appointed representative of the United States Bureau of Markets in the United Kingdom. The department of agriculture said he is the first agricultural trade commissioner sent abroad.

**BUTLER
THEATRE**

TODAY

CORRINE GRIFFITH
IN
"THE GIRL OF TODAY"
A Robert W. Chambers story,
and he never wrote a poor one.
ALSO

"SON OF DEMOCRACY"
(His Native State), the Abraham Lincoln picture.

TOMORROW

CONSTANCE TALMADGE
IN
"THE LESSON"
Friday—
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS
—Friday