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## Study Dog Racing Bill Before Committee Today

By JAMES I. GIBSON  
Senator, This Area

Several bills of interest to Clark County have been introduced in the last few days. One of these would consolidate all water management in the valley under the Las Vegas Valley Water District. This would include the initial supply of water, as well as the sewage treatment and the reuse of water after treatment. This cuts across several existing jurisdictions and has considerable opposition from the cities. Some day the valuable resource represented by our water will no doubt have to be managed by one agency in order for it to be most efficiently used for the benefit of the people and within the amount that is available. Another bill would change the air pollution law to allow

the local health district to be involved in the actual licensing of the type and nature of equipment or process that a private industry could install. It would entail going to the board for a permit before any equipment is installed or altered in any way. The board would then pass judgment on that which is proposed and in fact could recommend the type of equipment that could be installed. This seems to be a rather far ranging change in the law. I doubt if the district could ever hire the necessary technical people that would be required to carry out such a provision. In addition it would seem that they would be accepting considerable responsibility in such matters. What would happen if the equipment or process they recom-

mended did not work properly, what would their liability be? As the time goes by more and more of these measures are coming into the hopper. I'm sure it will be impossible to process them all within the reasonable time that we will be in session. That time is getting longer and longer but little progress is being made in getting rid of the backlog of bills. The taxation committee will consider the multiple racing bill today. I expect that most of the recent questions which have been asked will be answered at that time, and the bill will be voted out of committee for action by the senate. The senate vote will be very close, with the question being decided by one or two votes either way.

## Girl Scouts Celebrate Birthday Week March 12

By MARGARET GRAHAM

"On my honor, I will try to do my duty to God and my country; to help other people at all times and to obey the Girl Scout Laws."

With these words a young girl is invested in the largest girl's organization in the world.

Girl Scouts, or girl guides as they are known in other countries, are observing International Girl Scout Week from March 9 through March 16. In this country, the first Girl Scout meeting was held by Juliette Gordon Low, founder, on March 12, 1912, and since that time millions of girls have made the Girl Scout promise.

Their laws encompass character building ideals including loyalty, thrift, honor and service. With the assistance of their leaders, they develop skills in three major areas, the home, arts and outdoors. Henderson, a member of Frontier Council, has 11 troops with approximately 255 registered Girl Scouts and there are 55 adults actively

participating in the capacity of leaders, co-leaders and committee women. The hub of their activity is the scout house, which is located behind the Eagles hall on Pacific. The house was built by the Rotary Club and has been maintained by them

since that time. Many special events have been planned during Girl Scout Week, including Girl Scout Sunday, when they will attend their own churches in full uniform, and on March 11, they will hold the annual Father-Daughter banquet.

**VFW POST HOME GETS NEW LOOK**

The VFW hall took on a new look this week. The hall was completely painted by Lloyd Elliott of Elliott Roofing, who gave it the blue and white it previously had. Commander Homer Englestead expressed appreciation from the post for this contribution.

Fire Girls will participate, and the Jaycees will form a labor pool to clean up some yards. There will be a city pick-up of trash from certain areas which will be announced later.

**Daniel W. Green Services Held At St. Peter's Church Here**

Funeral mass for long-time Henderson resident Daniel Wilbur Green, 63, who died Feb. 21 at Rose de Lima Hospital, were held Monday, Feb. 24, at St. Peter's Church in Henderson. Rosary was recited Sunday, Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at Bunker Brothers Chapel in Las

## 'Parade of Fashions' Show Set Saturday

The Henderson Jaycees will present the "Parade of Fashions", a unique fashion show, Saturday, March 15, between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m. at the Junior high school on Water street. The fashion show is unique in the respect that it includes spring fashions from not only Henderson stores such as Rasco, Arden's, but also fashions from Ward's department store, Sears, and Wonderworld. Several prizes will be given to best model chosen in her division. A shampoo and set from R-Van's Hairum will be given to the best adult model; Wendy Ward from Ward's store is offering a six-weeks charm course to the best teen model, and Sears is giving to

the best child model a children's outfit. Master of ceremonies will be Wendy Ward, and there will be several distinguished guests from television and the Las Vegas community, to act as judges. They are Gus Giuffre, Dick Gregg, Jan Cheveris, and Fedora Bontempi. Tickets can be purchased at the door or obtained by calling 565-6691 or 565-9110. It is a \$1 donation, and proceeds will go towards a scholarship given annually to a Basic high school student. Refreshments will be served and it is expected to be a gala affair. Participating in the show will be 50 women, teens and children from Henderson.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor: We have lived in Henderson since the city first began and we were horrified to read last week where an elderly couple was beaten up while walking to their home. Has it come to a point where citizens of Henderson need to arm themselves? We have never been afraid to walk our streets here, but this happening, makes you wonder. We believe with Mr. Zenoff, that the names of people, whomever they are,

should be published if they commit such a crime. My husband has worked in association with the Sheriff's office for over 35 years, here and in Texas, and if it is possible and could be worked out, he would be willing to sit out some of your time in jail if you are punished for publishing juvenile names. He is 80 years old but believes the time would be well spent. (s) Eula Beavers

Dear Mr. Zenoff, I think you are wrong about this throwing rock business. I do not think that you should write down the names of the parents. You can not have your parents watching over everything you do. You are punishing the juveniles not their parents. I also think you should not put the address of the juveniles. You are almost saying the families of the juveniles are doing this. Remember its the juveniles who did it not their families!

Yours truly, (s) Steve Staley Basic High Student 9th grade Mr. Appleton's 6th period

**TRICYCLE LEFT AT PARK VILLAGE SCHOOL**

A tricycle was left at the Park Village school recently and the owner may identify it at the principal's office.



**INDUSTRIAL DAYS BEAUTY CONTESTANT**

Pictured is Linda Thompson, 19, who has entered the Industrial Days Beauty Contest slated for April 23. Linda is a graduate of Basic high school, where she was active in chorus, ensemble Desertaines and was a member of the National Honor Society among others. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Rice, 109 Juniper and is being sponsored by Titanium Metals Corp. —Basic photo

## Local Builders Surmount FHA Obstacle, Will Build 100 Rentals Near School

The local Crossley family, owners and operators of Boulder Construction Company, won a break-through in their effort to build a large town-house type rental project in Henderson, when on Friday

they met with deputy assistant regional director of FHA, Donald C. Lamke. Following a lengthy discussion of the planned project, Lamke encouraged them to apply for 100 units, stating

that if no further technical matters come forth from the applications, he felt certain approval would be given. Having been turned down earlier by state FHA director, James Baker, the Crossleys were determined that they be given a chance to fill some of this city's needs, and they consequently appealed to the Washington representatives in congress, to our city mayor, Bob Hampton, to this newspaper's publisher, Morry Zenoff. At every turn, the builder started to receive aid—and finally Lamke decided to come in from San Francisco and study the case himself. He did so on Friday morning, holding a meeting at the Vegas Federal building where the Crossleys, Mayor Hampton and Zenoff accompanied the Crossleys.

## PD Officers End Drug Abuse School

Lt. Jim Jensen and Detective Bob Matheny recently completed a two week course in narcotics and dangerous drug law enforcement in Long Beach, Calif. They were two of 181 graduates to receive diplomas from Patrick P. O'Carroll, of the Department of Justice's Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs.

The Bureau was created last year when the former Bureau of Narcotics and Bureau of Drug Abuse Control were merged and placed under the Justice Department. The Bureau is responsible for enforcing existing federal narcotics and dangerous drug laws and aiding state and local law enforcement agencies in cracking down on illegal drug trade as spear-heading educational programs aimed at reducing use of narcotics and the abuse of drugs. While at the training school, Lt. Jensen and Det. Matheny

learned the latest methods used to control narcotics and dangerous drug abuse. The highly specialized instruction included lectures, seminars, and discussions on such subjects as identification of various narcotics, stimulants, depressants, and hallucinogenic drugs and their effects; methods of curbing illicit drug and narcotic traffic and techniques of investigation for suspected violations. The school, as part of the Bureau's overall program, emphasizes the need for continued cooperation between the federal, state and local enforcement agencies in the struggle to end drug abuse and narcotic addiction.

## Need Clothing For Boys And Girls Here

Children's clothing is needed for three families in Henderson, and Mary Jo Todd of the Henderson Welfare, has asked that anyone having clothing, please contact her. Dresses and underclothing for girls ages 6, 8, 10 and 12 are needed, and clothing for boys ages 3, 5, 6 and 7. Anyone having clothing should contact Mrs. Todd at 565-6244 or 564-3892, or drop them at 660 Blackmore. Mrs. Todd expressed appreciation to all those who donated television sets for needy families and elderly people.

## Filing Opens March 27 For Mayor, Council

The filing date for the posts of mayor and councilman for Ward 3 opens March 27 and closes April 7, according to City Clerk Genevieve Harper. The filing fee for mayor is \$50, and the filing fee for the council post is \$25. Thomas A. Mulroy, registrar of voters, announced that Saturday, March 22 is the last day to register for the primary election for Henderson. Special registration desks will be placed at Safeway Market in Henderson.

**PLANNERS TO MEET WEDNESDAY**

A meeting of the city planning commission will be held Wednesday night at 8 p.m. at the city hall. One of the only items listed for discussion was approval for ten directional signs for the Highland Hills Subdivision.

The mayor and Zenoff both pictured the need for housing, while the Crossleys showed ability to handle the financial requirements for a project which at the start could be a losing or just a break even venture. Lamke expressed pleasure for having learned more of the case and at the conclusion of the hearing he encouraged the Crossleys to apply for 100 units. Their project, known as Tropicana Square, will be built near the high school.

## Chamber OKs Dog Racing Bill

The Henderson Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors has sent a resolution to the Senate asking for approval of SB-140, the multiple racing bill. The bill would legalize dog racing in Nevada and has received support of the city council and the Chamber of Commerce here. A dog racing track is planned in connection with the Las Vegas Downs, horse racing track here.

## Joe Delaney Speaker At ABWA Meeting

Joe Delaney of the Open Line program, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the American Business Women's Association to be held tonight at 7 p.m. at the Eldorado Club. Delaney will conduct an open line type program in the Rose room at the Eldorado Club.



**HENDERSON GIRL SCOUTS** — Pictured are representatives of the over 255 Girl Scouts in Henderson who are joining in with girl scouts and girl guides all over the world in observing International Girl Scout Week, March 9 thru March 16th. Left to right are Brownie Shannon Galloway, Cadette Kathy Schoenfeld and Junior June Wooldridge. —Basic photo

## Senior Citizens Plan Monthly Potluck Thurs.

Members of the Senior Citizens group will meet Thursday, March 13, at the Victory Village auditorium, for a potluck dinner. Hosts for the affair will be Mr. and Mrs. Smith and everyone is asked to bring his own dish and service. The coffee will be provided by the club. At the last meeting those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lyons, James Clark, Mary Cromwell, Edna Weldon, Frances Dixon, Margaret Badie, Goldie Nichols, Lillian West, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, Florence Stewart, Pearl Fredrickson, Mrs. Reginald Fyhen, and Cele Jackson. The hostess was Kathryn Lyons assisted by Lillian West. A cake was served honoring the birthday of Florence Smith, which was Friday, March 7.



**PROCLAIMS DAY CARE CENTER MONTH** — Mayor W. R. Hampton, left, is shown proclaiming March as Day Care Center month for Henderson is support of the center in Carver Park. With him is Mrs. Ethel Lucas, director and Ben Prime.





