

Bill to Reorganize State Department Waits House Vote

WASHINGTON, May 7. (AP) A bill to reorganize the State Department as suggested by the Hoover Commission awaited House action today after being passed by the Senate.

San Pedro Plunges Off Dock, Drowns

SAN PEDRO, May 7. The heroic effort of a bystander and the hour-long efforts of a fire department inhalator squad, yesterday afternoon failed to revive Cleofas LaFarga, 55, 245 W. O'Farrell St., who plunged into the harbor at Berth 98.

Local Briefs

Injured in Fall—Mrs. Philip M. Thompson, 4392 Elm Ave., who was injured Wednesday in a fall at a local market, will be confined to her home for several weeks, it was reported today.

Purchasing Men See Two Ways Into Depression

NEW YORK, May 7. (AP) Leading U. S. purchasing agents after a five-week seminar in purchasing management at Columbia University issued the opinion today that there are only two avenues along which a depression is likely to develop.

Evangelistic Meetings at West Side Church

West Side Christian Church, 2530 Adriatic Ave., will hold an evangelistic meeting, starting May 9 and continuing nightly to May 22, it was announced by the minister, James L. Shields.



NEW L. B. TERMINAL CROWDED—An example of the commercial activity at the new huge transit shed, outer Long Beach Harbor, is pictured here, with ships occupying all the space from Berths 5 to 10. In the foreground is the Canadian freighter Taxis, here topping off cargo for the Far East with two former subchasers on deck; States (Quaker) Line's Montana, loading a vast amount of Army and general cargo for the Orient; Calmar Line's freighter Seamar, putting down steel from Pennsylvania; Sain-Staugen Line's motor freighter Shauvann, discharging cargo from the Orient, and Isthmian's Zane Grey, waiting to load pipe for the Persian Gulf.—(P-T. Photo by Staff Photographer C. Tally.)

Eccentric Detained in Girls' Abduction

BETHANY, Mo., May 7. (AP) Kidnaping charges faced a 28-year-old eccentric war veteran who took two young Michigan girls to Missouri from their farm home today.

Statistical Snarl Slows Contest for Fields' Wealth

LOS ANGELES, May 7. (AP) Claimants to the fortune of W. C. Fields find themselves deep in a mathematical morass today. The case was adjourned until Monday so they could sort through the figures.

Variety Clubs Elect Dallas Men as Chief

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7. (AP) Robert H. O'Donnell, Dallas, Texas, was re-elected chief international barker at yesterday's concluding session of the 13th annual Variety Clubs International convention.

Romanian High Court Verifies Life Terms

BUCHAREST, Romania, May 7. (AP) The life sentences of Peasant Party Leaders Juliu Maniu and Mihailache on charges of high treason and sabotage were confirmed today by the Romanian supreme military court.

Secretary to Preach at Both Services

Dr. Edward F. Austin of Los Angeles, secretary of missionary promotion for the Southern California Baptist Convention, will preach at Immanuel Baptist Church tomorrow morning and evening.

Minister Will Talk About Maturity

"Foundation for Maturity" will be the sermon subject of Rev. William Harrison Myers of First Methodist Church tomorrow morning. Robert Carver, baritone, will sing "Out of the Deep" (Bedell). There will be no evening service because of the cooperation with the union service at Municipal Auditorium.

Phoenix Minister to Present Sermon

Rev. Leonardo Mercado, from the Mexican Gospel Mission, Phoenix, Ariz., will speak tomorrow at Berea Baptist Church, 6031 Linden Ave., at 11 a. m., according to Rev. Dan D. Barrington, pastor. He will speak at 7:30 p. m. on "Christian Mothers."

Bible Institute Choir

The Laudisti Choir of the School of Sacred Music, Bible Institute of Los Angeles, will come to Long Beach to sing a program of sacred music Sunday evening in Garfield Baptist Church, it is announced by Rev. Leonard K. Faulkner, pastor. The choir, pictured here, is composed of 45 voices, and presents four, six and eight-part music. The members are students training for specific Christian service at home and abroad. Eva Margaret Tovey is director, well known for her work in the California school system.

Navy Family Chapel to Hold Special Service

A Mother's Day service will be held at the Navy Family Chapel, 451 W. Ocean Blvd., at 3 p. m. A flower will be given to each person attending, and two Navy mothers will be honored. The mixed quartet will sing a number from the Plymouth Collection, titled "Sing of Mary," and the choir will sing the vesper hymn, "Savior Breathe an Evening Blessing" (Speaks). Babies and children will be cared for "below deck" during the service. Afterward, coffee and tea will be served in the "living room." All service men, their families and friends are invited.

L. B. Woman Proud of Rare, Black Lily

Mrs. Albert Webber, 755 Almitos Ave., is proud of the rare black lily now approaching full bloom in her front yard, but she says the beauty of the plant does not lie in its odor, which is unpleasant. The lily actually is a deep purple. Blooms are from six to 10 inches in length, unfurling much as other lilies. Mrs. Webber said the plant bloomed last year and attracted much attention from flower lovers.

Buddhist Monks Will Be Speakers

Two Buddhist monks, Rev. Nyogen Senzaki and So-Yen Nakagawa, both graduates of University of Tokyo, will speak tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. at the Y. M. C. A. 600 American Ave., open to the morning worship and Mother's Day observance. It was announced by R. F. Rummel, leader of Long Beach Ethical Culture-Humanist Society. They will appear in their ritualistic robes of office and will speak on "What Is Buddhism?"

Guest Speaker at Savannah Gardens

The guest speaker for the Savannah Gardens Mission at W. Hill St. and Monitor Ave., for tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, will be Marie Seeborg, graduate of the Southern California Bible College of Pasadena. Miss Seeborg has done pastoral work in Montana and assisted in daily vacation Bible school work in Seal Beach for several years. The children's Bible hour is held on Saturdays at 2 p. m. with story telling, autograph music and flannel-graph pictures.

Grace Lutheran Has Early Service

Grace Lutheran Church, 25th St. and Delta Ave., will inaugurate an early service at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow in addition to the regular service at 11. It was announced by the pastor, Rev. Victor William Neumeier. Also there will be a church school during the early service hour, as well as a 9:30 a. m. church school and adult Bible class. Pastor Neumeier will speak on "A Mother's Love" at 8:30 and 11 a. m.

L. B. Philharmonic Ends Fifteenth Season; Soloist Pennario, Young Pianist

FIFTEENTH season of Long Beach Philharmonic Orchestra came to a successful close last night in Municipal Auditorium, presenting as guest artist the young piano virtuoso, Leonard Pennario. The orchestra, led by Robert Resta, was at its finest, playing such numbers as "On the Steppes of Central Asia" (Borodin), and ballet music from the opera, "Prince Igor," by the same composer.

Patent Progresses

Mrs. George E. LaFrance, 330 E. Second St., who entered the Good Samaritan Hospital last Monday for surgery, is recuperating satisfactorily. She expects to return home next week.

RADIO PROGRAMS

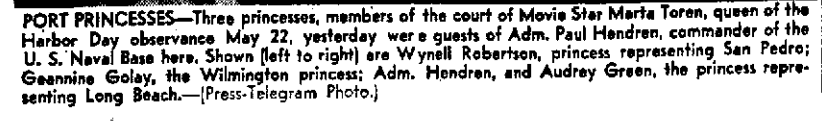
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TELEVISION SCHEDULE

- 7:00—Chen. 4: 1:30—Comedy.
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Vital Statistics

Table with multiple columns listing names, addresses, and dates of births, deaths, and marriages. Includes sections for 'BIRTHS', 'DEATHS', and 'MARRIAGES'.



PORT PRINCESSES—Three princesses, members of the court of Movie Star Maria Toren, queen of the Harbor Day observance May 22, yesterday were guests of Adm. Paul Henderson, commander of the U. S. Naval Base here. Shown (left to right) are Wynell Robertson, princess representing San Pedro; Gaeanne Goley, the Wilmington princess; Adm. Henderson, and Audrey Green, the princess representing Long Beach.—(Press-Telegram Photo.)