

Many Persons Die in Chicago Loop Hotel Fire

At least 54 persons were killed—many suffocated in their beds—outbreak in a fire that erupted Wednesday night in the Chicago Loop.

Most of those who burned had been housed on the third, fourth, fifth and sixth floors. Above the sixth floor, smoke and panic claimed their victims. At least 10 persons died as they leaped from their rooms and fell to the street or in a courtyard.

U. S. Quiz Possible
Maritime union leaders and shipping operators Wednesday resumed wage and hour negotiations under threat of a congressional investigation of these disputes if they fail to prevent a nation-wide maritime strike set for June 15.

Worldwide Help Asked
C.I.O. maritime leaders, criticizing President Truman anew, Sunday appealed to foreign workers to support their June 15 strike by considering as "scab ships" any vessels operated by the United States armed forces.

Discharges Suspended
All coast guard discharges were suspended Tuesday in apparent preparation for the threatened maritime strike, but government cancellations reported progress in their efforts to avert the walkout.

Volunteers Asked
The navy Monday called for volunteers among its inactive personnel for possible duty in the event the threatened maritime strike occurs June 15.

"Absolutism" Hit by Pope
Pope Pius XII in a world broadcast on the eve of Italian and French elections, declared Saturday that the voters would choose between "the champions of the wreckers of Christian civilization," and urged church followers to reject the spirit of "state absolutism."

Leftists Given Setback
Leftists in France suffered a setback Sunday in the national elections for a new constituent assembly by the centrist popular republican movement ousting the communists as the nation's most powerful single party.

Italians Favor Republic
Republic voted by Italian people.

ple and King Umberto will leave Italy Saturday, it was announced Wednesday.

Atomic Controls Approved
Told that the next war may last only minutes, the senate passed Thursday the house of commons domestic atomic energy legislation geared to mesh smoothly with any international control agreements.

Russian Ideas Bar Peace
Foreign Secretary Bevin of England told the house of commons Tuesday that a Russian idea that the Soviet system should be adopted throughout the world has become a "great obstacle to peace." Bevin, in a sweeping review of foreign affairs, urged the Russians to lift the "iron curtain" drawn over Eastern Europe.

Stettinius Quits UN Post
Edward R. Stettinius Jr. quit definitely Monday as United States representative to the United Nations, a job which some said he had come to regard as an "errand boy's."

Franco Regime Blasted
United Nations subcommittee on Spain Saturday declared that Franco regime was a "potential menace to international peace" and recommended a world-wide diplomatic break with Spain unless the falangist government is ousted by September.

Draft Bill Near Vote
The senate Tuesday brought a two-year induction, pay-increasing draft bill up to the brink of final action and then halted work until Wednesday.

Manchuria Trade Looms
General Marshall's committee of three will Thursday sign an agreement imposing a 15-day truce in Manchuria.

World Bank Head Named
The world bank Tuesday elected its first president—Eugene Meyer, publisher-editor of Washington Post, one-time private banker and first board chairman of RFC.

Asks Case Bill Veto
The senate Tuesday asked President Truman to veto the case bill, saying it will "encourage and increase labor disputes."

Decisions Sweeping
Three sweeping supreme court decisions Monday gave the press latitude to criticize the courts and outlasted racial segregation on interstate highways.

Lunch Program Signed
President Truman Tuesday signed the administration-sponsored school lunch act providing federal aid to states in furnishing lunches to school children.

G. E. Takes Over Plant
General Electric company will take over operation of the great plutonium plant near Richland, Wash., about September 1, according to announcement by war department.

Real Estate Transfers
Janet H. Overy et ux to Corrells H. Overy, part Section 25 and 26, T1N 12R W.

J. J. McMahon et ux to Claude Lauch et ux, Lot 15 Block 2, Beaverbrook Addition to Forest Grove.

J. V. Collins et ux to W. M. Smith et ux, part of Humphrey's Addition to Hillsboro.

Washington County to Cyril K. Gloyd et ux, Lot 4 Block 12, So. Park Addition to Forest Grove.

Washington County to P. J. Merkle et ux, Lot 4 Block 42, So. Coast Addition, Hillsboro.

Washington County to J. A. Robbins, W. of E. of Section 6, T1S 14R W.

Claude G. Powers to Wm. F. Windsor et ux, N. of Lot 44 Johnson Estate Addition, Beaverton-Roseville.

David A. Kent et ux to Wm. Van Deusen et ux, Tract 15 Milne Acres.

Robert Bae Underwood et ux to Wm. James et ux, part Lot 4 Block 10, Forest Grove.

Katherine Thrapp Addition et al. to Harry Bunke, et ux, part Lot 30, Tongue's Addition, Hillsboro.

Beaverbrook Investment Co. to Harry S. Nisoll et ux, Lot 9 Block 3, Beaverbrook Addition.

R. L. Kirkpatrick et ux to Elinore C. Uzell, part Wm. Painter DLC No. 42.

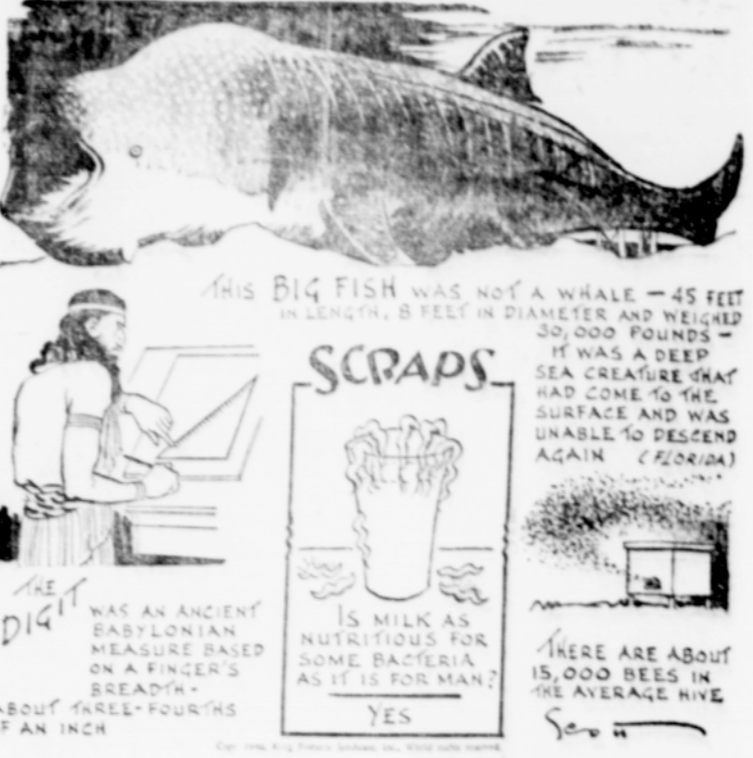
Walter E. Willis et ux to Dale E. Wagoner et ux, part Lot 7, Curtis Subdivision, Forest Grove.

Wm. Russell Peck et ux to Roland P. Holliday et ux, part Section 22, T1S 14R W.

Richard D. Halverson et ux to Carl Edward Pierson et ux, part Section 12, T1S 14R W.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



THIS BIG FISH WAS NOT A WHALE—45 FEET IN LENGTH, 5 FEET IN DIAMETER AND WEIGHED 30,000 POUNDS—IT WAS A DEEP SEA CREATURE THAT HAD COME TO THE SURFACE AND WAS UNABLE TO DESCEND AGAIN (C/O RIA)

IS MILK AS NUTRITIOUS FOR SOME BACTERIA AS IT IS FOR MAN? YES

THERE ARE ABOUT 15,000 BEES IN AN AVERAGE HIVE

WAS AN ANCIENT BABYLONIAN MEASURE BASED ON A FINGER'S BREADTH? ABOUT THREE-FOURTHS OF AN INCH

Lot 23 Block 3, Metzger Ave. Tract.

Tom MacIntosh to F. L. Cox et ux, Lots 3 and 4, Schmidt's Addition to Beaverton.

Clarence Brazil to Anna Brazil, part Lot 25 Block 6, Metzger Ave. Tract.

Irma W. Baker et ux to John P. Janssen, part Section 20 and 44 Block 15, Johnson Tract Addition, Hillsboro.

Corolla H. Overly Smith et ux to Walter Wilson, part Section 20 and 44 Block 15, Johnson Tract Addition, Hillsboro.

Will T. Myers et ux to Lolla Wells et ux, part Forest Grove Addition to Hillsboro.

R. E. Sherman et ux to Basil Wells et ux, part.

Washington Federal Station & Loan Co. to E. Johnson et ux, part Lot 4 Block 4, Humphrey's Addition, Hillsboro.

Rae G. Miller to Lewis O. Weaver and Robert A. Bowen, part of Section 11, T1N 12R W.

Albert E. Dutton et ux to Clifford C. Haysman et ux, Lots 12, 13, Ham-brook Farm.

Maryle Dutton et ux to Clifford C. Haysman et ux, Lot 12, 13, Ham-brook Farm.

Sara N. Turner to Minnie E. Doughty, part of Section 25, T1S 14R W.

Winnie L. Drough to George C. Pichard et ux, part of Section 25, T1S 14R W.

Chas. E. Conner et ux to Richard K. McFarland et ux.

Otto M. Gross et ux to Portland Trust & Savings Bank, part of Section 19, T1S 14R W.

Beaverbrook Investment Co. to Vivell E. Goodwin et ux, Lot 4 Block 2, Beaverbrook Addition to Beaverton.

Beaverbrook Investment Co. to T. J. Loner et ux, Lot 3 Block 2, Beaverbrook Addition.

Walter S. Simpson et ux to Homer H. Wall et ux, part of Lot 4 Block 2, Beaverbrook Addition.

Louis F. Emmott to B. B. Poole and E. C. Cooper, part of Lot 113, Johnson Estate Addition to Beaverton-Roseville.

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