

No Inquest Planned In International Society Girl's Death

Montmolin, Switzerland — Swiss officials said today they planned no inquest into the death of Joanne Connelley Ortiz Patino, the international society beauty whose marital troubles made headlines for four years.

The 26-year-old twice-married former cover girl was found dying of a heart attack early Tuesday in her villa. She died soon after a Roman Catholic priest administered the last rites of the church.

No Investigation Planned

Informed sources said no investigation was planned because she had been ill for some time. The sources said she had been treated twice at a Lausanne Hospital for heart trouble, caused by taking overdoses of reducing pills.

Joanne, a New York debutante of the 1948 season whose beautiful face appeared on many magazine covers, was married first to millionaire socialite golf-

er Robert Sweeney in March, 1944, in a Palm Beach ceremony where she was escorted by railroad tycoon Robert Young.

She made her first international headlines in 1933 when Sweeney divorced her on grounds of adultery with playboy diplomat Portfioro Rubirosa.

Intended To Visit Children

She had intended to visit New York next week to see her two daughters who are in Sweeney's custody.

In 1934 she married Jaime Ortiz Patino, heir to a billion dollar Bolivian tin fortune. Their life together lasted only 49 days and was followed by three years of suits and countersuits across Europe—and blaring headlines throughout the world.

She died just before a Swiss court was to hand down a final divorce decree in a scandal-proof end to the charges of narcotics addiction, cruelty, defamation of character and libel.

ILLINOIS VALLEY Last Scout Meeting Held

BY HELEN BOTTLE

Cave Junction — Last formal meeting of the summer season was held Thursday night by Boy Scouts of troop 20 and their leaders. Scoutmaster Gene Pulley left Tuesday for the Valley Forge Scout Jamboree, and 19 of the troop will spend a week at Camp McLoughlin from July 21-28.

Aside from troop swims and their camp-fund project of windshield washing at the Frontier drive-in theatre, the boys will not get together again for their weekly sessions until September.

During June, films on swimming and life saving, provided by the Air Force, were shown at the Thursday meetings.

At Thursday's meet Bob Ellstrom and Bob White received their first class neckerchiefs and slides.

Both boys won their first class awards in other troops. Young Ellstrom is from Bend, White from Medford.

Jim Burch passed his Morse code test and will qualify for his first class pin during camp this summer.

Russell Doran returned early this week from a business trip to southern California.

The first complete reunion for Mrs. Harry Causey's immediate family in 40 years took place when two brothers and a sister and their families gathered at the Causey home in Broken Kettle canyon near the state line, last week.

The Illinois Valley 4-H Livestock club met at the home of Mike Nicholson last Tuesday. A demonstration of showmanship was given by Mike. Next meeting will be at the Nicholson home July 9.

Dave Webb, 88, was fined \$25 and costs in Illinois Valley Justice court last week on charges of starting a fire on forest land without a permit.

Webb caused a small forest fire in the Mud Springs area while attempting to send up smoke signals for help. He was camping alone near his mine when he became ill. He is now recuperating at the Montgomery Ranch rest home near Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Halbrook sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Ronald Lewis, left recently for their home in Salem, Mo., after spending a week at the Lewis home.

Meeting date for the Eagles and Auxiliary has been changed during the summer months to the first and third Saturdays of each month. The groups formerly met on Thursday.

Mrs. Oakley Summers, of Klamath Falls, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phaylo Pfeiffer of Cave Junction, was among 32 cadets who received commissions as probationary second lieutenants in the Salvation Army at the San Francisco Opera house June 18.

Mike Todd's Party In London Nearly Ends in Tragedy

London — Mike Todd threw London's biggest party since the coronation Tuesday night to celebrate the British premiere of his film "Around the World." The gaudy \$50,000-plus blowout almost ended in tragedy for the pregnant wife, Elizabeth Taylor.

Lurches Into Table

A guest inspired by too many glasses of champagne lurches forward in the celebrity pavilion of the huge amusement park Todd took over as part of the ballyhoo and fell against a table where Miss Taylor was sitting.

The table struck her heavily in the stomach and the dazzling brunette beauty screamed in pain and fear. The baby is expected in October.

Singer Eddie Fisher and his wife, Debbie Reynolds, rushed to the actress' side and summoned Todd.

Todd thrashed his way through the most extraordinary list of celebrities gathered here in years, took in the situation at a glance and grabbed the man responsible. He pushed him to the edge of the lake in the center of London's Cony Island—the Festival Gardens of Battersea—shaking with fury.

Todd Controls Self

It looked for a moment as though Todd were going to hit the offender, but the producer confined himself to gripping the man's shoulders.

"My wife is pregnant," he choked out the words. "Will you please be a gentleman."

A few minutes later Miss Taylor had completely recovered and was holding court at a table which included Sir Laurence Olivier and Vicen Leigh; Duncan Sandys, defense minister and son-in-law of Sir Winston Churchill; former attorney general Sir Hartley Shawcross, the Maharajah of Jaipur and other dignitaries.

Umatilla Chief's Son Found Dead in Jail

Pendleton — Dave Cowapoo, 46, a son of a former chief of the Umatilla Indian tribe and a member of the reservation here, was found dead Tuesday morning in the Athena city jail, after he collapsed on an Athena street.

According to Umatilla county coroner Pat Folsom here, Cowapoo had been taken to the city jail, and was scheduled to attend a court hearing when he was pronounced dead.

The body was returned here, where an autopsy was to be performed.

Road Worker Killed By Backing Truck

Aloha, Ore. — James C. Brookings, 67, Portland, was killed while at work with a road building crew Tuesday when he was run over by a backing asphalt truck here.

Brookings had been spreading cooled asphalt on the road and the truck was backing up to spread some more.

Lina Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips' granddaughter also of Grants Pass, spent a week recently at the Phillips' trailer house in Cave Junction.

Another local motel changed hands recently when Melvin Gray of Sunnyvale, Calif., purchased the Town and Country motel south of Cave Junction from Bonnie Kollmer.

The new owner, who has been visiting at the Bob Holloway home in Selma, will take over around July 15.

Bud Kaufman and Duane Cross have completed a new road into the High Plateau region above O'Brien, opening up the H. W. Miller chrome mine to heavy hauling.

Low grade ore will be mined by Kaufman and Cross and milled by Walter Freeman.

Ray H. Brewer, salutatorian of his Illinois Valley high school graduating class, is one of 124 Oregon high school seniors to receive a scholarship to Oregon State college this fall.

The scholarships, sponsored by the state system of higher education, are worth \$138 each.

Brewer, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brewer of Selma, plans to major in engineering. He was winner of the Bausch and Lomb Science medal in May.

GOLD HILL Scouts To See Slides

By MRS. CLYDE KELL

Gold Hill — Color slides will be shown at the regular meeting of the newly-organized Explorer Post 43, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Scout hall on Fourth ave. Guests are welcome. The slides will show the activities of an Explorer Post in New York.

Plans will be made at this meeting, to attend the Fourth of July display, which is sponsored by the YMCA in Medford.

The last regular meeting was held June 26. At that time plans were made for the swimming party, which was held at Hawthorne park in Medford Friday evening, June 28. The boys and their guests were accompanied by the Explorer advisor Robert Schmidt on this outing.

Mrs. Robert Schmidt took several boys, who had qualified by attendance at the meetings, to the Water-Ski championships at Gardener Lake on Saturday morning, June 29.

Meetings of this Post are held each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Scout hall.

Dedication services for the Christian church were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, June 30.

The program, which consisted of special music, was opened with a piano prelude by Mrs. Irven Ackley of Central Point. Following the prelude Mrs. Ackley and her daughter, Miss Wanda Ackley sang a duet, and a solo was sung by Mrs. Dexter Williams of Medford.

The dedicatory address was given by George Andrews of Ashland, and the dedicatory prayer was presented by Dexter Williams, minister of the Central Avenue Church of Christ in Medford.

The Irven Ackley, Dexter Williams and George Andrews families were all former residents of Gold Hill.

Visitors at the services were present from Grants Pass, Phoenix, Ashland and Medford.

"Memory of October," an oil painting recently completed by Mrs. Ada Andrews of the Upper River road, is now on display at the Truck cafe on Second avenue, Gold Hill.

This picture was started, following a meeting of the Amethest Rebekah lodge in February, when Mrs. Andrews presented a demonstration on oil painting. Several local people were interested in seeing the scene when it was completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Greb were hosts to a dinner last week at their home in Medford. Present for the occasion were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore, of Gold Hill, and Mrs. Dermis Maple and son, Steve of Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Andrews and son, Steve, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freeman, Howard and Pamela, spent June 29 at Diamond lake, where they spent the day boating and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Malone spent Saturday night camping at Diamond lake. They returned Sunday.

Jim Burns went to work for the forest service July 1. He was one of this year's graduates of Crater High school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blevins returned to their home in San Jose, Calif., June 26. They were called to Grants Pass by the death of his father, James T. Blevins who was 91 years old. He was well known in southern Oregon, by early settlers of this area.

Four local boys were among the National Guardsmen, who returned to Medford June 29 after two weeks of tactical combat training at Ft. Lewis, Wash. They were David Parker, Willard Waterhouse, Tim Bailey and Franklin Westfall.

Priest Questioned In Fatal Shooting

Recife, Brazil — A Roman Catholic priest was brought here today by police for questioning in the fatal shooting of the Bishop of Garanhuns.

The priest, Father Hosana Siquiera, fired three bullets into Msgr. Expedito Lopes in the bishop's palace at Garanhuns Tuesday, according to a Brazilian news agency report.

According to the reports, Siquiera, Curate of Quipapa Township, went to the palace to protest against his suspension on a misdemeanor. When Lopes appeared for the audience, Siquiera pulled out a revolver and opened fire, the reports said.

Wind-Swept Fires Rage Over Long Island Land

East Moriches, N.Y. — Fires fanned by high winds swept across more than 2,000 acres of grass and scrub pine near this Long Island community Monday night.

More than 1,000 persons were mustered to fight the scattered blazes in which at least three houses were burned. An estimated 100 persons were evacuated from nearby Center Moriches.

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'Paper Sack' Bandit Robs Service Station

Portland — A "paper sack" bandit held up a service station here Tuesday night. It was the 10th such holdup here since May 7 and police said they believed all were the work of the same bandit.

The robber fled on foot with an undetermined amount of cash from Roy's Richfield station in southwest Portland.

Police said he used the same method as in the past. He walked into the station, showed the attendant a pistol, and then handed him a paper sack, ordering him to take the money from the cash register.

The man is described as 30 to 40 years of age, about 5 feet 10 inches to 6 feet tall, husky with a muscular build, a tanned face, and dark hair with a slight curl. In most cases the bandit has worn blue jeans.

Mrs. Maybelle Rains was surprised on her birthday June 26, when a group of friends gathered for a coffee klatch in her honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cogswell at 9 a.m. Present were Mrs. Harry Newham, Mrs. Lester Parker, and Stanley Newham.

Mr. and Mrs. Linsley Dotson and daughter, Pamela, of Ontario, Calif., drove up to visit with his mother, Mrs. Rains, on her birthday.

They were house guests at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. George Dorman, while they were in Gold Hill. They also visited in Medford with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodman and daughter, Debbie, and Miss Barbara Rains, another sister.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE

No. 8745

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF LAURA FARLOW, An Incompetent Person

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on and after the 24th day of July, 1937, at the office of Walter D. Nunley, attorney for said estate, located at 8 Goldy Building, Medford, Oregon, at and after the hour of 10:00 a.m., the undersigned guardian of the person and estate of the above named incompetent will sell first the personal property of said estate and secondly the following described real property of said estate at public or private sale pursuant to the order of the Court entered on the 25th day of June, 1937, said real property being described as follows:

That portion of the E. 19 rods of Government Lot 2 in Section 16, Township 26 S. Range 4 West of the Willamette Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon, lying northerly of the Northern right of way line of the Southern Pacific Railroad and southerly of the County Road.

Dated and first published this 26th day of June, 1937.

JENNIE JONES
Guardian

FILE NO. 10683

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

PROBATE DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of the Estate of

LEVI HAYS LANTZ, also known as LEVI HAYS LANTZ, also known as L. H. LANTZ, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the above entitled estate by the Circuit Court of the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them at the office of the undersigned's attorney, at 230 West Main Street, Medford, Oregon, properly verified and with proper vouchers, within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, which is the 26th day of June, 1937.

Van Loren Lantz
Executor

O. H. Bengtson
Attorney for Executor
230 West Main St.
Medford, Oregon

Weather Bureau's Service Fouls Lines

Portland — The Portland weather bureau was like the calm after the storm today.

The storm started when the weather bureau decided it would give out recorded forecasts if persons would dial a certain number. This would help ease the load of overworked telephone-answering employees.

Thousands of calls came in to the number.

Then came another call. It was from the telephone company. The calls to the other number were fouling up the exchange because the line wasn't capable of handling the traffic.

Today both the telephone company and weather bureau agreed it was all a mistake. Hereafter, said the weather bureau, to would-be callers, please get forecasts from newspapers, radio or television.

Abraham Lincoln received his license to practice law in 1836.

Maxson, Martin Sell Stage Road Market

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Maxson, Griffin Creek rd., and Forest F. Martin have sold the M and M Market, South Stage rd., to Iva V. and Evelyn M. Smith, route 1, box 539, Medford.

The Smiths took over ownership Monday. The former owners plan to leave this week end for a brief vacation trip. They have announced no future business plans, but will continue to live in Medford.

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