



APPEARING IN COURT, principals in probe of assassination of Sanford Lerner, Chicago department store owner, deny complicity. Attorney Joseph R. Roth (left), 49, says he had nothing to do with killing. Behind him in dark glasses are Donald Dubey (taller) and Sheldon Polakoff, who claimed they were hired to do killing but refused at last minute. Attorney William P. Gerber, representing Roth, and Detective Charles Fitzgerald, who developed evidence linking Roth and Mrs. Lerner, are at right. (International Soundphoto)

San Francisco Bay Replica at Work on Research Problems

Sausalito, Calif. — One of the most ingenious models in existence, constructed at a cost in excess of \$300,000 by U.S. Army Engineers after years of research today is at work on problems which may well affect millions of persons and investments of billions of dollars.

So exact is this replica of San Francisco Bay, considered one of the great natural phenomena of the maritime world, that it is described as something the bay itself might have spawned.

The model occupies 1 1/2 acres within an Army district warehouse, formerly a unit of Marin Shipyards, at Sausalito, in the Redwood Empire a few miles north of the Golden Gate bridge.

The model is now being inspected by engineers from many fields, as well as hundreds of tourists. Here they may observe an exact, simulated reproduction of current velocities and tidal drifts at any point in the bay.

By studying the activated model, engineers will be able to establish a pattern for the movement of mud and silt in the bay and contiguous waters. It now costs the federal government alone \$2,000,000 annually to keep bay region shipping channels open.

Two Suggestions
The model, in addition to providing a key to navigational problems, also will be utilized in coping with the continuing intrusion of salt tidewater to the fertile delta region at the confluence of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers.

Col. John A. Graf, district engineer, U.S. Army, said that engineers, after verification of the model, will be in a better position to consider the feasibility of projected salt water barriers.

Two such barriers have been suggested, one by Cornelius Biemond, a noted Netherlands engineer, and the second by John Reber. The former proposed the construction of a barrier across the Sacramento river in the delta area, with aqueducts to transport fresh water where needed. The Reber plans call for earth barriers across the north and south portions of San Francisco Bay.

Engineers point out that construction of barriers might well pose other knotty problems such as the effect they would have on tidal prisms. The controlled flow and ebb of tides in the model at Sausalito may hold the answer.

FOR SUMMER SOLDIERS
Washington Crossing, N. J. — The searing northeastern drought left its mark on a famed historical spot today. The place where George Washington and his army crossed the Delaware river in boats in 1776 was at wading level from one bank to the other.

Witness Tells of Confidential Rejecting Call Girl's Life Story

Hollywood — Publisher Robert Harrison rejected the life story of a Hollywood call girl because "he wanted juicier stories" for Confidential magazine, a witness testified today in the criminal libel trial of the magazine.

The disclosure came from a former roommate of admitted prostitute Ronnie Quillan as another lurid chapter in the lives of film stars unfolded before a jury.

Told of Conversations
Carmen Jacques, an attractive brunette wearing dark glasses, testified she was a pre-medical student when she roomed with Miss Quillan, and told of conversations she had with Harrison, publisher of Confidential and Whisper magazine.

It was Miss Quillan who Tuesday provided another bombshell in the trial when she testified she had an "affair" with Cuban band leader Desi Arnaz, a story promptly denied by Arnaz.

Miss Jacques said she twice met Harrison at the Quillan apartment when she was living with Miss Quillan between February and December of 1954.

"Mr. Harrison asked Ronnie to get stories for Confidential," Miss Jacques said under questioning by the prosecution, which is seeking to establish that Harrison used prostitutes as "lures" to trap stars and obtain spicy stories.

"Ronnie said she wanted to write her life story for Mr. Harrison but Harrison wanted juicier stories," she said.

During another visit, she said, Harrison and Miss Quillan "discussed a movie star that he had some sort of lead on—an actress."

Arnaz was quick to label Miss Quillan's testimony as "a lot of baloney."

Case of Jitters
"From the pictures I've seen of her, I don't think I could have done anything like that," Arnaz said.

Movie stars got a good case of the jitters with the prosecution's denial it would dismiss charges against Confidential magazine if the defense made good its promise to turn movieland's top heroes and heroines into villains on the witness stand.

ORDNANCE MAN DIES
Washington — Brig. Gen. Urban Niblo, U.S. Army (Ret.), 59, who held several high ordnance posts before his retirement in 1955, died Tuesday.

Nude Body Found In Irrigation Canal
Toppenish, Wash. — A nude body identified as that of Mavis McKay, Pendleton, Ore., was found in an irrigation canal near here Tuesday and the possibility of foul play was being investigated.

Dr. Ralph Shirey, Yakima county coroner, said an autopsy disclosed the woman died of a broken neck.

Her clothing was not found. She was believed to be 30 to 35 years old.

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