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French Healthier Since Liberation

PARIS (UP)—Heart disease was the No. 1 killer in France in 1946, the first post-war government survey of health showed.

Alcoholism, which reached its peak in the jittery depression year of 1939, hardly rates it all today as a cause of death in France.

The survey also showed that the death rate per 10,000 inhabitants in France was on a sharp decline since occupation. For example, in 1938, before the war, 155 people died yearly per 10,000 persons. That rose to 188 in 1942, a bitter year under the German occupation, but now has settled (for the year 1946) to 134, a proof that health conditions in France are improving.

Grandmother Makes Good Schuylerville, N. Y. (UP)—When Schuylerville Central High School graduates 39 seniors in June, Mrs. W. Elmer Shaver, 59-year-old grandmother, will realize her life's ambition. She will be one of the graduates.

Americanization Plan Backfires; Japanese Women Discover Divorce

YOKOSUKA, Japan, (UP)—Japanese women, freed from a social bondage centuries old, ask today how to get a divorce instead of how to get married.

In this city of 261,000, once a great Japanese naval base, the women have formed one of the world's largest women's clubs.

The club started when marriage and divorce complications arose along with other problems the U. S. Navy faced when it took over Yokosuka and began to Americanize the city.

Capt. B. W. Decker, USN, commanding officer of the Yokosuka area, discovered that his task had only begun when he was assigned to the job of dismantling the huge navy base.

So he invited Yokosuka's women to join in a club. They did, 40,000 of them. Then he invited Christian missionaries of all denominations to come to the city and talk the women out of the Japanese custom of arranging marriages through go-betweens.

The missionaries' selling job was too good. When they set up a marriage bureau to help young couples learn to know each other a large proportion of the city's married women clamored for advice on how to be divorced.

So now the missionaries have changed their tactics. They are trying to get the divorce-conscious women interested in a new parent-teachers association.

Not all of the Navy's re-education program is based upon moral suasion. Missionaries and Navy officials have been helped by one of the biggest chocolate-bar bribes in history. Millions of bars of candy that were stored too long in Pacific jungles have been given to the people of Yokosuka. Even em-

ply beer cans have attained a high premium value in the city's civilian economy.

Along with that program, Capt. Decker sees to it that the Japanese get all cast-off American gear and every scrap of lumber torn from old buildings on the naval base. Some machinery has been planted in the civilian economy to help give root to a new industrial city. Out of the civilian plants, the Navy hopes will grow a demand for labor to take care of the 70,000 now employed in the navy yard.

Capt. Decker is from San Diego, Cal., and recently was informed that his two-year tour of duty at Yokosuka would be ended soon.

Proof of his successful administration came when Yokosuka's civilian population heard about Decker's transfer.

They turned out with posters, made speeches, and signed petitions asking that Decker be allowed to stay.

Leading the demonstrations were Yokosuka's women.

Let Them Eat Smelt LACONIA, N. M. (UP)—The staff and inmates of the Laconia State School have been on a steady diet of smelts since the municipal court gave the school 700 pounds seized from poachers.

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Disabled Vets Win Praise As Artists

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"Each of the paintings produced represents the courage of a veteran to overcome a disability," said Dr. C. C. Troesgaard, chief of the rehabilitation program. "Their painters are the boys who took the gaff and weren't content to stay on the salvage heap."

Among the pictures arousing comment are three water colors by Eugene Luff, who is paralyzed from the neck down. So he can paint, a brush is tied to his paralyzed fingers. His landscapes are painted entirely from memory.

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MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Most of the famous old Mississippi River boats have been scrapped but to old-timers their memories linger on.

Each boat was a personality to the men who followed the river or just loafed along its shore.

Probably the most distinguishing thing about each craft was its whistle. In the golden years of steamboating, no owner would think of sending a new packet to ply the Ohio or the Big Muddy without a beautifully-toned blast-er.

Now, like the steamboats they once graced, the whistles and bells are gone from the scene, though many still are close to the river. They can be heard at cotton gins, lumber mills and steam powered plants, or calling hands to work on the big plantations.

Every man, woman and boy had a favorite whistle and for Roscoe Coker of Caruthersville, Mo., it was the blaster on the old packet, the Peters Lee.

In a letter to Capt. Joe Curtis, veteran riverman and river columnist for the Memphis Commercial Appeal, Coker said:

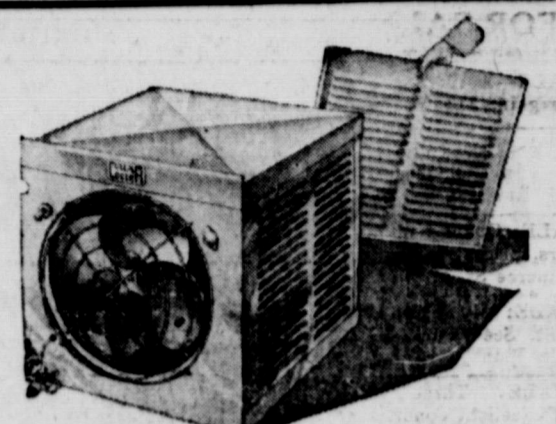
"We youngsters and many of the Negroes working on the plantation at my old home dubbed her 'Hobo Pete.' I first heard the big sternwheeler called that one morning during cotton-picking time.

"One morning happened to

hear the Peters Lee whistling down in a bend below the plantation. Half a dozen pickers also heard it, straightened up from their work to let out a sort of morning yell. Most of those join-

ing in were rousters who had come to enjoy a few days picking cotton.

"Then, I heard a big fellow sing out in a sort of tune he just made up, 'Jes' keep singin' to me, Misah Pete. When an 'ct dis cotton pick', ah's gwine back to yo' an' stomp yo deck ag'in. Yo' is a hobo, Misah Pete, an' a workhouse but ah likes yo'."



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BY HAL COCHRAN

WHEN a man says his wife can't take a joke maybe he forgets himself.

When the worm turns it never knows what to expect, a chicken, a fisherman or a chestnut.

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FORT WAYNE, Ind. (UP)—Fred Berghoff, chairman of the board of safety, had big business to talk over with Mayor Henry E. Branning.

Their traffic conference lasted long because they took so much time discussing the problem of overtime parking. When Berghoff got back to his car he discovered that he had a ticket for over time parking.

More than 1,000 Wisconsin high school students have joined junior science academy clubs in the state.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

(Unexpired term).
H. C. (Carl) Elliott
FOR SHERIFF
J. B. Williams
(Re-election)
H. D. (Jack) White
For Justice of Peace
Precinct No. 1
J. W. Cooper
E. E. Wood, (re-election.)

FOR JUDGE 91st DIST. COURT

Earl Conner, Jr.
George L. Davenport
(Re-election)
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FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 1

C. C. Street
J. D. (Dug) Barton
(Re-election.)

For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh District

Allen D. Dabney
For County Judge
P. L. Crossley (re-election).
C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge
Asking for his first term.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

T. E. Castleberry.
(Re-election.)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:

W. V. (Virgil) Love
(Re-election)

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L. R. Pearson
(Re-election.)
Billie Mae Jobe

FOR REPRESENTATIVE (106 District)

Millard Slaughter
FOR STATE SENATOR,
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It Shouldn't Happen to a Dog



"Caledonia," prize bulldog, certainly leads a dog's life. When they made him model a cocktail-hour hat in Hot Springs, Ark., he registered this look of understandable disgust.

Spellman To Open Australia Exhibit

MELBOURNE, (UP)—Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York is scheduled to open an exhibit of rare sacred manuscripts at the Melbourne public reference library May 3.

The collection is owned by the Melbourne library and believed one of the most comprehensive in the southern hemisphere. The earliest manuscript is a 12th century Italian translation of St. Paul's writing.

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It is the Hotel de Prado, and 11-story building with 600 rooms and art work to qualify it as an art gallery and will be a virtual city within a city when completed.

The managing director, Luis Osio, said accommodations will include everything from single rooms to grand suites having three bedrooms, three baths, living rooms, dining room, library and smoking room. Osio claims that no two rooms in the hotel are exactly alike.

The modernistic public rooms have murals by such artists as Diego Rivera; the French artists Marcita Bloch and Pierre Van Parys Bourdelle, and the Mexicans Roberto Montenegro and Miguel Vovarrubias.

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Eastland Women Furnish Program For Baird Meet

The Federation Missionary Societies of the Baird Churches met with the First Baptist Church in Baird for their quarterly meeting Monday afternoon. Some ladies of Eastland were guests and furnished the program. Mrs. P. A. Crawford brought the address on "Fellowship of Christian Believers." Mrs. Hollis Bennett and Mrs. B. W. Patterson accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. J. Walter, sang two songs "The Valley of Peace" and "The Sweetest Story of Old."

Personals

Darwin Miller, who was burned Saturday and was carried to the West Texas Clinic in Ranger, is doing as well as can be expected.

Trevette Vermillion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vermillion, who is in the West Texas Clinic in Ranger is showing some improvement.

Mrs. Dora Lee Bush is in the West Texas Clinic suffering with heart trouble. She was feeling better Monday. Her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Brannan of Archer City, is with her.

Mmes. Hal Jaskcon, Zetty Parrock and Wm. Koppock were in Ranger Monday visiting Darwin Miller in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bush of Houston have returned to their home after being called here to see his mother, Mrs. Dora Lee Bush, who is ill.

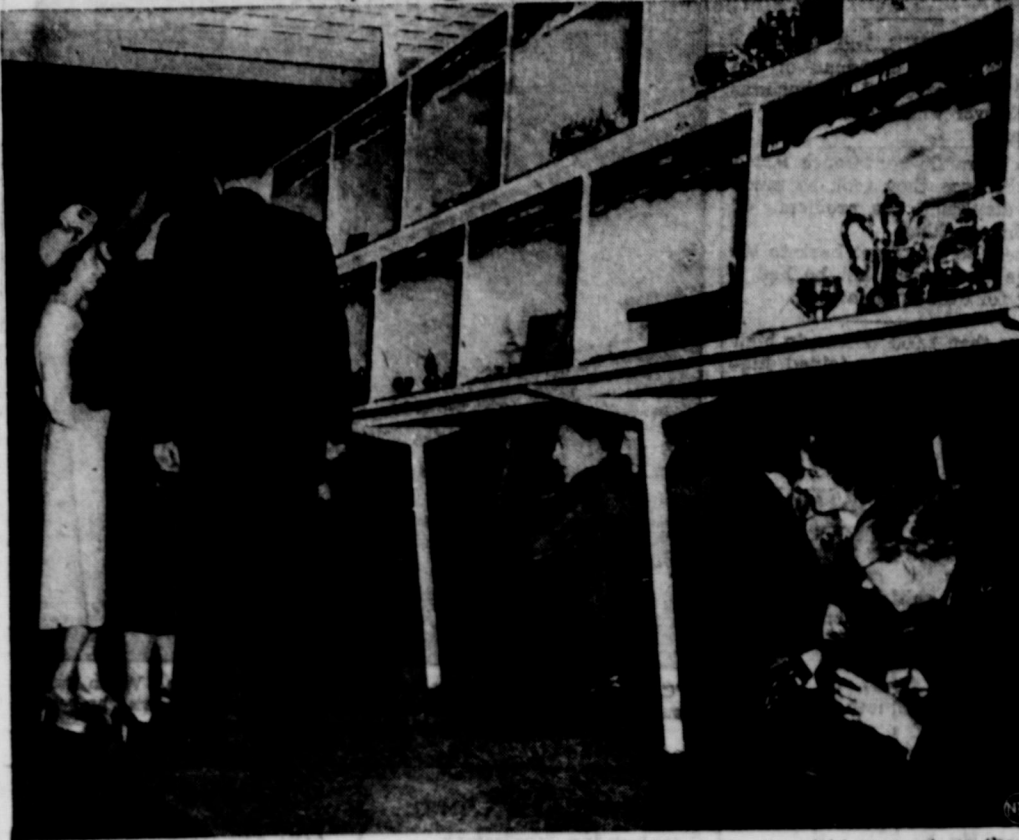
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker were in Fort Worth Sunday afternoon attending the Industrial exhibits.

Button, Button



Looking for a campaign button? Chances are Barbara Grand-Bergh, of Jersey City, N. J., has it on her bathing suit. Barbara is the official convincer of Atlantic City's Steel Pier, and she'll try to convince GOP delegates to visit the New Jersey resort.

'Anything for a Picture



Crouching beneath an exhibition stand, intrepid photographers wait for the right moment, or the right light, or the right pose, or something. They're trying to get a good shot of Britain's King George, Queen Elizabeth and Princess Margaret at the British Industries Fair, London.

Mae's Back!



Back from a nine-month trip to England, during which she said she gained five pounds on Britain's "austerity" diet, is Mae West. The "come-up-and-see-me-sometime" actress, arriving in New York, said British men reacted "very good" to her performances in "Diamond Lil."

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By ROBERT MUSEL
 United Press Staff Correspondent
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 He sat sadly amid the aluminum wonders of the kitchen of the Monte Carlo, watching his 12 under-chefs prepare the dishes that had made him famous. Every dish was brought to him

for his inspection before starting upward to the dim elegance of one of the world's great restaurants. He merely nodded at most of them.
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