

Knocked Out of Bed Victim Not Found

Diligent search for a local resident who actually claimed to have been "knocked out of bed" Friday morning has not produced a single claimant to that experience, despite numerous reports from people that they heard of such a rude awakening.

Road hog: Any other driver on the same highway.

PLAZA THEATRE The Friendly Family Theatre 299 Hawthorne, Calif. Telephone 299

"LADY BE GOOD" ELEANOR POWELL, ROBERT YOUNG

"Badlands of Dakota" ROBERT STACK, ANN RUTHERFORD

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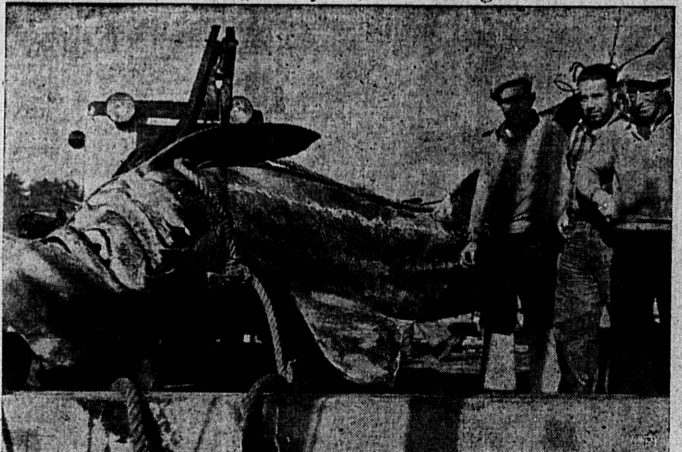
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Huge Shark Caught by Three Oregon Fishermen



Weighing over a ton, this monster shark was caught near Marshfield, Ore., by men shown with it. Its exact species was not immediately identified. It was sold for fox and mink meat, but liver was tested for vitamins. Many Pacific Coast fishermen are "cleaning up" with sale of shark liver, because of high vitamin content.

Judge's Wife Wins Fine Movie Role

One of the best supporting roles to be awarded in recent months by a motion picture studio went to Rosemary DeCamp, wife of Judge John Shidler, this week when she was given a contract to appear as the mother of George M. Cohan in a "Yankee Doodle Dandy," a filmization of the famed actor's life.

"On-the-Spot" Broadcast Features Local Speakers

Joining the scores of reporters and photographers from news agencies, Los Angeles newspapers and those of surrounding towns who augmented the hundreds of amateur cameramen in the early morning hours Friday following the quake, was a touring radio broadcast truck.

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Eleanor Powell Has a Dancing "Rival" Now!

A brand new movie star makes his debut in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer musical, "Lady Be Good," starring Eleanor Powell, Jim Southern and Robert Young at the Plaza theatre at Hawthorne Wednesday for an engagement of three days.

The star's name is Buttons, a dog, and one of the smartest ever to perform before Hollywood's cameras. He isn't in dogdom, bluebook, being a cross between a beagle and a fox terrier, but he's a full-fledged member of Tailwalkers, an honor bestowed upon him by dancer Eleanor Powell with whom he does a complete routine in the film.

McCallum Boasts Of "Scotch Plates"

"I've even got Scotch plates at my house," Robert T. McCallum, owner of the Torrance Sheet Metal Shop, is telling his friends. "Why, a whole stack of dinner plates were knocked out of a cupboard and landed in the same kind of pile on the sink. Only the bottom one was broken."

Water Supply Secure

William H. Stanger, municipal water superintendent, was delighted to record that the city water supply was not affected. He said he had a full crew on the job at 1:30 Friday morning and a three-hour checkup revealed no damage to main lines.

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Teapots and Chinaware Are Quake Casualties

Broken dishes were the principal damage in most homes last Friday night. Mrs. Minnie Brooks of 1328 Fortola ave. was particularly hard hit by chinaware casualties. About 40 of her unusually fine collection of teapots were smashed by the quake. They were thrown from their display racks. Some which were filled with sand were knocked several feet but were unbroken.

Two other heavy losers were Miss Esther Z. Maxwell and Rev. Father Joseph L. Bauer. Miss Maxwell reported that, while all of her mother's beautiful old Wedgewood china was broken beyond repair, "the sheepshead I have come through without a scratch." A fine set of dishes recently presented Father Bauer by women of his parish was lost.

Mrs. John Jay of Los Angeles recently visited the C. E. Woodcocks here.

"Public Notices" ORDINANCE NO. 331 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, CONCERNING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS DAMAGED BY EARTHQUAKE.

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Torrance ordains as follows: Section 1. The City Council of the City of Torrance hereby declares that this ordinance is for the immediate preservation of the public safety, peace, health, and welfare, and that when passed by a four-fifths (4/5) vote of the council this ordinance shall take effect immediately. The facts constituting the urgency of this ordinance are as follows:

Section 2. That Subsection (c) of Section 1602 of the 1937 edition of the Uniform Building Code shall be inoperative and superseded by this ordinance during and for the emergency caused by the earthquake on November 14, 1941.

Section 3. WHEREAS during the existence of an emergency herein referred to, any building or structure in Fire Zone 1 is repaired or altered, it shall not be necessary that such alteration comply with all the requirements of a building hereafter erected in such Fire Zone as provided by said Uniform Building Code, notwithstanding such alterations shall exceed an expenditure of 20 per cent of the value of such building; provided that such alterations shall be in compliance with orders governing the same, which shall be made and issued by the City Engineer, who is hereby authorized to make such orders during the existence of said emergency; provided further that where such alterations involve masonry such order or orders of the City Engineer shall not substantially depart from nor be inconsistent with the following specifications:

(a) All mortar for all types of masonry, including interior clay tile partitions, shall be composed of not less than one (1) cubic foot of Portland Cement to not more than four and one-half (4 1/2) cubic feet of clean washed sand, to which may be added not more than one-half (1/2) cubic foot of lime putty, which has been slaked at least ten days before using, or hydrated lime. All measurements shall be box measurements and all mortar shall be thoroughly mixed by machine, if more than five sacks of cement are used on the job. Shovel measurements are hereby prohibited. All mortar shall be used within one (1) hour after the addition of the Portland Cement and no mortar shall be retempered.

(b) All masonry units shall be laid with full shovels mortar joints with a head bed and wall joints solidly filled with mortar. BONDING: (c) All brick work shall be laid with full header courses bonded through walls not more than every fourth course in height (three (3) stretcher courses between headers), excepting where a grouted, reinforced masonry is used. VENEER AND FACING: (d) All masonry veneer and facing shall be fully bonded as herein provided, except that masonry veneer or facing may be applied in front of steel or reinforced concrete members or walls when tied or anchored thereto in accordance with written instructions from the Building Inspector.

In veneering on wood frame (Type V) construction, the veneer shall be tied to one-inch diagonal sheathing well spiked to studs. All methods of tying veneer shall be approved by the Building Inspector. Veneering on wood frame (Type V) construction will not be permitted except on residences, duplexes and private garages. SECOND HAND UNITS: (e) No used or second-hand masonry units shall be used unless they are sound and at least ninety per cent (90%) whole, and have been thoroughly cleaned of all adhering mortar. CONNECTING OLD AND NEW MASONRY: (f) All masonry units shall be thoroughly wetted not more than (1) hour before laying and shall be damp at time of laying. (g) All bonding surfaces of old existing masonry to which new masonry is to be added shall be thoroughly cleaned of all old mortar and the surfaces thoroughly wetted at the time new work is constructed. All new masonry shall be definitely tied into old or existing masonry by means of reinforced concrete, steel, or other means which will be adequate in the opinion of the Building Inspector to meet the special condition. All walls or parts of walls which are fractured or in which the bond between the mortar and the brick is ruptured shall be taken down to a point where the wall is tight and well bonded. BELT COURSES AND LINTELS: (h) Except on dwellings and private garages, the exterior walls of masonry construction shall be properly designed and tied to resist lateral forces. Where masonry is damaged, horizontal belt course ties shall be placed under the floor joists of each floor above the first floor and under the ceiling joists or roof rafters. The depth of horizontal ties shall be equal to at least four (4) courses of brick work and its width shall be at least equal to the wall thickness minus the width of a brick, but in no case less than eight (8) inches. Each horizontal tie shall be reinforced as shown on plans and approved by the Building Inspector. All vertical and horizontal bars shall lap forty (40) diameters of the bar but in no case less than twenty-four (24) inches. In lieu of concrete ties and belt courses, structural steel ties may be used when approved by the Building Inspector. Lintels over openings more than four (4) feet in width which are of structural steel shall be encased over top and sides with concrete or masonry which shall be anchored to structural steel by approved mechanical ties. PARAPET WALLS: (i) All required masonry parapet walls shall be not less than twenty-four (24) inches in height above the roof adjacent thereto. A horizontal tie of reinforced concrete or brick shall be placed at the top of all parapet walls. Such ties shall be reinforced with at least one one-half inch round steel continuous horizontal ties at the top of parapet walls shall be not less than one course of brick deep and shall be at least eight (8) inches wide. All masonry parapet walls shall be reinforced vertically with a minimum of three-eighths (3/8) inch round bars eighteen (18) inches on center, or as required by structural design, extending into the belt course below, if any, and hooked around the horizontal reinforcing bar in the top capping. REINFORCEMENT: (j) All reconstructed masonry walls shall have a minimum reinforcement of three-eighths (3/8) inch round steel on eight-inch centers vertically and twenty-four (24) inch centers horizontally extending through the belt course and/or doweled and grouted or sulphured into the existing wall or into a reinforced concrete bond beam or belt course, if any, the method used to meet the approval of the Building Inspector. CHIMNEYS: (k) In rebuilding chimneys, they shall be taken down below any point of possible fracture and rebuilt, using the mortar specified above. In each of the corners place at least one (1) one-half inch round bar and every eight (8) inches on center of vertical height place a one-quarter (1/4) inch laid in the mortar joint. Where chimneys are built of one thickness of brick with flue lining, the vertical reinforcing bars may be placed between the flue lining and the brick and such space shall be well filled with mortar. In new chimneys, the vertical bars shall extend into the foundation. A smoke test will be required after all chimneys are repaired. Section 3. DESIGN: All damaged structural portions of masonry bearing walls, columns, parapet walls, or tie walls which have been demolished or structurally damaged shall be designed by a Licensed Structural Engineer or Architect