

TWELVE MILE HEIGHT SET AS GOAL FOR BELGIAN STRATOSPHERE BALLOON

BRUSSELS, June 6. (AP)—Prof. Auguste Piccard, the Belgian physicist who last year ascended more than 50,000 feet in a free balloon, is arranging another exploration of the stratosphere—but he is not going aloft again.

True to his promise to his wife that he would not subject her to another such period of anxiety, he has selected Max Cosyn, a 25-year-old electrical engineer, to try for even greater heights, perhaps 12 miles or in the neighborhood of 65,000 feet.

Prof. Piccard has revealed, if the 1932 attempt is successful, plans will be at once laid for a still more ambitious voyage to explore the upper reaches of the atmosphere over the north polar region, starting probably from some point on Hudson bay.

M. Cosyn is quietly gratified at being selected to head this year's ascent.

"I fully appreciate the unusual distinction of which I have been made the beneficiary," he said, "and will do my best to justify the choice."



Max Cosyn, a youthful Belgian physicist, has been named head of the second Piccard exploration of the stratosphere. He will try to ascend 12 miles in a sphere attached to a huge gas bag, the whole copying closely the 1931 craft, shown at the right.

LIONS ELECT NEW LEADERS

Culminating their regular election at the noon meeting of the Lion's club yesterday, twelve members of the club were elected without opposition or oratory to hold office for the coming year.

A fine tribute was paid to Dr. R. R. Myers, president of the club, who incidentally, was the only officer to be re-elected. It was pointed out that the popularity of the local organization was largely due to his interest and efforts.

Other members elected to office were: Harley Harmon, first vice-president; Ira Goldring, second vice-president; H. N. Gambill, third vice-president; Dr. Pico, secretary and treasurer; Roger Foley, Lion tamer; Art Harris, tail twister, and Henry Deadrich, Irving R. Golden, Mike Silver and Leo Roth, directors.

The new officers will be installed on the first regular meeting of the club in July.

CHILE REGIME STRIKES SNAG

SANTIAGO, Chile, June 6. (AP)—Chile's new revolutionary government attempted tonight to overcome serious obstacles hindering its program for progressive socialization of the nation.

The first was a threat of violent opposition arising from hostile student demonstrations in the capital, where several persons were wounded in a clash with civil guards. It also involved unrest among naval forces at Talcahuano, the naval base south of Santiago.

The crews of the battleship Almirante Latorre and several smaller warships were reported to have refused to obey Admiral Rogers' orders to support the new socialist regime, headed by Carlos G. Davila and Gen. Arturo Puga Ossorio.

COUNTY RESORTS MAY BE LICENSED

The County License board, of which Sheriff Joe Keate is chairman, and District Attorney Harmon and Commissioners McGriff and Davison, members, met yesterday afternoon to consider the matter of licensing soft drink resorts and other similar enterprises located outside of the city of Las Vegas.

After some discussion District Attorney Harmon was authorized to draw an ordinance along the lines suggested and present the same to the board at next meeting.

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INSULL DROPS OUT OF FIRMS

CHICAGO, June 16. (AP)—Samuel Insull, the 73-year-old utilities leader who built a \$3,000,000,000 power organization only to have his gigantic holding company, Midwest Utilities, go into receivership a few weeks ago, virtually severed his relations with the whole Insull group today.

He resigned the chairmanships of the Commonwealth Edison Company, the Peoples Gas, Light and Coke company, the Public Service company of Northern Illinois, their many subsidiaries, and also relinquished, subject to order of the federal court, his position as one of three receivers for Midwest Utilities.

If R. Strange will call at The Age office, he will receive a free ticket, good for today only at El Portal theater.

REBEKAHS NAME STATE DELEGATE

Mrs. Ida Harris has been named delegate of Oasis Rebekah lodge, No. 31, to the state assembly at Ely on June 20, 21 and 22. Mrs. Harris said yesterday that she expected to attend the meeting.

The financial statement of City Clerk Viola Burns, announced yesterday, shows the following income for the quarter:

Sewer bonds	\$51,076.92
Fremont street special assessment	8,963.30
Poll tax	858.00
Sale of cemetery lots	95.00
From licenses and miscellaneous	1,441.65
Total	\$62,374.87

The first item was received on sale of the last \$50,000 worth of sewer bonds, plus interest. The last item on licenses does not include fines in the city court.

ROCKEFELLER BACKS REPEAL

NEW YORK, June 6. (AP)—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., always a dry always a teetotaler, always proud of his dauntless mother and grandmother who often "prayed on their knees in the saloons, in their ardent desire to save men from iniquity," today recorded his belief that the eighteenth amendment should be repealed.

The son of the founder of the Standard Oil dynasty arrived at his decision "slowly and reluctantly." In the past he has supported the Anti-Saloon league in its efforts to make the nation dry.

In recent years he has given his material and moral support to prohibition enforcement.

Tonight, in a letter to Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, Rockefeller pledged his support to planks in both the Republican and Democratic platforms calling for outright repeal and a subsequent governmental control in the interests of "true temperance."

EARL STARTS ON HIS LAW CAREER

Marion Earl, Clark county boy, who finished his law course in Washington and successfully passed his examinations last winter, is now associated with Linton Morgan, in the firm of Earl & Morgan, with offices in the Delkin building. Earl, who formerly taught school, finished out the spring term as teacher in the local schools, and entered upon his first day of practice yesterday.

NINE COUPLES IN VEGAS WEDDINGS

That Las Vegas is proving a week-end Greta Green for love-love couples from California is becoming more evident each week. Nine couples visited the county clerk's office between Saturday noon and Monday afternoon, and secured licenses to wed.

Just to prove that it is not only the young man's fancy that turns to love, two of the bridegrooms had reached the ages of 75 and 60, while their brides admitted to 54 and 55.

Three couples came from San Bernardino county, and six from Los Angeles county.

TEN MILLION PLANTS GROWN

Ten million tomato plants were shipped from the Moapa Valley during the spring just closed, to tomato growing districts in various parts of the west.

Owing to the depression in agriculture, only about 50 per cent as many plants were sent out this year as last.

The Moapa Valley has been found to have the peculiar qualities for producing tomato plants which are hardy and free from disease or pests. The tomato plant industry has grown during the past few years and promises to be a permanent source of revenue for the valley.

Cantaloupes and other crops are looking well and it is anticipated that approximately 100 cars of cantaloupes will be shipped from the Moapa Valley this season.

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CARROT BRINGS UP 24-CARAT RELIC



A real 24-carat relic—or maybe it's a one-carat relic, was dug up by A. Cozad of Placerville, Calif. It proved to be a key to Room 4 in the old Ohio house at Placerville, a pioneer hotel long since destroyed. A carrot had grown through the ring of the key as shown in the picture.

TO ATTEND STATE MEET OF EAGLES

M. I. Newkirk, Matt Kelly, James

H. Down and C. D. Baker, delegates to the state convention of the Fraternity of Eagles, to be held in Yerington June 9, 10 and 11, will leave tomorrow morning to represent the local lodge. Down now holds the position of state trustee.

BILL WOULD EXPEL REDS

WASHINGTON, June 6. (AP)—The house today passed the Dies bill providing for the exclusion and expulsion of alien Communists.

The measure, introduced early in the session by Rep. Dies, Dem., Tex., recently received a favorable report from the immigration committee. It carries a definition of a Communist as "one seeking to secure a communist form of government through violence."

Passing of the bill is expected to intensify the Department of Labor's campaign against "radicals." Appropriations are contained in the second deficiency appropriation for this work.

VEGAN IS MARRIED IN CITY

Robert H. McMann, Jr., former resident of Las Vegas, but now of Barstow, and Mrs. Ruth M. Parish, also of Barstow, were married here Saturday evening by the Rev. C. H. Sloan, pastor of the Baptist church.

Mr. McMann was employed in the First State bank for some time, and was popular in the younger set as well as being an active member of the Country club and an ardent devotee of golf. Since moving to Barstow he has made frequent trips to Las Vegas, and has played on several golf tournaments with Barstow golfers.

The young people were attended by Frank R. McNamee of this city and also by several friends from Barstow.

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<p>FANS All Sizes \$3.45 and up</p> <p>DRESSERS \$4.95 up</p> <p>SMOKERS End Tables Magazine Racks 50c up</p> <p>CARD TABLES 85c \$1.50 value</p>	<p>CHAIRS Unfinished 59c up</p> <p>VANITIES \$4.95 up</p> <p>CHESTS Of Drawers Unfinished 5 Drawers \$4.95</p> <p>RUBBER HOSE 5-8 Inch. 4 1/2c Per Ft.</p>	<p>BREAKFAST SETS DECORATED 5-PIECE \$9.85 up</p> <p>Drop Leaf Table</p> <p>COMPLETE BED OUTFIT \$12.75</p> <p>SIMMONS BED 90 COIL SPRINGS True Tempered Steel 40-LB. MATTRESS COMPLETE</p>	<p>STOOLS Metal Bath 79c</p> <p>LAMPS 75c</p> <p>BROOMS Good Quality 49c</p>

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