

**Weather Forecast**  
 WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight and Friday.

**Local Temperature**  
 Maximum ..... 99  
 Minimum ..... 60  
 Rainfall ..... 15 inch

## BLOOD STAINS MAY REVEAL FIEND

### Banks Robbed; Bandits Captured and Loot Recovered

#### PROMINENT SCION NOT TO BE HELD

Exoneration Comes From Statements of Robbers  
 WICHITA FALLS, August 15.—(P)—Men giving their names as Paul Brooks, 28, and G. T. James, 19, were arrested on an inbound passenger train today by local officials, in connection with the Willow, Oklahoma, bank robbery which occurred yesterday.

More than \$3,100 have been recovered. The loot was between \$3,000 and \$4,000. Three Oklahoma officers arrived later in the day to question the pair who did not resist arrest.

#### BIG SPRING IS TO GET T. & P. IMPROVEMENTS

BIG SPRING, Aug. 15.—Announcement of plans to make Big Spring one of the best-equipped division terminals in the State was made here Wednesday, after a meeting Tuesday night of Big Spring citizens and J. A. Somerville, vice president of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company.

Work of grading the T. & P. Reservation here will start within 10 days, Somerville said. The specifications call for 150,000 cubic yards of grading, declared to be one of the largest dirt jobs ever projected in West Texas.

#### BANK RESOURCES MAKE BIG DROP, REPORT SHOWS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—(P)—A material drop in national banking resources of the country between spring and midsummer calls for reports of condition was announced by J. W. Pole, comptroller of currency.

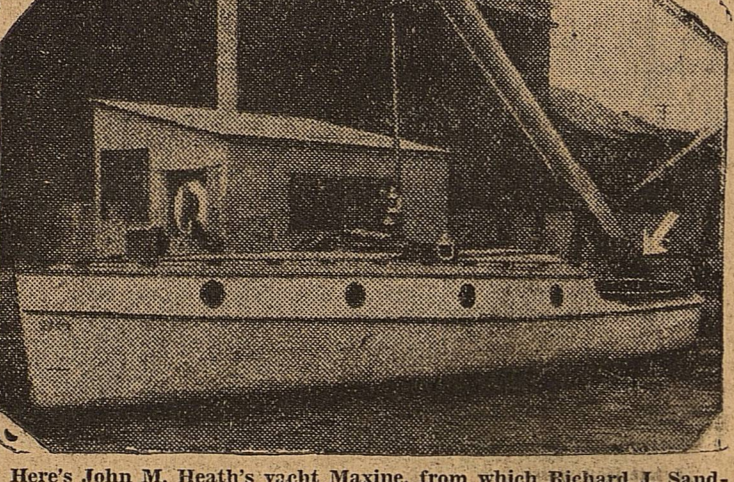
#### Scout Councilmen To Meet Tomorrow

All scout councilmen, executives and boosters of Midland meet at 8 o'clock Friday morning at the Presbyterian church to go over plans with Scout Executive Williamson of the Buffalo Trails Council for a better year of scouting in this area.

#### Drastic Measures In Strike Taken

NEW ORLEANS, August 15.—(UP)—Drastic measures to prevent recurrences of violence in the street car strike were taken today, after a night in which a three-year-old boy was killed by a trolley operated by a strike breaker and two more cars were damaged by dynamite.

#### Yacht in Detroit Rum Death



Here's John M. Heath's yacht Maxine, from which Richard J. Sandlands, federal dry agent, is believed to have gone to his death after a struggle with Heath in the cockpit, indicated by arrow. Heath, now under arrest, is expected to clear the mystery surrounding Sandland's drowning.

#### MAJOR GENERAL LASSITER, COMMANDER EIGHTH CORPS AREA, VISITS IN SHIP

Appreciation of Midlands' offer that the army avail itself of every opportunity to use the Midland airport in any way found convenient was expressed this morning by Major General William Lassiter, commander of the eighth corps area, who landed at Sloan Field this morning after a three and a half hour flight from Fort Sill in a tri-motored ship.

The general was enroute to El Paso, where he was scheduled to inspect Fort Bliss this afternoon. He is on a general flight of inspection of all national guard units in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Louisiana, Arizona and Wyoming.

General Lassiter was keenly interested in farming, ranching, oil and potash of this area. He asked Mayor Leon Goodman to go with him into a room of the hangar office, saying that he wanted to ask questions relative to Midland. Being a Virginian, the general was keenly disappointed in not being able to attend the western barbecue given students of Virginia Polytechnic Institute at the McClintic Brothers ranch today.

#### Negro Prisoners Tell Full Story

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 15.—(P)—Negroes in Texas prisons either are more truthful or a lot more innocent whites than negroes are sent up. That was the consensus of the Texas prison centralization commission which made a survey of the state's penitentiary properties.

#### Assault Charged Against Official

AUSTIN, August 15.—(UP)—A complaint charging J. A. Pratt, of the state banking department, with simple assault was made by State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher, in the justice of peace court here, following a meeting of Hatcher and Pratt yesterday.

#### ULMER ADDRESSES ROTARY CLUB ON MONEY SITUATION

M. C. Ulmer, Midland banker and president of the Lions Club, was the principal speaker at the Midland Rotary Club today, giving an address on general financial conditions over the nation, with emphasis on the effect in this area.

He gave excellent information about the workings of the Federal Reserve system, showing how it serves the masses and is for the protection of the people.

The evils of the present day wild speculation were brought out, and it was shown how the Federal Reserve system serves to keep down much of this.

He stressed the advisability of periodical liquidation, both for individuals and for the country as a whole, to prevent excessive debts during periods of depression.

Miss Elizabeth Smith of Mineral Wells was a guest of the club, and entertained the audience with a pleasing vocal solo. Miss Smith formerly lived in Midland, and is a guest in the J. E. Hill home.

#### HOUSTON AFFRAY BRINGS CHARGES INTENT TO KILL

HOUSTON, August 15.—(P)—Renfrow Robertson, 23, secretary and treasurer of the Yellow Cab Company, is in a critical condition at a hospital today, with a deep knife wound in his abdomen; and Sewell Lipscomb, 21, faces two charges of assault with intent to murder as result of an affray last night.

#### Convicts Escape After Tying Guard

HUNTSVILLE, August 15.—(P)—After slugging a guard with a stick and tying him to a tree with a negro turban, two convicts, Ellery Roberts and Finis George, escaped from the penitentiary today.

#### Agreement Ends Big Strike In England

MANCHESTER, England, August 15.—(UP)—The deadlock in the Lancashire cotton industry, which tied up 1,800 mills and made 500,000 workers idle, ended today when representatives of the employers and operators agreed to the principle of arbitration.

#### Found Dead After Stabbing His Wife

CHICAGO, August 15.—(P)—The body of Clarence Fenner was found today in the weeds near the place where he stabbed his estranged wife to death yesterday, he apparently having ended his own life with the same knife he used to kill her.

#### He's Outboard Champion Now



The Sir Thomas Lipton outboard trophy and \$6000 went to J. Mulford Scull, Venhor, N. J., motorboat race driver, at the second annual Philadelphia outboard regatta. Scull is shown above, left, as Commander W. C. Horton, right, British naval attache, awarded him the trophy on behalf of the famed English sportsman. Scull totaled 1161 points in three six-mile heats.

#### McCLINTIC RANCH BARBECUE SCENE FOR STUDENTS

Members of the Geology Summer School Excursion of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute experienced one of their greatest receptions on the 10,000-mile tour of the United States, when two former students, Charlie and Harry McClintic, entertained them with a barbecue at the McClintic ranch today at noon.

Seventeen students are in the party which is being conducted by Dr. R. J. Holden, professor in the Institute. Since June 22 the party has traveled from Virginia west to the Pacific coast, into Canada and south to Mexico, thence to El Paso and the Carlsbad Caves. They left soon after dinner en route to Virginia.

#### Stallworth Case Goes To the Jury

CANYON, Texas, August 15.—(P)—The jury this afternoon is considering the fate of Mrs. Levi Stallworth, charged with the killing of Mrs. Grace Morrison of Plainview.

#### BELIEVE PARKIE KILLED WIFE AND THEN SHOT SELF

AMARILLO, August 15.—(UP)—Investigation of the double shooting of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parkie closed here after police found what appeared to be conclusive evidence that Parkie killed his wife then turned the gun on himself, dying several hours later.

#### Bobby Stowe Here Scouting Colts

Bobby Stowe, veteran shortstop of the old Texas League and now business manager of the Fort Worth club of that league, is in Midland during the present Ballinger series, "looking over three Midland men," as one of the baseball officials here gave it out today.

#### Amarillo Boosters To Visit Liberal

AMARILLO, Tex., Aug. 15.—(UP)—A booster train, carrying a large delegation of Amarillo citizens will be the first passenger train to make the trip on the new Rock Island line to Liberal, Kansas on Sept. 16, according to Mason King, manager of the Trade Extension department of the Chamber of Commerce here.

#### 8 Ships Land In Afternoon at Port

Eight planes dropped down to landings at Sloan Field Wednesday afternoon.

#### POLICE HOLD FOR GRILL MAN WHO HAD STAINS ON SHOES; ACTED QUEERLY

Murder Which Rivalled in Beastliness That Of the Hickman-Parker Case Results In Great Northern Man Hunt

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 15.—(UP)—Grant Blake, about 45, former inmate of St. Peters Insane Asylum, was arrested today for questioning in connection with the brutal mistreatment and murder of 12-year old Dorothy Aune. Police found blood stains on his shoes which they said he was unable to give a clear account of, also of his actions on Tuesday night when Dorothy disappeared.

The body of the girl was found by icemen Wednesday, bound in gunny sacks, on a vacant lot in the south part of the city.

#### ZEPPELIN MAKES GOOD SPEED ON ITS SECOND LAP

(By The Associated Press) Bound for far away Tokyo, the dirigible Graf Zeppelin is speeding across north central Europe today at a 60 mile an hour clip on its second lap of a flight around the world.

#### SMOOK TO FIGHT DEATH VERDICT, COUNSEL STATES

COLUMBUS, August 15.—(UP)—Only the appeals court and 100 days of grace, the time required by law before a doomed man can be executed, stood between Dr. James Howard Smook and death today.

#### Baseball Men To Barbecue Tonight

When the Midland Colts meet tonight at the home of A. W. Thomas, president of the Midland Baseball club, for a barbecue they will find some of the material appreciation they deserve, Thomas says.

#### Lee Makes Award Speech to Lions

In token of appreciation of Lions to officers of the old administration of the body, pins were presented D. G. Grafe, E. J. Moore, Homer W. Rowe and the "Lions' Sweetheart," Miss Lillie B. Williams at the regularly weekly lunch yesterday.

#### FLEPPER FANNY SAYS

A man sometimes complains of being too tall, and his wife cuts him short.





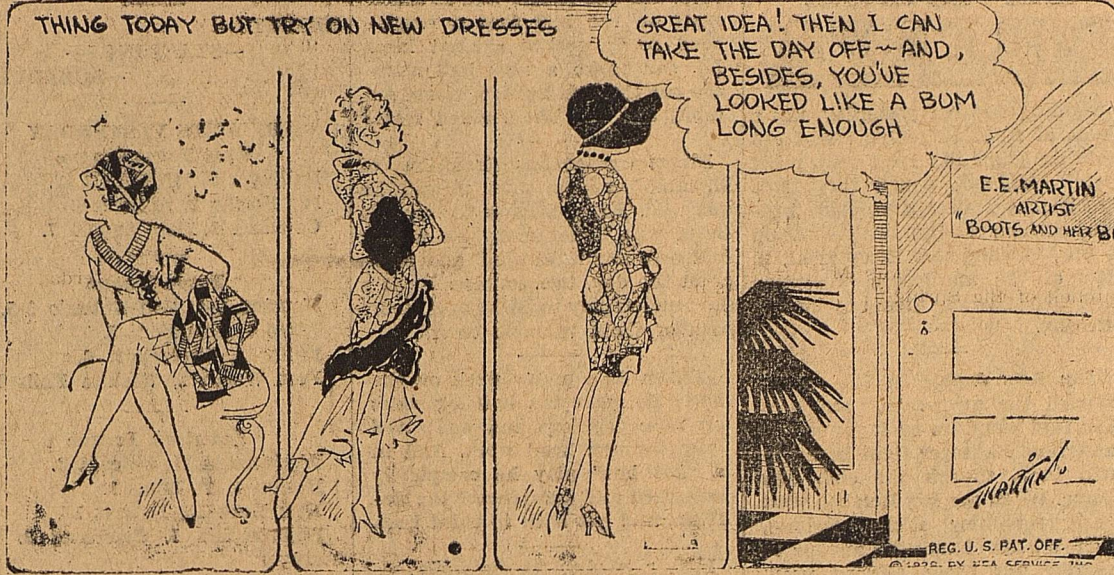
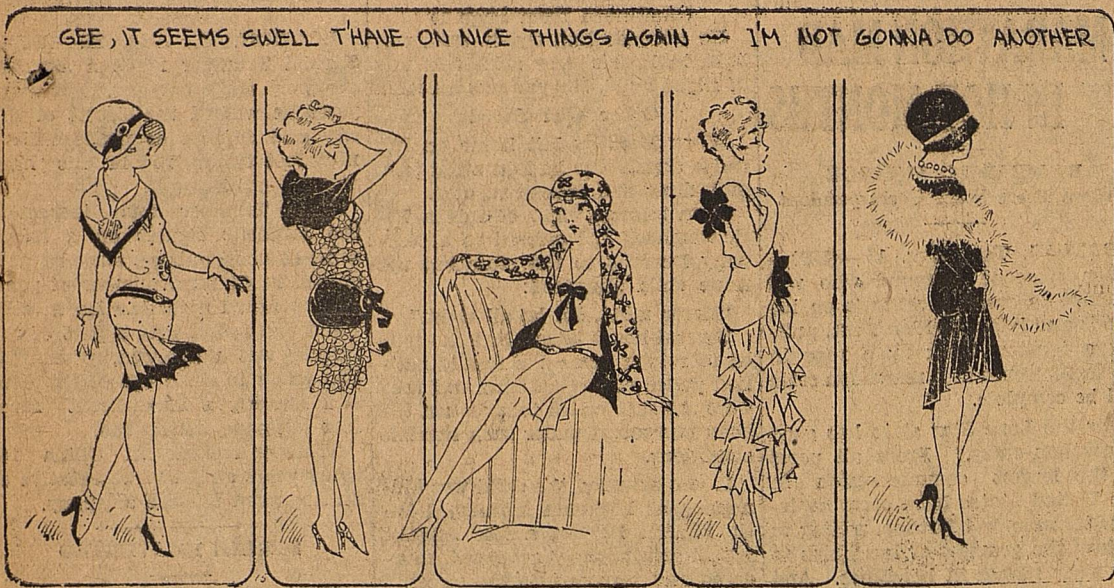
# REPORTER-TELEGRAM DAILY COMIC PAGE

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Clothes Make the Woman—Happy

By Martin

## CLASSIFIED



**TODAY'S SPECIAL BARGAINS**

We have 160-acre well improved farm, 4 1/2 miles of Roby in Fisher County. Clear of indebtedness. We want to trade this place on a 1/2-section place close to Midland.

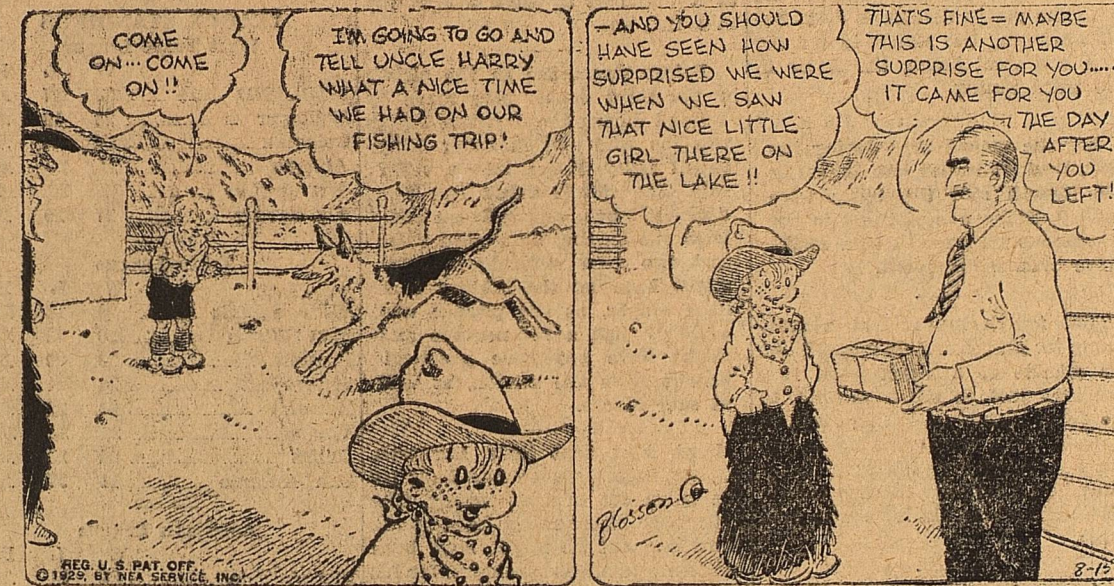
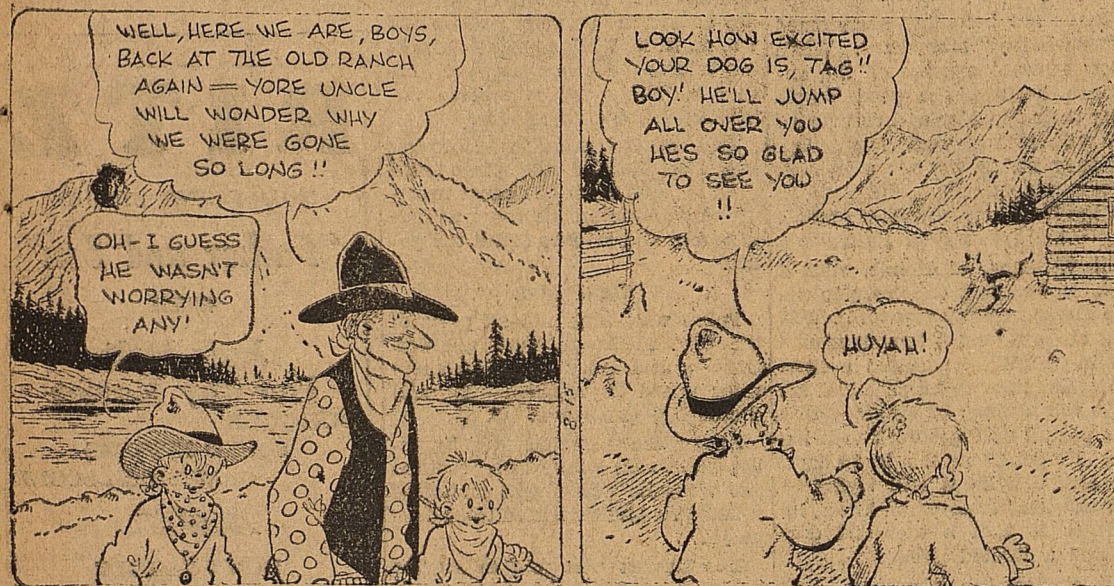
We want to trade the entire Block 11 in Haley Heights.

**WEST TEXAS LAND CO.**  
206 Petroleum Building Phone 808  
Ira F. Lord J. M. White

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

A Package

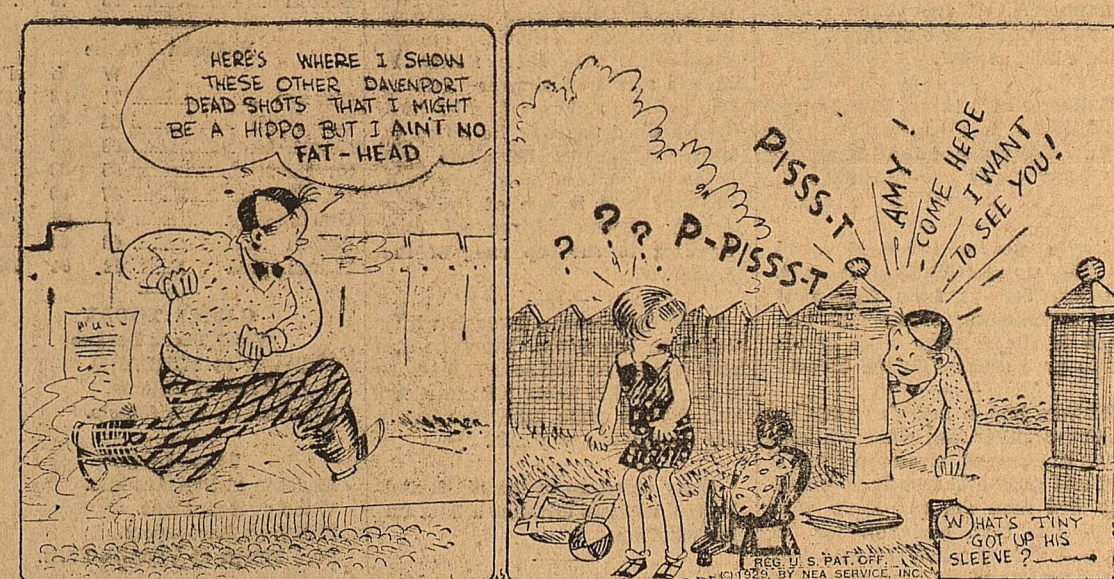
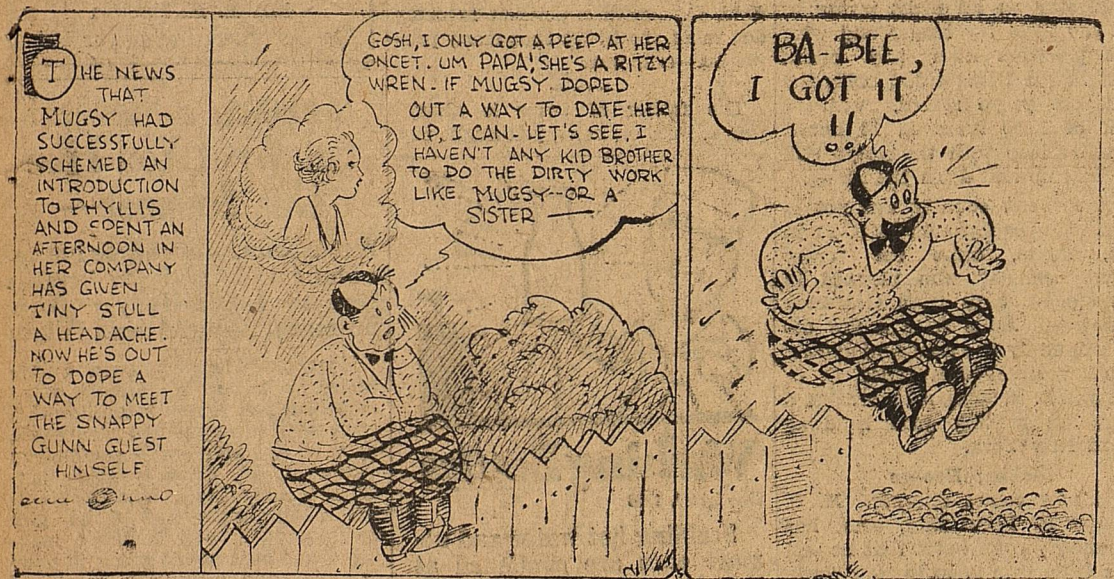
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MOM'N POP

Tiny Starts His Campaign

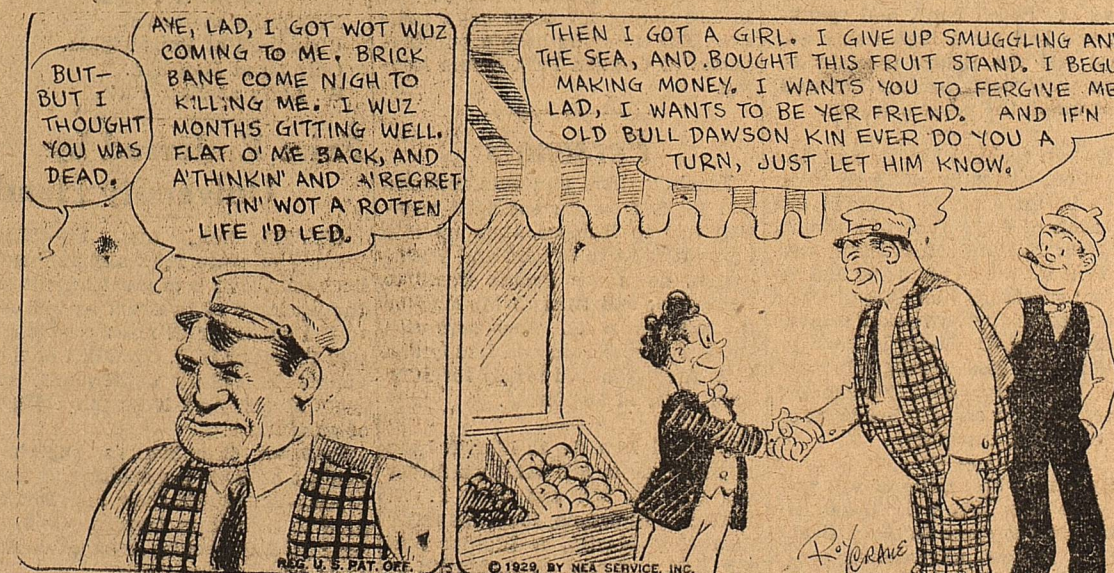
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WASH TUBBS

Pals

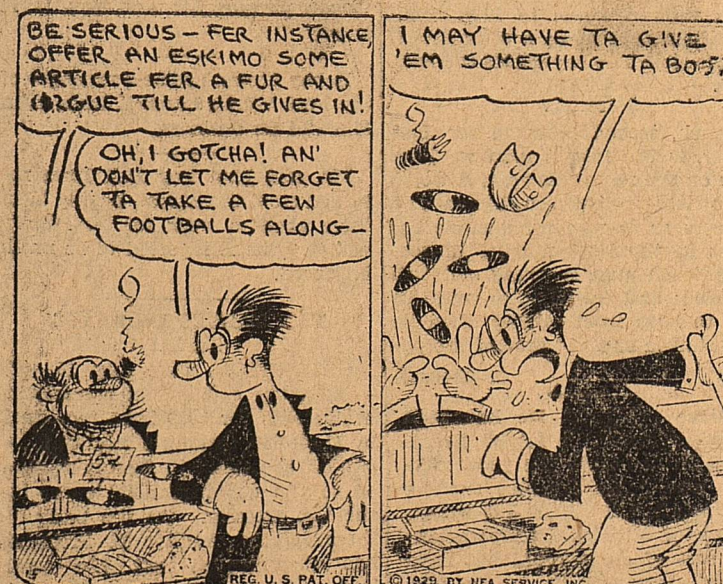
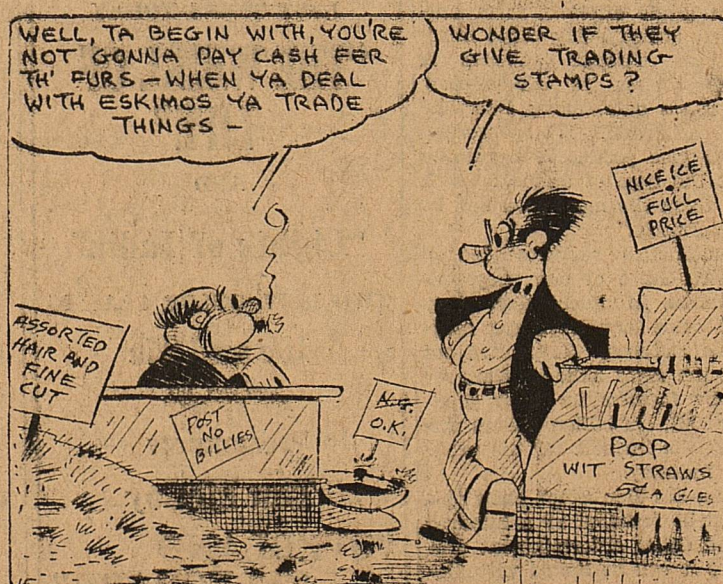
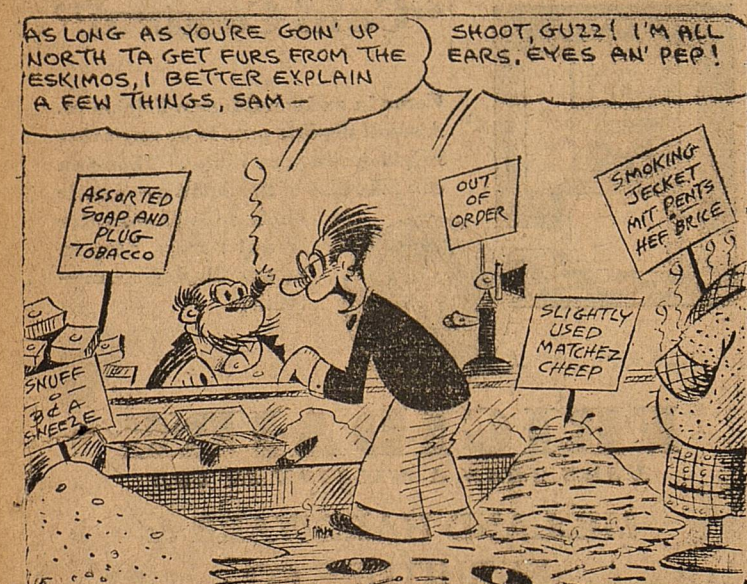
By Crane



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By Small



ONE SIDE of stucco duplex. Unfurnished. \$40 per month. Call Scruggs Buick Co. Phone 83. 136-3p

**2 For Sale or Trade** 127-tfc

FOR SALE--German police dog. Inquire Minute Inn. 136-3p

**6 Unfurnished Houses**

HAVE NUMEROUS car and house trades propositions. Buy your house before school starts. Small block acreage a specialty. Many are rare bargains. J. N. Wells, Realtor. 137-3p

**9 Miscellaneous** 127-tfc

WANTED--Washings. Family wash, rough dry \$1. 719 South Colorado St. 137-3p

PROPHETICALLY, said year ago. All can have a brick veneer soon! You can possess one now. Little cash, best terms. Get yours now. Small acreage blocks ready to show. J. N. Wells, Realtor. 137-tfc

**3 Furnished Apartments**

FOR RENT--Furnished apartment, 618 North Big Spring. 137-6c

APARTMENT, furnished, 3 rooms. Private bath. Close in. No dogs. 502 North Main. 136-3p

ONE- AND THREE-room furnished apartments, close in. One block north Methodist Church. 136-4p

FOR RENT--2 or three furnished rooms. Private bath, garage. Mrs. L. A. Denton, 410 N. Loraine. Phone 359 or 347. 135-3p

NEWLY furnished apartment, with garage, 501 North Pecos. Possession immediately. 136-3p

**4 Unfurnished Apartment**

UNFURNISHED apartment for rent in duplex. Sparks & Barron. Phone 79. 61-tfc

**11 Bedrooms**

FOR RENT--Bedroom with or without board, near Hogan building. Garage. Phone 263 or call 706 N. Colorado St. 58-tfc

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