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ERNE SCHAAF DIES FROM HIS FIGHT INJURY

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Ernie Schaff, Boston heavyweight boxer, died today at a hospital following an emergency operation to relieve a blood clot on the brain, resulting from his knockout fight with Primo Carnera, 24, never recovered completely from the coma into which he was battered in the 13th round of his bout with Carnera. The result in the blood clot, which paralyzed set in physicians' hands on an operation as the only chance to save his life, was believed a technical homicide would be filed against Carnera, a procedure usual in such cases.

Texas Legislature Will Launch Revenue-Raising Campaign With Sales Tax

Their Clews Snare Kidnapers



A young woman music teacher, Louella Pearl Hammer, and an ex-convict friend, W. P. Howard, have confessed, according to Los Angeles police, that they kidnaped Mrs. Mary B. Skeele, left, for \$10,000 ransom. Police attempted to link the pair to the attempted abduction of Miss Isabel Smith, right, who fought off would-be kidnapers at Pasadena. Stories of Mrs. Skeele and Miss Smith led to capture of the suspects.

HEARINGS BY COMMITTEE TO BE COMPLETED

Four Sales Tax Bills Are Proposed With Evidence One Will Pass.

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—The Texas legislature today launched its revenue raising program with indications that some form of sales tax will supplant at least a part of the ad valorem tax. Sales tax income was estimated from \$20,000,000 to \$45,000,000. Proponents of four sales tax bills were heard at a meeting of the house taxation committee last night. Today opponents registered with the clerk of the committee and were assigned times to be heard at succeeding sessions of the committee tonight.

Where 700 Faced Sea's Wrath



On the little island of Sandy Point—once was connected to Newfoundland—700 inhabitants sought the highest ground they could find in an attempt to escape encroaching seas which pounded at their homes and huts as terrific storms swept through the island. The highest point on the island is only five feet above the sea level. The high seas made aid for the 700 residents next to impossible until the waters calmed.

Denison's Name Will be Considered by the Senate On Lt. Gov. Witt's Ruling

RANGER BANK DEPOSITORY OF COUNTY FUNDS

Hall Walker, vice president of the Commercial State bank of Ranger, announced today that his bank had been unanimously selected at the meeting of the commissioners' court in Eastland yesterday as county depository for the coming two years. The bank has been county depository for the past year and the bid of the bank was accepted at the meeting of the commissioners yesterday.

Takes Barry's Post in Senate



J. Mark Trice, above, is the Senate acting sergeant-at-arms, replacing David Barry, removed because he wrote in Alfred E. Smith's magazine that some senators grafted. Trice, who had been Barry's deputy, is 30, youngest to hold the post.

COMMITTEE IS ORDERED TO CONSIDER HIM

Witt Quotes Old and New Constitution When He Makes Decision.

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—Lt. Gov. Edgar Witt today ordered the senate nominations committee to again consider Frank L. Denison for state highway commissioner. Lt. Gov. Witt pointed out that in the constitutions of the Texas Republic and in four earlier constitutions of the state of Texas, renominations after rejections were specifically barred.

Eastland Rotary Club Hears Debate

The Eastland Rotarians had a wire example of art in debating at their luncheon on Monday, Feb. 13, when the program was chaired by the day, W. J. Palm and Carl Angstadt, president and vice president, respectively. The debate was on the question of whether or not to support the proposed bond issue for the new high school building.

FEED AND SEED LOANS WILL BE READY FEB. 25

District Representative Jay of Breckenridge was in Ranger today to make arrangements for handling the federal feed and seed loans, known as the crop-production loans. While in Ranger he stated that he had been in conference with the administrators of the loans and was told that blanks for the farmers to fill out should be in the hands of local committees not later than Feb. 25 and that the applications for the loans would be accepted as soon as these forms were received in the various communities.

Higgins Will Ask For Death In Clyde Thompson Trial

INGLETON, Feb. 14.—County Attorney Marvin Higgins said today he will ask the electric chair for Clyde Thompson and Barney Allen, slayers of Tommy Reis, fellow convict. Shortly after they had been charged with murder, District Judge M. S. Munson ordered the county grand jury to convene next Monday, a week ahead of schedule, to consider the case.

BILL WOULD DISPENSE WITH MANY COURTS

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—The Texas house of representatives today completed its first major retrenchment step when it voted for a supreme court of nine members. Representative T. H. McGroger, author, placed the saving at \$1,912,000 a year.

Relief Committee Of Ranger Meets

A meeting of the Ranger Reconstruction Finance Corporation committee was held in the offices of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce Monday night with all the members present. A checkup of the work that has been done since the first of the year was made by the committee, and after a report on the available funds was made, it was decided that the only major project that would be undertaken before the March and April checks were received would be the draining of the Ranger cemetery.

POLICE PREDICT BOETTCHER TO BE RETURNED

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 14.—A police prediction that Charles Boettcher II, kidnaped Denver millionaire, would be released in 48 hours, today cheered his stricken family. On edge with grief and fear for the safety of the 32-year-old heir to one of the great fortunes of the Rocky Mountain area, his beautiful young wife, an expectant mother, and his parents snatched hopefully at the straw held out by Chief of Police A. T. Clark.

Scout Committee of Ranger to Meet

Announcement was made today that the meeting of the executive and financial committees for Boy Scout work in Ranger, which was scheduled to be held at 11 o'clock this morning, was postponed until Wednesday morning at the same hour. The meeting was postponed because of the absence from the city of J. E. Meroney, scout commissioner of Ranger, who will not be back in town until late this afternoon or tonight.

SO'S FOR THE A PICTURE

Working interests in the cold preservation section. Contains 35c and 50c.

Funerals Held for Wives of Brothers

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. A. J. Elliott at Eastland on Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. John Crow and Mrs. F. E. Rose of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bell of Weatherford. Mrs. Effie Crow of Fort Worth also attended the funeral, having been with her sister for several weeks.

Magic An Aid To Pastor's Talks

PHILADELPHIA.—A clergyman who employs magic to illustrate his sermons has been discovered here in Rev. Dr. John C. Bieri, pastor of the Columbia Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. Dr. Bieri, whose collection of the "black art" numbers more than a tenth to the country and a tenth to the local school district. The balance will go to the state general revenue.

Indians Do Not Revert to Customs

SKEDDIE, Okla.—Young men of the Pawnee Indian tribe, whose reservation is at the confluence of the Arkansas and Cimarron rivers near here, have organized to prevent college-educated members of their race from reverting to the blankets and tepees of their fathers. All members of the junior council are college graduates, and among the young braves are business and professional men.

Credit Corporation Gives Many Loans

FORT WORTH, Feb. 14.—The regional credit corporation has extended \$3,555,937 in loans for the relief of Texas livestock growers within the last four months, Manager A. E. Thomas reported today. Loans made to farmers during the same period total only \$151,443. Loan committees in most counties of Texas are now aiding in the farm relief, however, and most of the corporation's loans in the next two months probably will be devoted to agriculture.

White House Is Now In Music

NEW YORK.—Maury Madison, American composer, has just set the words of the last part of Lincoln's Gettysburg address to music. It has not yet been published, but Mr. Madison has added it to his collection of white house writing which he has put to song. "Gettysburg" was played recently by Fred Locke, organist at the Church of the Transfiguration (The Little Church Around the Corner).

Ranger Scouts to Be Served With Pie

C. G. King, scoutmaster of Troop No. 9, Ranger Boy Scouts, announced today that an important meeting of the troop would be held at the Masonic building, Elm and Rusk streets, at 6:45 Wednesday night. Scoutmaster King stated that this was an important meeting and that all scouts of the troop should be present. In addition, he said, all boys who belong to the troop and who are present at the meeting will be served free pie.

Chastain Quits Oil Committee

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—The legislative oil investigating committee this afternoon after a verbal dispute in last night's session caused representative O. F. Chastain of Eastland to resign from the committee. Chastain and Representative Bob Long, chairman of the committee, differed on admission of testimony of A. B. Capers, former president for the Texas Railroad Commission.

Fillbuster Is Started In Senate On Prohibition

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A dry fillbuster suddenly appeared in the Senate today to block repeal of the 18th Amendment when Senator Sheppard announced he was to continue a speech on the League of Nations, interrupted 10 years ago. The voice of Sheppard interrupted a 90-minute wrangle in which Senator Borah warned Congress to ignore prohibition in order to prevent spread of "Revolution in the United States."

Property Deeds Keep Town Dry

MARION, Neb.—Liquor laws may come and go but this little town of 225 souls will remain dry regardless of what the state or nation do. Prohibition is rooted in its soil. Every deed to property in the place contains a clause specifying "intoxicating liquor shall not be manufactured, sold or otherwise disposed of as a beverage in any place or public resort in or upon the premises."

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College To Visit At World's Fair

WICHITA, Kan.—The Omnibus college, sometimes called "the university on wheels," will roll to the World's Fair exposition at Chicago this year. Last year the school's 700 students went to the Olympic games at Los Angeles. Dr. William M. Goldsmith, now professor of embryology at the University of Wichita, organized the Omnibus college 10 years ago. The first expedition was made by Dr. Goldsmith and four students to study biology at the marine laboratories of Woods Hole, Mass. Annual trips have been made since.

Filling Station Opened In Ranger

Elmo Decker and Monroe Walker today announced the opening of their new filling station on the corner of Pine and Rusk streets, Ranger. The two young men have been getting the station, which has been unused for some time, in condition for the past two weeks, but have been delayed on account of the cold weather. They are now ready to greet their many friends in Ranger at their new station.

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Holmes Sought Harvard Degree

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—When Oliver Wendell Holmes, retired associate justice of the U. S. supreme court, was graduated from Harvard in Civil War days, he refused his master's degree. This was revealed recently when the following letter, written by the following President Charles W. Eliot in 1888, was found in Harvard library archives: "Dear Mr. President: Circumstances have called my attention to the fact that I never have received my degree. Many of my class my Alma Mater. I am among the declined to take it. I am unhappy without it. I am unhappy without it. It looks as if my Alma Mater didn't love me. The degree used to cost \$15—perhaps you would sell me one for that price or give it to me on 'honoris causa'—chiefly because sufficient reasons—chiefly because I want it."

Explorer Took Two Whole Years To Find Exhibit

PORTLAND, Ore.—Descriptive of the diligent efforts put forth in gathering exhibits and displays for the Century of Progress International exposition at Chicago was the collecting of data for the reconstruction of a Jehol temple for exposition. Dr. Sven Hedin, noted Swedish explorer, roamed two years in Mongolia before selecting an edifice worthy of reproduction. The Lama temple picked by the explorer is the famous golden temple of Jehol, the original of which was built in 1767. It was impossible to "transplant" the temple, so a Chinese architect was called upon to produce an exact model. Skilled craftsmen then secured an exact replica—even to the intricate measurements.

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THREE GUESSES

WHAT NATION WAS CONQUERED BY 500 SOLDIERS?
HOW MANY AMBASSADORS REPRESENT THE U.S. IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES?
WHAT IS THE LEADING FOOD CROP OF THE WORLD?

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

SOLITARY IN FAMILIES: God setteth the solitary in families; he bringeth out those which are bound with chains; but the rebellious dwell in a dry land.—Psalm 68: 6.

A. P. I. CHIEFS CALL FOR REDUCED OUTPUT

Petroleum continues to be a burning issue. Oklahoma lawmakers are investigating so-called lawless condition in the producing field, meaning violation of proration orders. Texas lawmakers are investigating practices or conditions in the East Texas diggings. Directors of the American Petroleum Institute, in session in New York, adopted a set of principles calling on oil producing states to limit the production of crude oil "to the reasonable requirements of the market."

Now what constitutes "reasonable requirements?" C. B. Ames is president of the institute. This is his definition: In a broad and general sense the measure of market demand is the consumption of refined products. Current production should not exceed this demand and should make some allowance for withdrawal from storage, "which is now excessive." President Ames declared that producing capacity is far in excess of consuming requirements, and there is no public interest in developing new pools; hence, production from new pools should be restricted "to the utmost limits by the law of the state." Furthermore, in his opinion, both in the interest of conservation and the prevention of waste, the production of stripper wells should be the last restriction.

He is for a rigid enforcement of proration law: "The production for each state should be prorated as between pools on a fair basis, and the production of each pool should be prorated between the property of producers on a fair and equitable basis." Would President Ames enforce the proration laws? He would—to the letter. His words: "In order for this program to succeed it is absolutely necessary that lawful orders of the state commissions be rigidly enforced, and every person engaged in the industry should assist the commission in enforcing such orders." Now the president of the institute should give his definition of "lawful orders" as well as an unlawful proration edict. Lawmakers enact; high courts interpret, and the highest of the courts in the final decision or ruling interprets the federal constitution for the lawmakers and laymen away down below.

NOT 'THE LAST WORDS OF A GREAT MAN'

"My heart will always be here in the house," remarked Speaker Garner to his colleagues as he was completing 30 years of service as a representative from Texas. Well, it is something to be a democratic vice president of the United States. It is something to wield the gavel over the heads of the members of the "greatest deliberative body in the wide world." It is a long call from the log house of a pioneer on the banks of the Red river to the second highest office in the gift of the American electorate.

It is some distinction, or will be in the work of the coming historian, to say of the Texan that after wielding the gavel most gracefully and most impartially in one branch of congress he was promoted to its so-called highest branch as the chief gavel wielder and presiding officer where Kingfish Huey P. Long may require gavel wielding or swinging to be a knockout art as well as a high privilege. Having saved all the big banks of New Orleans, Kingfish is on his way back to Washington to strut his wide strut in order to be present when the great engineer goes out and the smiling philosopher steps in. By the way, "On To Miami" is the slogan of millions of patriots. Railroads and Miami hotels are offering reduced rates. Big Jim Farley is sitting on the lid. He never smokes; he never drinks; he never swears. He just smiles and smiles and smiles and "lets it go at that."

LABOR OF CONVICTS TO BE SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER

Is civilization at a standstill? Or is it crawling forward or moving backward? Arkansas lawmakers, both houses, enacted the Futrell administration penitentiary reorganization measure. There was a rider attached which would permit "private leasing of convicts." Only two votes were cast against the rider. Years and years ago Arkansas abolished the selling of convict labor to the highest bidder. Two Texas governors, Thomas M. Campbell and O. B. Colquitt, uprooted the system, root and branch. All the Old South states east of the Mississippi river abandoned the practice. Chattel slavery was abolished by the sword. Convict slavery was abolished by the appealing force of public opinion. Why a return movement to barbarism?

JUSTICE IN THE GOLDEN COAST STATE

A jury in a Los Angeles court returned a verdict of guilty in the case of a bigamist and the judge gave him 10 years in the penitentiary for having five wives. Were they wage earners or passion flowers?

Fascism Will Never Be Popular Here



Markets

Table of market prices for various commodities including American Can, Am P & L, Am & P Pwr, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, A T & S F Ry, Barnsdall, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Cons Oil, Contl Oil, Curtiss Wright, Elect St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Film, Freeport-Texas, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns-Manville, Kroger G & B, Lig Carb, Mont Ward, M K T Ry, Nat Dairy, N Y Cent Ry, Ohio Oil, Penn Publix, Pennry, Penn Ry, Phillips Pet, Prairie O & G, Pure Oil, R K O, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tux Gulf Sul, Tidewater Asso Oil, United Carb, United Corp, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Alc, U S Steel, Vanadium, Warner Pic, Westing Elec, Worthington, Cities Service, Elect Bond & Sh, Ford M Ltd, Gulf Oil Pa, Humble Oil, Niag Hud Pwr, Stan Oil Ind.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

Pikes Peak rising high above the Colorado plateau casts long shadows westward when the morning sun first sprays Colorado with that marvelous sunshine that abounds in the clear mountain air of the Rocky Mountains. Those long westward shadows fall on an extinct volcano that spouted actively in prehistoric times, breaking away the granite walls and forming a high cone of brecciated rock formation about six miles in diameter. Then came the ice age and the slow moving but massive glaciers ground down that volcanic cone leaving the low rolling hills that form the Cripple Creek Mining district. Here the cowboys rode the range until the early nineties when one of them, Bob Womack, found gold. Bright yellow gold glistening in the sun where his ironshod horse had scraped away the dull coating on a slab of rock plastered with gold which had lain exposed since the glaciers melted away.

The magic word "gold" brought a rush of pioneers, boomers, and others, and the cities of Cripple Creek and Victor grew up almost overnight, were burned down and quickly rebuilt. At one time the district boasted a population of 50,000. Its permanent population is about 10 per cent of the boom period.

All the mine sars electrified and cheap electric power is used for hoisting, operating air compressors, air drilling, haulage, and for many other purposes required to mine and treat the ore. The veins carrying gold ore are scattered all through the volcanic area and criss-cross in every direction, bearing out the old saying, "Gold is where you find it." Shafts have been sunk into the old volcanic crater as deep as 3100 feet. Many tourists visit the mines and are taken down to see the gold ore in place and see how it is mined and treated. Since Bob Womack first discovered gold, \$420,000,000 has been produced, and the yearly production now about \$3,000,000 is gradually increasing since the demand for gold is so urgent.

The Cripple Creek district, because of its vast gold production and its long life, can truly be called "The World's greatest gold camp."

DERRICK SHADOWS

By V. MARIE STEPHENS

Numbered among those present recently at an elaborate wedding in one of the fashionable homes in the proud metropolis of Texas, I was brought to realize the futility of form. After days and nights of studied rehearsals, a mint of money thrown here and there, and a trying period for decorators, designers, and what-not . . . the bride was still a nervous wreck, the husband-to-be pale and stammering, and the ring-bearer found it necessary to stop midway and tug at a worrisome sock.

Upstairs a chest of silver, linen, china, and odd gifts lay in dazzling array . . . gifts of business associates, relatives, and even friends. Downstairs the givers congratulated the fluttering couple, detaining them mercilessly . . . saying silly things they didn't hear, offering simple suggestions, fussing kindly over their charming appearance. Ninety minutes spelled the affair: 90 glamorous minutes and it was over. That after weary, foolish, wracking weeks . . . a mere Mr. and Mrs.

This thing has gone far enough, according to the latest wires from France. Too long has the fairer sex boasted slender lines, leaving gay shoppers with stock on hand. So it has been decreed that street apparel have more loosely from the lady's shoulders, about which shall be draped flowing capes.

The news should be met with stubborn resistance. Why should we, after all, adorn ourselves as French gendarmes? Why resort to the style of Washington crossing the Delaware? Let bygones be so, leave the nineteenth century her hoast of billowiness . . . but leave us our present freedom.

People amuse me, woman especially. Men are, as a whole, something of one big general class . . . very much alike. Women, purposefully or otherwise, develop distinct characteristics. There are many classes: sweet, beautiful, charming, clever, serene . . . many more.

The thing has become a sort of hobby with me. It is an easy hobby to investigate. Men love the subject of girls, women chat incessantly about them. I have found the most admired, most envied trait a woman can acquire is poise. Perhaps that is because it cannot be bought, applied at night, rubbed in, or obtained through electricity. It's about the only self expression a girl has these days.

Perhaps you read it, too, Dean Law Son's declaration that the "only child" is a university problem. In spite of the fact that the educator is liberal enough to admit exceptions, some of us still feel a decided doom before we ever get started.

The old gag that ministers' sons scare up the devil (which he knocks in the head with black and white statistics) has probably been one step toward its realization. It has been used as a sort of excuse for all the racket a preacher's child could raise. This propaganda about the only child may spread the same poison, giving such a student the idea that he is not expected to live up to the school standards. Such publicity looks bad, news thought it is.

Hearts and Laces

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

1 A token of the day

8 Twenty-four hours

11 Handmaster's stick

12 Native metal

13 Church

14 Unit

15 Unit

16 Northwest

17 Southeast

19 Prophet

20 Second note

21 Destruction

23 Pertaining to wings

25 Italian river

26 To lift up

27 Small memorial

29 Egg of a louse

30 Relieved

32 To low as a cow

34 God of love

36 Inlet

37 Today is in memory of a

39 To simmer

41 To telephone

42 Pound (abbr.)

44 To elect

46 Magician's rod

47 Sun rod

48 Aurora

50 Emerald Isle

52 Soft mass

53 Baby's bed

55 Growing out

56 Renewal

57 Seraglio

59 Orb

60 Soothsayer

61 Handsome

62 Reparation

VERTICAL

1 Watercock

2 Dined

3 Behold

4 Tedium

5 Toward

6 To annoy

7 Northeast

8 To accomplish

9 Reverence

10 To cry shrilly

11 To perforate

12 Wild duck

14 Tumultuous disturbance

17 Sagacious

18 Winter carriage

21 Unkneeling

22 Close

23 Surface measure

24 Course

26 Tears

28 Spiral of

29 Chaos

31 To drink slowly

32 Upon

34 Two-wheeled vehicle

35 Half (spelling)

37 Grit

38 Merchandise

40 To telegraph

41 Walking

43 White paper

45 Dogma

46 Aqua

49 Branch

51 Unprepared

52 Pay

54 To imply

56 Mink

58 Mother

60 Paid

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON—Censor it as they may, the Congressional Record is still good for a few laughs in nearly every issue.

Most censorship is performed by the members themselves, in order that they may be re-elected as expressing themselves more accurately, more beautifully or more amiably toward fellow members than they actually did in debate.

When a member says "dama" or "hell" the official reporters apparently delete the word in the interests of public morals or something. But if such a word is used in a story or something else that is being quoted, it stays in. When Senator Tydings of Maryland said "to hell with this job" the phrase was left out entirely. Senator Robinson of Arkansas told of the Texas orator, campaigning for the late Senator Joe Bailey, who kept interposing a political speech with the rhetorical demand, "What is Joe Bailey?" until someone in the crowd yelled "I'll bite, who in hell is Joe Bailey?" That was left in.

Other little lines that have been left in lately:

SENATOR BARKLEY of Kentucky tells how it is with the farmer:

I heard a story the other day about a farmer in my state who had a load of tobacco to market, and after he had paid all the expenses incident to its preparation for sale, and sale, he owed the proprietor of the warehouse 50 cents. When he went to the warehouse to explain that he could not pay the 50 cents, the proprietor said to him, 'Just bring a chicken tomorrow. I will take a chicken for what you owe me for processing and curing your tobacco. The farmer brought two chickens, and when asked brought two chickens, and when asked to bring another load of tobacco the next day and thought he would pay the chicken in advance.'

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Pope Pius XI Plans Rite For Opening of Door

By THOMAS B. MORGAN

VATICAN CITY.—Pope Pius XI has ordered that the ceremony of opening the Holy Door for the inauguration of the jubilee year be recently proclaimed, must be performed with the same elaborate ceremony as accompanies the function on regular jubilee years.

This ceremony is one of the most imposing in all the rites of the Roman Catholic church and takes place in the spacious loggia of the basilica of St. Peter's. Inasmuch as this is a special jubilee year and the first in history held to celebrate the death of Christ, the pontiff has ordered that nothing must be spared to make it as solemn and impressive as possible. It will occur Palm Sunday.

The pope will meet the Sacred College of Cardinals in the robing room. Here the participants in the sacred procession will be given their vestments. The pontiff will wear the precious mitre and will be robed in priceless garments of white silk and gold. The cardinals, archbishops and bishops also will wear their miters.

The procession will be led by a platoon of full-dressed papal gendarmes. The pope will be on foot and will carry a heavy embossed and engraved crozier. He will be escorted by a sovereign's guard of honor consisting of Swiss noble guards. The former will wear their full-dress medieval armor and will carry medieval halberds. The noble guards will be dressed in flaming red.

The entire diplomatic corps, accredited to the Holy See, as well as the members of the papal aristocracy will occupy places of honor.

The pope will descend from the throne and advance toward the Holy Door, which is the right portal of the basilica. He takes a golden trowel from a golden tray and touches the masonry around the portal. He then takes a golden hammer from the tray and lifting it above his head, taps the door reciting the formula: "Aperite mihi portas justitie" (Open the doors of justice for me).

A prayer follows and then the pope takes the hammer a second time and knocks on the door reciting a second formula: "Introibo in domum tuam, domine" (I will enter into Thy house, O Lord!).

The door then begins to fall as it was previously loosened from the masonry by mechanical means at the back. It is now let on a truck and rushed away while the bricks and mortar which clutter the passage, are removed by the workmen.

The pontiff then enters followed by the papal court, the Sacred College of Cardinals, the bishops and archbishops and the invited personalities. The procession reforms inside St. Peter's and the pope is escorted back to his apartments.

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ANSWERS to today's THREE GUESSES

CORTEZ, with about 500 men, conquered the entire AZTEC NATION by holding the emperor, Montezuma, as a hostage. More RICE is consumed than any other food. The United States is represented in FIFTEEN foreign countries by ambassadors.

SPEAKING of SPORTS

SPORTS ODDITIES

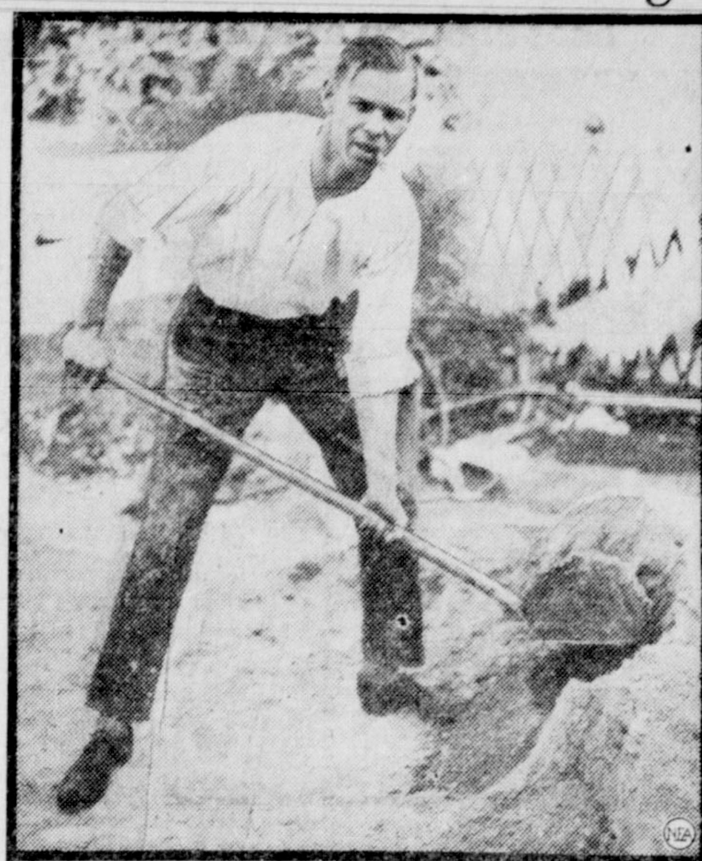
By Laufer



Babe Herman in Training

Puzzle Sales Now Reaching Millions

NEW YORK—Americans solved jig saw puzzles to the tune of \$10,000,000 in 1932, an increase of 70 per cent over 1931.



The young fellow above mixing mortar doesn't look much like a baseball player. But he is, and a good one, too.

Geologic Freak Is Noted In Idaho

MISSOULA, Mont.—A geologic freak, caused by tremendous pressure exerted far beneath the earth's surface, has been noted in southern Idaho and Western Montana.

Electricity Made Bears Den Suitable

MACKINAW CITY, Mich.—Electricity finally convinced Maggie and Jiggs, black bear residents of the state park here, that their new home was not so bad after all.

Boys Hitch Hike Way to School

LUBBOCK—Finding themselves unable to pay for room and board at Texas Technological College here, two boys living at Idalou, 15 miles away, devised to "thumb" rides back and forth each day to their classes.

Those Old Orioles

RESEARCH reveals that only six of that glorious old band of fighters called the Baltimore Orioles remain. Kid Gleason was the last to be called out.

Jennings' Story

HUGH JENNINGS probably overcame more handicaps than any of the other members of that famous team. He was the ninth of 12 children born in "Star's Patch," a mining settlement at the mines.

Hanlon Led 'Em

OF the survivors Hanlon is the oldest. He began to play ball in 1876, and he was 19 then. Next Aug. 22 he will be 76. His playing days ended 42 years ago when he hurt his knee sliding against a chunk of concrete—probably just for practice.

Grin and Fight

HUCHEY was one who could fight with a grin. As far back as 1893 when he joined the Orioles he was a pale kid with a cough, but when he went out on the field he became a bundle of energy.



"It's in the Wrists, Son"



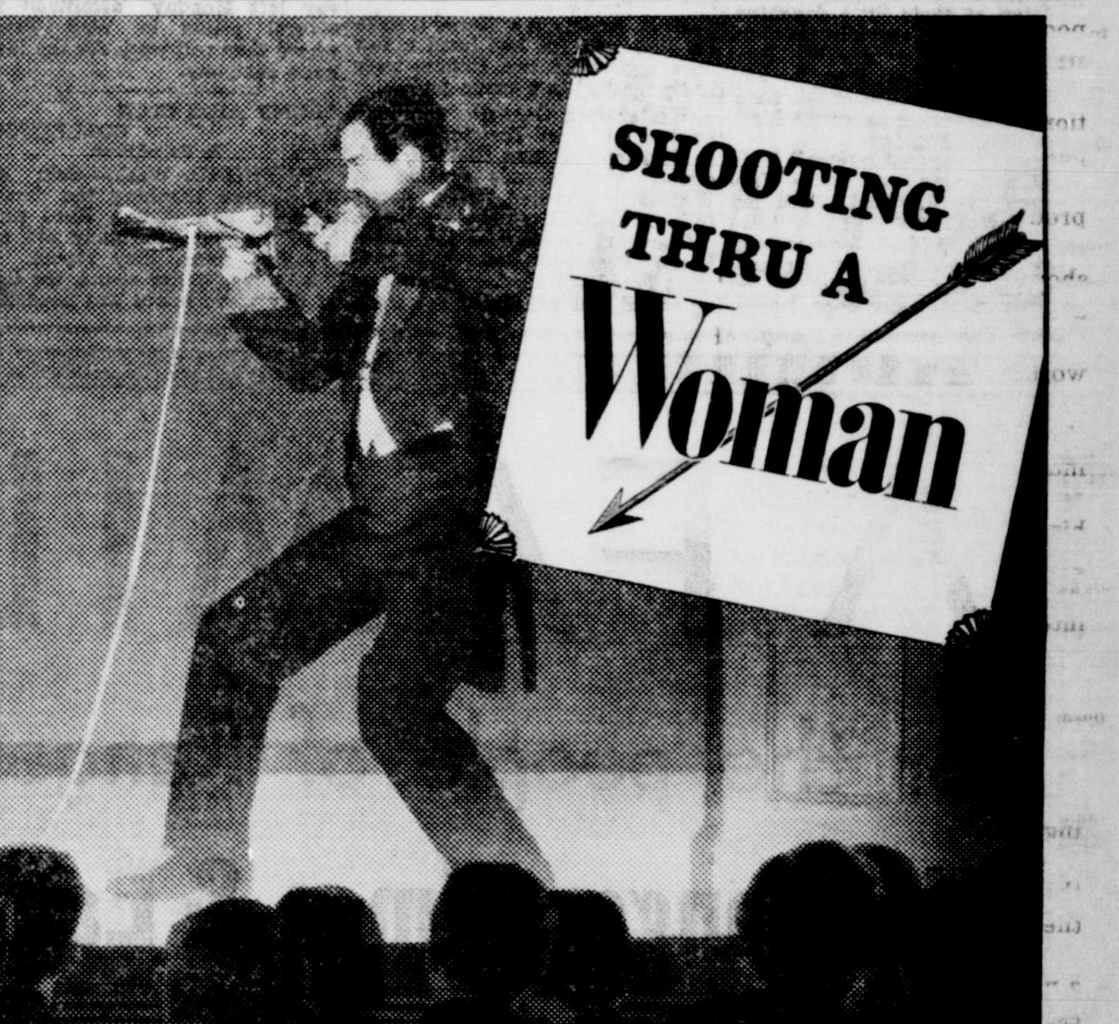
The boys are learning how third base ought to be played and how a cent gets base hits. The tutor is one who should know what it's all about.

STATE SPENT \$170,000,000

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Tennessee has spent \$170,000,000 on highways and bridges during the ten year period from 1922 to 1932, according to the report of Highway Commissioner Robert H. Baker.

WEDDINGS DEFEATED DIVORCES

GREAT FALLS, Mont.—Leap year weddings scored a decided victory over divorces during 1932. Great Falls city records revealed recently. Marriages numbered 325 divorces, 75, and the latter declined 12 per cent as compared to the 1931 total.



It's fun to be fooled... it's more fun to KNOW

Like to see through tricks? Then let's look at another... the illusion in cigarette advertising called 'Cigarettes and Your Throat.'

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Rodeo Horses Are Just Spoiled Says Dakota Expert

RAPID CITY, S. D.—Bucking horses used in rodeos and wild west shows, contrary to public opinion, are not trained, but "spoiled," according to Russ Madison, South Canyon rancher, who has handled many rodeos in the Black Hills.

Committee Finds Clerks Are Holding Down Big Jobs

AUSTIN.—Names do not mean much, according to the report of the state efficiency committee. Here are some citations from their report:

By KENNETH D. FRY Staff Correspondent Football Player... in these days of big business sports, most owners of teams and clubs are capitalists, who are identified only with the financial end of the business, the actual management being left to salaried managers.

Halas is sole owner of the Bears. He controls the purse-strings, giving the coaching to other men, but there was a time when Halas was a player with the Bears, some 10 years ago, when he organized the club in the infancy of professional football.

The following year, 1921, Halas returned to Chicago and organized the Chicago Bears professional football team. His entry into the field marked the dividing line between unorganized, slam-bang professional football and the game as it is today.

Fund Puts Stop To Navy Building

By United Press BELGRADE.—Jugoslavia's naval expansion program has been brought to a virtual standstill because of lack of funds and failure of the government to obtain credits from Great Britain.

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OLDEN

Special Correspondent.

OLDEN, Feb. 14.—The sympathy of this community is extended to Bruce Turnholt, whose wife died Sunday night from burns received earlier in the day. Mr. Turnholt is a brother of Mrs. Ed Munn of Olden and he has lived in or near Olden for a number of years. He and his young wife had only been married a little more than two months at the time of her tragic death. At the time of the accident, they lived on a dairy near Eastland. Mrs. Turnholt had evidently tried to start a fire with coal oil or in some manner the fire had ignited her clothing and when her husband returned from his work, he found her in the yard, her clothing burned completely off and her body and throat burned badly. He immediately took her to the hospital but it was impossible to save her. She was never able to talk or tell what had caused the accident.

Rev. K. C. Edmonds will preach at the Olden Baptist church Wednesday night. Thursday night is young people's night and all the young people of this community are invited to attend. The Baptist church hopes to make this Thursday young people's night a regular weekly affair. The pastor will be in charge of the service. Friday night will be choir practice at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, who have been living in Ranger several years, are moving back to Olden and all their former friends and neighbors welcome them back.

Jean Adams entertained a group of 24 young people at a party Saturday night in honor of her house guest, Doris Stephens of Stephenville. Bridge, "42," other games and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour. Refreshments were served at 10 o'clock.

Miss Clara Simer returned to Archer City Sunday evening after a short visit with homefolks. Miss Clara is a teacher in the Archer City schools.

Mrs. C. I. James and little daughter returned from Dallas Thursday, where the little girl had been quite ill in a Dallas hospital. Mr. and Mrs. James report that there is very little change in the condition of their little daughter.

Mr and Mrs. George Russell and son, G. L., are visiting Mr. Russell's brother, Bud Russell and family in Blum, Texas, at this time. They are expected to return Monday night or Tuesday.

The Olden town basketball team played a Ranger team at the Warner gym in Eastland Saturday night, defeating the Ranger team 20 to 21. The Olden team is composed of young men not in school here, but who have played on previous school teams in past years.

Leas Fight on at Hideaway



Luke Lea, left, former U. S. senator and former Nashville, Tenn., newspaper publisher, and his son, Luke Lea, Jr., are shown here at their hideaway in the mountain village of Jamestown, Tenn. They have submitted to arrest by a Tennessee sheriff and will fight extradition to North Carolina. The pair fled to the mountain country following loss of their appeals on conviction in Asheville, N. C., on national bank charges. The former predominant political figures in the south will fight extradition through habeas corpus proceedings. Their conviction followed failure of the Central Bank and Trust company of Asheville.

The team consists of the following players: Thompson Pickens, Loyd Woods, Baldrige Crawford, Pete Wright, Boyce Whitmore, Claude LeClaire. John Ford is coach of this team.

M. R. Anderson suffered a painful injury to his left hand a few days ago, when two fingers were badly mashed in a pump jack.

Walter Lee Connell, who is a student at John Tarleton college at Stephenville, and Richard Middleton who attends college at Weatherford visited their homefolks in Olden over the week-end. The next meeting of the Olden Home Demonstration club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 21. The meeting which was scheduled for Feb. 7 was called off because of the severe cold weather.

J. W. Horn was quite ill Sunday night but better Monday morning. Jack Stanton and Mack McKelvey left Monday afternoon for several points in West Texas, where they will work for the Magnolia company.

SLUMP AIDS COIN COLLECTORS

By United Press
RAYMOND, Wash.—Coin collectors are thanking the depression for new finds. Hard times have brought out many old and valuable coins, they report. A 1790 silver dollar struck the light of day when bread was needed.

East Texas May See a Gold Rush

By United Press
NACOGDOCHES, Texas.—A "gold rush" may awaken Appleby, a deepy hamlet in the pine woods 10 miles north of here.

Scenes of bustling activity may be found at the old Santa Ana mine shaft, where workmen are ready to tunnel deep in search of gold. The fine has an intriguing history, part truth and part folklore.

It was 25 years ago that residents of Appleby, whittling before the rustic grocery store and discussing topics popular in 1907, noticed a small cloud of dust raised by a crippled man who approached.

The stranger was a Mexican with one leg about four inches shorter than the other. That was Appleby's introduction to "Hop-pin' Bell."

"His name was Bellas, or something like that, and he had a first name nobody could pronounce," said John Boyett, justice of the peace and pioneer of the neighborhood. "So they called him Hop-pin' Bell. He claimed to be a nephew of old Santa Ana himself."

Hoppin' Bell wasted little time letting his business be known. He produced a worn map of the section, plotted off to show the location of a gold mine which had been worked by Spaniards years before.

When the Texans were crowding Santa Ana just before the battle of San Jacinto, according to Hoppin' Bell, a large quantity of gold ore already had been mined. Crafty Santa Ana, realizing he could never get the ore to a smelter in Mexico, sank it into an air shaft.

One corner of the plot was marked with a pistol in an old hollow tree, another with a gun barrel shoved down into the ground, a third with an old-fashioned shuttle in the trunk of a large tree and the fourth the trunk of a tree with small pines driven through it.

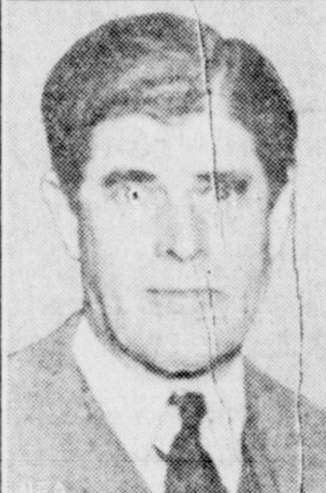
The hole was supposed to be covered with a large rock. Hoppin' Bell hobbled through the woods for days until he found the first marker. People began to believe his story.

When he found a solid rock jutting up out of Turkey creek and showed them shimmering sands of gold, the whole town joined in the treasure hunt.

Four men moved away the large rock, according to Sam T. Crawford, another pioneer, and a trace of the old shaft was found. Hoppin' Bell died before the digging got under way.

There is a hiatus in the legend from the time of Hoppin' Bell's death to the present day. Three months ago A. S. Bergendahl of Houston leased the land from the Greening family for its oil and mineral content. Mining operations have been under way since then.

Will Sail With Roosevelt



Two members of the group on President-elect Roosevelt's yachting trip off Florida will be George St. George (above), New York society man, and Judge Frederick Kernochan (below) of New York.

Merchant Issued Script To Farmers

By United Press
GRANT PASS, Ore.—In competition with Tenino and Blaine, Wash., Marvin Clark, Grant Pass merchant is going on a "scrip standard."

In denominations of 50 cents the paper money which he had printed will be given in payment for meat and produce to local stock-raisers and farmers. It may be used in trade at Grants Pass business houses at full value.

Clark's plan is said to be a relief for the farmer who markets his produce locally and needs money to produce necessities.

FRANKLIN — Everts Drilling Co. drilling a well east of town.

Foreign Trade Problems Face Roosevelt Regime

WASHINGTON.—The almost catastrophic slump in American export valuation from \$5,240,000,000 in 1920 to \$1,576,000,000 in 1922 offers an urgent and definite problem to economists of the next administration, according to the unanimous opinion of international circles here.

The United States, which since the days of the revolution has made foreign trade a primary objective and a source of national pride, cannot long defer vigorous steps for the recovery of foreign markets, disintegrated diplomatic observers believe.

Two million jobs, by official estimate, hinge directly upon manufacturers' exports, while the merchant marine, railway trunk lines, cable companies and port services are crying out through agents here against the adverse situation.

In the decade from 1920 to 1929 United States export trade seemed to have stabilized at a figure in excess of \$4,500,000,000 annually.

In three years the unbelievable happened. Major causes of the slump in foreign trade were:

1. The purpose of many countries to discourage imports in general and those of American products in particular;
2. Abandonment of the gold standard by a majority of countries, which caused disparity in national price levels, and
3. Resort by more than 30 countries to foreign exchange control plans, designed to discourage export of gold by curbing merchandise imports where necessary.

Offsetting these negative factors, the United States still has tremendous industrial and commercial machinery and unused diplomatic resources to promote rehabilitation of its foreign markets. These are:

1. A government-fostered merchant marine which awaits cargo far in excess of those now offering;
2. A bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, with highly trained personnel at home and in 63 commercial centers abroad;
3. Employment of the principle of bargaining or "reciprocity" in new commercial treaties, this principle now being applied to Cuba exclusively;
4. Possible credit aid to exporters through the reconstruction finance corporation or other agencies;
5. Relief to the international exchange situation through international collaboration, foreshadowed by United States intention to participate in the world economic conference, and
6. Official assurances that the United States trade policy aims to buy abroad as well as to sell abroad.

Sails to Report To His Chief



Enroute to tell Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald about the debt conference he had with President-elect Roosevelt is Sir Donald Lindsay, British ambassador to the United States. Almost simultaneous with his sailing there came speeches in the senate urging Roosevelt not to be "his own ambassador" in debt negotiations. Lindsay is shown on the gangplank of the outgoing liner.

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Kate Smith Starts In Films As

Kate Smith, "Queen of the Stepped Out from behind her camera, and made her local debut as a full fledged actress yesterday at the Arcadia Theatre, in "Everybody!" her first full motion picture, based on a story written for her by Fannie Hurst. The film proves that Kate is an actress as well as a singer. And it also proves to be an unusually excellent piece of entertainment.

The singing star, playing under her own name, has the week's work of her life to do in her fine job of managing the farm in a pleasant California valley. So fine a job, in fact, she has no intention of giving up when a power and water company wants to buy up the valley. Kate, therefore, leads farmers in their fight against power company, and when courts have eaten up all their savings, she signs a radio contract and devotes all her earnings to carrying the farmers through victory.

Farmers are having a hard time, but there are fewer land shootings. No one seems to care 3-cent hogs run all over a five 25-cent corn.



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Inclusion of Kermit Roosevelt... among President-elect Roosevelt's list of guests...

New President Just Job For Secret Service

WASHINGTON.—To thousands of employees of the federal government, March 4 means the end of a job, but to the White House...

When Herbert Hoover leaves the White House, the secret service men, who have been his constant shadow for four years, end one job...

Calvin Coolidge made companions of the Secret Service men. They taught him, a retiring man unused to the out-of-doors...

Life in the White House Secret Service detachment is a series of contrasts. Danger alternates with pure boredom.

Such journeys involve days of strain and danger, when the presidential guardians must be ever at his side, ready to act quickly if a crank, or assassin, threatens.

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SPOTLIGHT



BEGIN HERE TODAY SHEILA SHAYNE, dancer, refuses to marry DR. STANLEY, son of wealthy parents, who is in New York trying to learn to write plays.

GORDON was a plump, black-garbed woman whom Sheila was to know later as a real friend. It was her duty to see that the models appeared in the lovely, costly creations Henri designed at exactly the moment they were wanted.

The girls, divesting themselves of their finery, stood about in delicate underthings, chatting coolly. To watch them no one would have dreamed that they had been the objects of Henri's wrath so recently.

There were murmured protests but with one accord the mannequins began getting into the costumes.

"It's a wonder you couldn't stand on a sheet, Flo," Gordon continued. Bustling about, handing out this and that frock, Gordon finally came to Sheila.

Sheila couldn't answer. She stood still under the force of the trade. It was a shock until she saw one of the mannequins, a girl clad in a pale yellow chiffon evening gown, gazing at her.

"You girls get into the dressing room," Henri ordered. Then he turned a suddenly beamed countenance to Sheila.

"If Mr. Lane says you will do this last was to Sheila. "You wear your hair well."

"Stand here," Gordon indicated a raised platform and Sheila obeyed. The woman slipped the green and orchid confection over Sheila's head and drew it carefully down over the slender figure.

Fearfully Sheila obeyed. "It can't be worse than the stage," she thought in panic. After all if she should fall Henri would surely find a job for her somewhere.

A MOMENT later Sheila stood before Henri. She moved across the room to the mirror, turned and walked back again. Henri nodded.

"You'll do," he said. "The salary is \$50 a week. Gordon has her put on Number 12 and let me see her."

The other girls listening showed their surprise. Fifty dollars for a beginner! It meant that instead of displaying gowns, appearing and disappearing as different costumes were requested, Sheila would mingle with the customers.

Sheila stepped again into the soft glow of the outer salon. She hesitated, then moved on. As she did so her eyes fell on a familiar figure directly across the room.

(To Be Continued)

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



John Smith's Love Story Is Doubtful

By United Press LAWRENCE, Kan.—Ernest D. Tyler, professor of history at the University of Kansas here, has made a thorough study of the works of the defenders and the debunkers of the John Smith-Pocahontas love story.

Professor Tyler takes the side of the debunkers. One of his pet hobbies is to ferret out the inaccuracies in American history.

In an article recently he branded Captain Smith as a braggart and a martinet. The Pocahontas story, he maintained, was merely a figment of the adventurer's imagination.

The article created quite a stir and two large American newspapers took issue with him, offering what they considered to be proof of Smith's veracity.

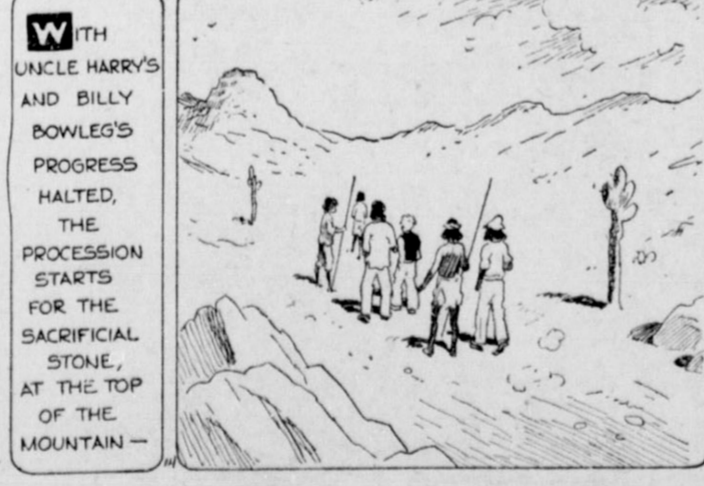
Every school child knows the story of how Smith was saved from Chief Powhatan's tomahawk through the dramatic intervention of Pocahontas, pretty Indian princess.

The true fact of the case, according to Professor Tyler, was that Pocahontas virtually was kidnapped in 1912 by Governor A. S. E. Maddocks & Co., Ran-

gler, Neb.—Despite the almost universal move to cut down on expenses and budgets, the Adams county fair board has decided on its biggest exposition in its history.

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