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BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23. — It becomes increasingly difficult for "joiners" to enter any organization which does not contain a few Communists, genuine or alleged. The Communists themselves have become "joiners."

And it's practically impossible to join a respectable organization with assurance Communists won't take credit for everything it does.

That's about all the "Un-American Committee" under Chairman Martin Dies of Texas has learned. Most members of organizations, especially those of liberal or labor character, were aware of its before. Dies would be doing a great service if he could reveal just who is a Communist and who isn't. But to date committee policy has been to listen bug-eyed to all volunteer witnesses who want to put the Communists, genuine or alleged. The tions they don't like, with or without evidence.

Instead of demanding actual evidence of charges, Dies and other committee members have egged witnesses on to charges even more sensational than those they were making. Dies himself frequently has hastened to corroborative evidence.

NO SHORTAGE OF CHARGES

No such loosely handled investigation has been covered previously by this generation of Washington correspondents. The Dies committee started with six investigators and now has three.

It has no lawyer and no accountant. Its secretary, a nice young man named Stripling, has studied law while serving as a House doorkeeper.

A mass of information about Communists has been gathered from Communist publications and state-

ments. No committee member has shown a disposition to question Communist claims of influence and achievements.

More may come later, but Dies' announced expectations of revealing Soviet or Nazi shipments of gold to organizations in this country are at this writing confined to statements by Chairman Walter S. Steele of the American Coalition Committee on National Security. Steele said an unnamed A. F. of L. leader once charged that a marine union had received \$75,000 from Communists and that John L. Lewis 14 years ago charged that two or three hundred thousand dollars had been sent here from Russia.

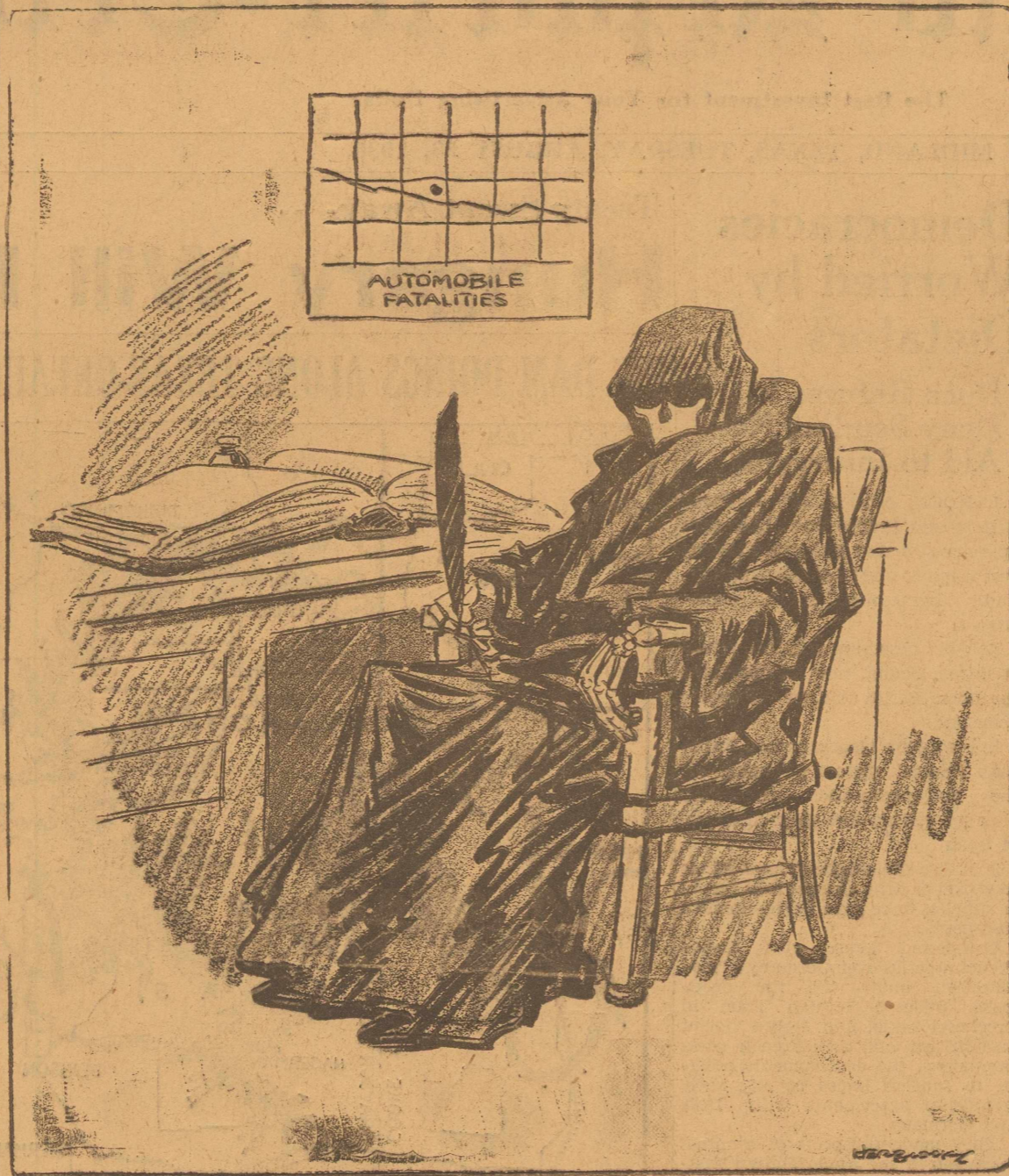
Steele, who charged Communists started runs on banks in the Hoover administration, named 640 organizations he said were Communist or at least co-operating "in various ways with the Communist movement." Three included several C. I. O. unions, the League for Peace and Democracy, Women's League Against the High Cost of Living, American Dance Association, East Side Hungarian Singing Circle, Mothers' League, Psychology League, Save Our Schools Committee, Timely Recording Co., the Unattached Youth and the Ergrotocrat clubs.

Steele claimed to represent "almost as many groups—patriotic himself, including: Colonia Order of the Acom, New York Chapter; Old Glory Club of Flatbush, Order of the Three Crusades, 1096-1192, Inc., the Wheel of Progress. His assertion that Communists had spent \$10,000,000 turned out to be an "estimate."

ABOUT SOURCES OF 'EVIDENCE'

UNIQUE was the committee's issuance of a tirade by Investigator Edward F. Sullivan who alleged

Recession



Communism was rampant in the C. I. O., on the Pacific coast and among Hollywood movie stars. Sullivan credited his report to "evidence offered by the agricultural, industrial, and shipping interests on the Pacific coast." Only Jews, Sullivan said, were concerned by activities of the German-American Bund and Silver Shirts.

Dies questioned John P. Frey, A. F. of L. official, about 15 minutes as to how he knew men he called Communists really were communists. Failing to get a direct answer, Dies hazarded that an organization such as the A. F. of L. doubtless had good information sources.

Note in Bottle Down 3 Rivers For 1,000 Miles

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (U.P.)—A note sealed in a bottle and tossed into the Cumberland river has started a friendship between two boys more than 1,000 miles apart.

It began a year ago when Carl S. McMurray, Jr., placed three identical notes in three bottles and dropped them off the Woodland street bridge here into the Cumberland river. The notes requested their finders to communicate with McMurray.

The bottles drifted down the river with the current. One of them navigated the Cumberland to the Ohio, and finally went down the Mississippi until it was washed ashore on the west bank of the stream at Plaquemine, La.

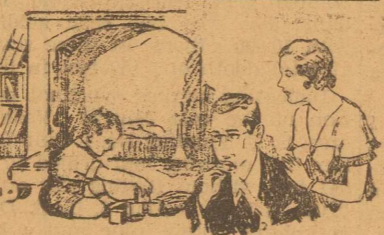
There it was picked up by Percy Herbert, who unsealed the bottle and answered the note.

Now the boys have struck up a friendship by exchanging letters. They hope to arrange a meeting some day.

McMurray isn't sure he'll hear from the other bottles. He figures at least one of them was broken.

Life Saved by Chance

McComb, O. (U.P.) — Don Swanger, of North Baltimore, O., was driving past Ray Montgomery's home when he noticed the 10-month old Montgomery baby hanging over the side of his crib. He stopped and saved the child from suffocating.



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"Steamboat 'Round the Bend' No Longer Echoes on River; Sidewheelers Replaced

MEMPHIS, (U.P.)—The charm and romance of the Mississippi river of 75 years ago have disappeared today with the modernization of river traffic.

Instead of picturesque sidewheel steamers, there are now numerous craft void of any construction designs other than machinery piled on a steel hull with its square bow and stern. These new river transports are mostly Diesel-powered and are economical but they lack the charm of a century ago.

The best years of steamboating on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers were from 1850 to 1880, according to government records. More steamboats were built in 1864 than in any other year. Some of them were river palaces, elegantly furnished with every convenience known at that time.

Men who owned steamboats then were idolized. Their wealth, standing and influence placed them among the outstanding men in the United States.

It was similar with the steamboat pilot: His spectacular position appealed to all persons and daring young men often gave up other careers to follow the romance of the river.

On every trip up and down the

Mississippi, the pilothouse was crowded with young women and their chaperons.

Many were the famous boats which plied the rivers from Pittsburgh.

The monongahela was the steamboat used by the government to transport ammunition to New Orleans for Gen. Andrew Jackson's forces at the Battle of New Orleans. After the battle she made the run back to Pittsburgh in 25 days.

It was Capt. H. M. Shreve who built the Washington—the first steamer to have a double deck. She made the round trip from Louisville to New Orleans in 45 days, speedy transportation in 1817 when she made her first run.

River records indicate the golden years of steamboating began in 1843. From that year until the beginning of the Civil War, steamboat owners became wealthy. In that period cotton boomed in the South and the river was the main source of transportation.

The cotton planters became nabobs of the South and grew wealthy.

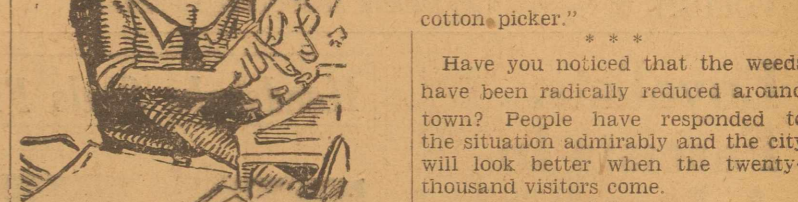
River trade began to slip in 1880 and the end of the floating palace era on the Mississippi was near. A few fine boats were built after that year but they failed to



Meet Patrolman Wood, pictured above on fixed post. Though a rookie, he's considered one of the sturdy oaks of the Verona, N. J., force. Made of three-ply timber, Woodie is six foot two and wears a blue-painted uniform with glass buttons that serve as reflectors at night. A hidden motor moves his arms as he directs traffic at an important crossroads. He's reported a success, and Mayor David H. Slayback plans to install six more like him.

pay and many were dismantled. Railroads were built and took much of the river freight and passenger traffic. Now barges and Diesel engine boats ply the river.

The Town Quack



Have you noticed that the weeds have been radically reduced around town? People have responded to the situation admirably and the city will look better when the twenty-thousand visitors come.

When a local lady told Wood Taylor he looked like a drug store cowboy, he said he couldn't afford to be any other kind, because he had to stay with the drug store.

Seems like these tight fitting rodeo breeches fit a saddle better than they do an office chair. One of our boys never knew he was bow-legged until he got a pair of Levi pants.

In the rush of advertising the rodeo, the big water carnival at Pagoda pool may get overlooked. But don't fail to be on hand this afternoon if you want to see some Boy Scouts do some real stunts in the pond.

Although the rodeo minded citizens want to see everybody dressed up "western," there ought to be a limit to how wild a man looks. And I believe Bob Scruggs has carried the stunt pretty far.

I don't know how the baseball attendance will be at the home games, it and when we have any more, but Big Spring drew pretty heavily from the Midland populace Sunday afternoon and Monday night. Those rodeo shirts pretty well colored up the grandstand.

Johnny Francis surely ought to try to look like a cowboy.

Yes, we are going to have the election results posted on the bulletin board Saturday night. There will be no loud speaker or hill billy records, but the board will be well lighted and in full view of everybody wanting the results. Again we ask you, please don't telephone us for election dope as all hands will be on the job handling the board, the long distance calls and the telegraph information.

"Lou" Lewellen surely did hand Clint Lackey a jolt. Clint had on his broad brimmed hat, his beard and his boots yesterday. Lou said: "I know one thing, if you had on a pair of brogans, instead of those boots, you sure would look like a

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SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

Mrs. Dickinson Teaches Lesson for Methodist Group

Mrs. H. B. Dickinson taught the eighth chapter of the study text, "The Way of the Witness," at the regular meeting of the Methodist women's missionary society at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. In connection with the study, she presented a number of references from the Scriptures.

Mrs. J. M. Prothro, society president, opened the meeting with prayer, while Mrs. J. L. Tidwell offered the dismissal prayer.

Approximately 20 women were present.

Christian Circles Discuss Welfare Project Monday

Circles No. 1 and No. 2 of the Christian women's council met Monday afternoon in business meetings closing with a joint session.

Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. J. R. Jones, 310 S. Marienfeld, Mrs. Ella Ragsdale brought the devotional from II Timothy and the hostess presided at the business meeting.

Attending were: Mmes. J. S. Corndill, Frank Elkin, J. V. Stokes Sr., Ella Ragsdale, Horace Rankin, and the hostess.

Refreshments were served.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. S. P. Hall, 1004 W. Tennessee. Ways and means were discussed with special emphasis on the welfare project of assisting school children.

Present were: Mmes. E. D. McBrien, W. L. Brown, J. E. Pickering, Betty Mae Collins, Bonnie Collins, and Frances Collins, the three girls whose education is being sponsored by the circles, and the hostess.

Later, some of these present joined with Circle No. 1 in its meeting at the Jones home.

FEMININE FANCIES

By KATHLEEN EILAND

Most attractive way of announcing an engagement that we have read of recently was used for a bride-to-be in a Texas city. At the announcement party, each guest was presented with a wee book decorated with tiny white candles and bearing on the cover the inscription "Book of Knowledge". Within were the names of the betrothed couple and the date of the wedding.

There is something a bit special about scallops. We always did like them. We like them even better on a two-piece green frock for early

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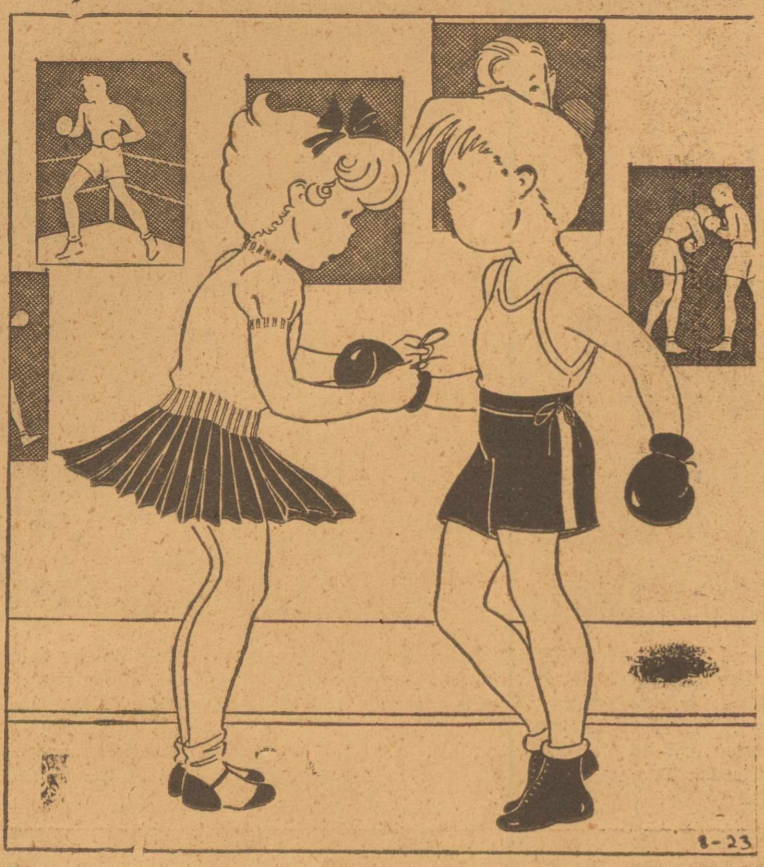
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By Sylvia



"...an' you gotta win if you want me to be your second again. I got my profess'nal reputation to think of."

autumn wear. The bottom of the tunic is scalloped and so is the buttoned opening down the front and the short sleeves. But that isn't all. These aren't just plain scallops. They are outlined with vari-colored beads.

A tiny white collar above a self-material one adds a pleasing touch to the neckline.

And the dress is made of rather loosely-woven fabric that is so popular with smart women this year.

Belts are beginning to be of interest again, thanks be! We applaud the enormously wide one in soft leather of a lovely live shade of green. Or one just like it in red, or black, or mulberry.

Narrower but still fairly wide are the suede belts in rust, blue, or black with intricate-appearing fastenings of silver or gold metal links.

If you like a medium-width belt, there are some with buckles in a pleasing leaf design or the "belt of the month" in suede with novelty self-material buckle. All in a nice variety of colors to suit your whim.

House of Clocks Resounds on Hour; Strange Din from 125 Timepieces

CLEVELAND (U.P.)—"Tick-tock" is multiplied 125 times in the home of Charles S. Mills—the owner of that number of clocks.

Mills became interested in clocks as a hobby nine years ago. He is an automobile mechanic and machinist. An old square mantle clock left with the company started him on the hobby.

Mills purchased it for a dime. He took it apart. Then he put it together. He had so improved upon it that it ran smoothly.

Encouraged by his success, the clock connoisseur began collecting timepieces in earnest.

Soon he had 50 clocks. His hobby absorbed all his spare time and money. First he was troubled by flying springs—when he removed them from clock cases they flew all over the room. This problem was solved by using a clamp to hold the springs.

"I broke up 75 old clocks and kept the works—and I gave away 50 clocks before I cut my eye teeth," Mills said.

"When I come home from work I go into my clock room. Sometimes I start them all going at once. It takes an hour and a half."

His clocks' ages range from 65 to 170 years.

As for types of timepieces, there are:

Swiss music box clocks inhabited by wooden cuckoos, a clock balanced on the nose of a statue elephant, a grandfather clock, a time-piece that needs to be wound only once every 400 days, a ponderous antique alarm clock, and a clock with three figures on its face which become animated at every quarter hour—one man chops wood and another man and a woman saw wood.

Then there is a duplicate of the clock Columbus imported. It is operated with a weight.

Another unusual specimen in Mills' collection is a "locomotive clock"—built around the image of a locomotive emerging from a tunnel. And last year Mills constructed a clock that is operated by water.

It is at the even hour that he is

Methodist WMS Members, Families Picnic Monday

Members of the Methodist missionary society and their families gathered at Cloverdale Monday evening at 7 o'clock for a basket picnic. Fried chicken and accompaniments, including ice cream, composed the menu. Mrs. W. C. Hinds and Mrs. J. M. Prothro were in charge of general arrangements for the occasion.

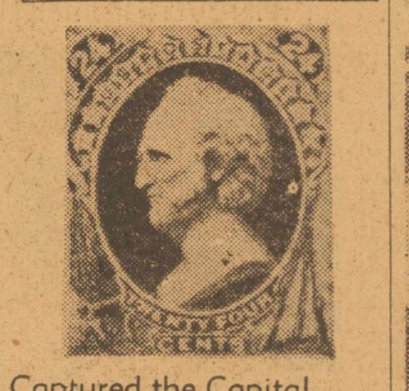
No program was presented, the evening being spent in conversation, while the children played on the seesaws or amused themselves in other ways.

A crowd estimated at 60 or more persons was in attendance.

Mrs. Rae Sindorf was food chairman. Other committeewomen included Mrs. Stacy Allen, Mrs. S. H. Hudkins, Mrs. Terry Elkin, and Mrs. S. P. Hazlip, chairman of the missionary society circles, who worked with their groups in cooperating for the picnic.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt and daughter, Frances Elaine, of Maude, Okla., who formerly lived in Midland. Mrs. Holt being a member of the missionary society. Miss Hazel Houlihan, Miss Frances Bird, and Leon Lusk.

STORIES IN STAMPS



Captured the Capital of Mexico

SCARCELY had young Winfield Scott just turned 22 launched himself in business in Charleston, S. C., in 1807, when war loomed imminent between United States and England. So Scott hurried off to Washington, offered his services, and was commissioned captain of artillery. He was to know little else but battle thereafter for the rest of his life.

In 1812 Scott was sent to the Niagara frontier where he was captured at Queenston. He was exchanged the next year and promoted to colonel, then brigadier general, and in July, 1814, received the brevet of major general. He was twice wounded in the battles of Chippewa and Lundy's Lane, for which Congress gave him a gold medal and the state of Virginia a sword.

But by now Scott's fiery career had only begun. From 1815 to 1861 he plunged into a series of difficult and dangerous assignments for his country, making treaties with western Indians after the Black Hawk war, fighting the Seminoles in Florida, removing the Cherokees, adjusting border disputes in Maine, at Niagara, and in Puget Sound. During 20 years of this period he was commanding general of the United States army.

As such he achieved his greatest triumph in the Mexican campaign of 1847, capturing Vera Cruz and finally the Mexican capital itself. So again Congress struck off a gold medal for the general, and in 1852 the Whigs nominated him for president. But he carried only four states. He died at West Point in 1866. He is shown here on a purple stamp of the U. S. issue of 1870.

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Baptist Women Study Chapters From John

Fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth chapters of John were taught by Mrs. W. L. Fickett as the Bible study for the Baptist WMU Monday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. H. S. Collings was in charge of a brief business meeting.

Mrs. A. W. Wyatt offered the dismissal prayer.

About 20 women were present, including several new members.

Personals

Miss Lucile Thomas, returning from a European tour, docked Friday at New York. Her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John B. Thomas, have been informed. She made the return trip across the Atlantic on the Ile de France. After spending a few days in New York she will return to Midland.

J. B. Thomas and Murray Fasken have returned from a trip to Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt and daughter, Frances Elaine, of Maude, Okla., are spending a week in Midland, visiting friends. They formerly lived here.

Miss Hazel Houlihan is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hudkins. She is from Houston.

Singapore Puts Stress on Air Raid Defenses

SINGAPORE (U.P.)—A frank explanation of fears felt by those responsible for the defense of Singapore, Britain's great \$50,000,000 naval base in the Far East, has been made by Major A. D. Clark,

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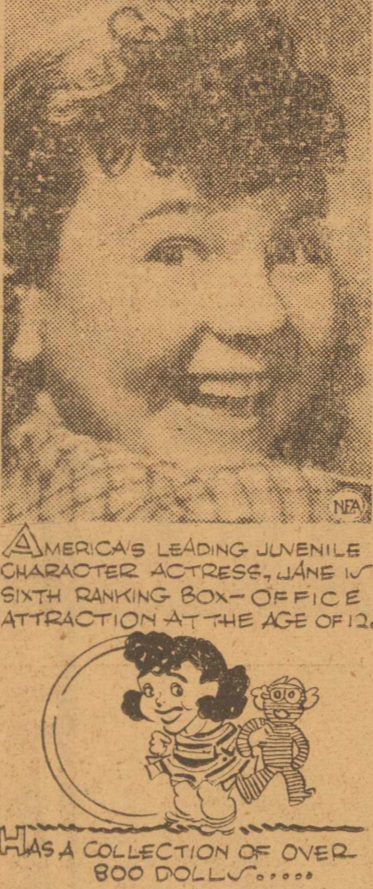
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secretary of the air raid precautions committee for the island.

In case of war in Europe, "places like Hong Kong, Singapore, Australia and New Zealand would be rather like besieged towns relying entirely on their own resources in armaments and man-power until they could be relieved," he said.

"If Britain should be committed to a war in Europe, it might be extremely difficult to detach and send a part of the fleet to look after her interests in the Pacific."

It was with that possibility that air raid precautions in Singapore might be found an essential part of the defenses.

"The shore defenses of Singapore are extremely strong and completely adequate to prevent enemy ships from bombarding Singapore or troops from landing," Clark declared.

"But, should an enemy be able to establish an air base or bring aircraft within striking distance of the island its planes could drop bombs, both high explosive and incendiary, and quite likely also gas bombs and gas spray on the town."

It has been estimated that 25 miles underground the earth's temperature is 2200 degrees Fahrenheit—more than enough to melt metals or rock.



"Is there any message? He's very busy working now and I can't disturb him."

Ticket Trouble At Rose Bowl Smoothed Out

PASADENA, Cal. (U.P.)—The biggest single thorn has been removed from this city's annual Rose Bowl football game with the announcement that beginning Jan. 1, 1939, the general public at last will be cut in on the tickets.

Kicked around for years after building what was a mere neighborhood attraction into a national spectacle, the general fans will be given a chance at 40 per cent of the tickets. Eighteen thousand of these will be sold across the counter, with applications being turned down.

That was the plan determined on at a joint meeting of the Rose Bowl committee of the Pacific Coast conference. Both groups were made apprehensive of the public's ire last year when the old system of permitting the western university participating in the

Marsupial Tiger Not Extinct

HOBART, Australia (U.P.)—The Tasmanian marsupial tiger, a rare animal of the "living fossil" class, and which was believed to have become extinct, has been found again, according to the Hobart animal and bird protection board. A sanctuary will be established for the few animals that have been found in an effort to prevent extinction.

game to handle all admissions bogged down completely. University of California at Berkeley was the western school last year and it took the entire admission list before even a ticket was placed on public sale.

Henceforth the 8-odd thousand seats will be cut into three slices. Forty per cent will be earmarked for the public, 50 per cent for the western representative and 10 per cent for the press and various civic bodies. A block of 5,000 will be reserved for the eastern insular, which only once in history has required a greater number.

Marriage of Midland Man to Miles Girl Is Announced

MILES, Aug. 23. (Special).—Announcement has been made of the marriage Thursday, July 28, in San Angelo of Miss Josephine Farmer and Joe Miller of Midland. The ceremony was read by Elder A. B. Langston of Salt Lake City, pastor of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Mrs. Miller is a daughter of Mrs. Pearl Farmer of Miles and has been employed in the Pimp Beauty Shoppe here.

Mr. Miller is a son of Mrs. T. W. Golley of Midland. After Sept. 1 they are to be at home in Dallas, where he has a position with Sears Roebuck and Co.

Matinee Party Is Compliment to Small Visitors

Betty Lou and Jo Ann Willis, who, with their mother Mrs. J. T. Willis of Lubbeck, are guests of Mrs. Paul S. Oles were complimented by her with a matinee party recently.

The children gathered at the Oles home, 1000 W. La., and then went to the show. Afterward they returned to the hostess' home where games were played and a buffet lunch was served.

Seventeen children were present.

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Dancing Duce



Resplendent in a white summer suit, Mussolini dances with a peasant girl at Aprilia in celebration of bumper wheat crops in Italy. Aprilia is one of the towns in the reclaimed Pontine Marshes near Rome.

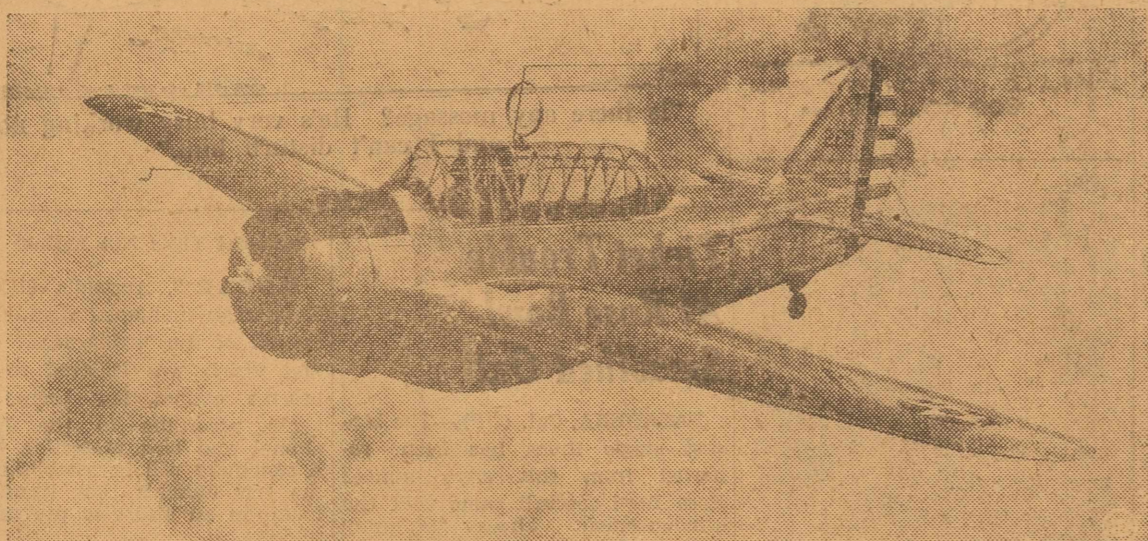
Barefoot Floogie on the Floy Floy



Socialites shagged sans shoes and stockings after showers spoiled slicker stomping at swing soiree staged at Milton Ochs' home in Chattanooga, Tenn. Shown left to right on the outside tiled dance floor are Hilda Whitaker, Dave Barrow III, Phyllis Whitaker, Bruce Stewart and Betty Ann Bryan. The barefoot beaux are students at the University of Georgia.

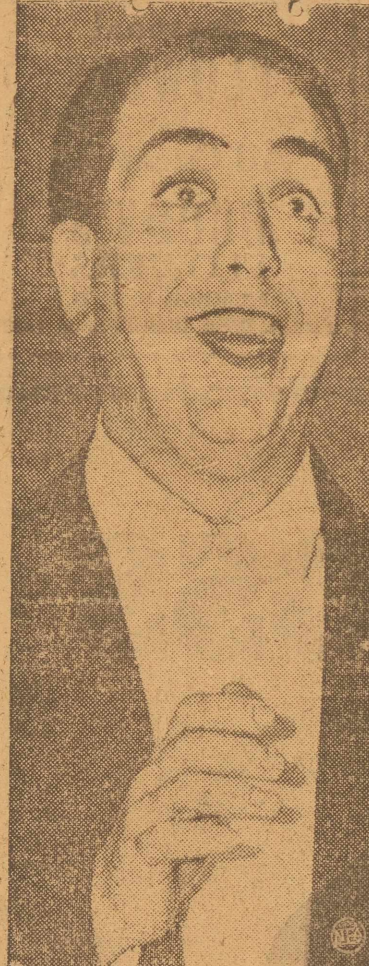


National Guard to Get "Flying Showcases"



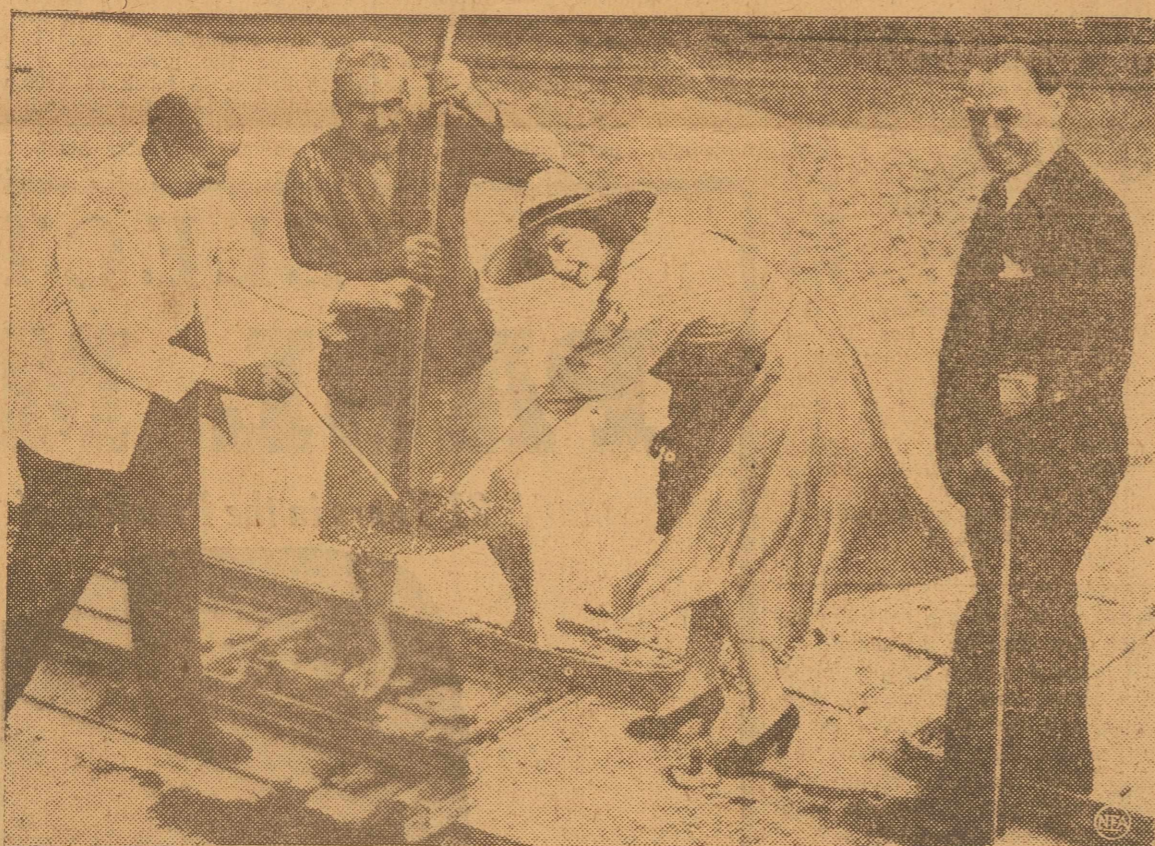
Immediately dubbed "flying showcase" was the new Army Air Corps observation plane pictured above, flying in recent maneuvers. Complete visibility in all directions is provided for the crew by the unusual cockpit, the sides and top of which are glass panes. It is reported that all National Guard air squadrons will be equipped with the "showcase" planes.

Night Club Caruso



Patrons of a New York cabaret recently heard the soaring tenor of Caruso and it wasn't from a phonograph record either. The voice belonged to Enrico Caruso Jr., son of grand opera's great tenor. He is pictured above at the night club which he hopes will lead to the operatic stage.

Now They're Slinging Mud at Lillian Gish



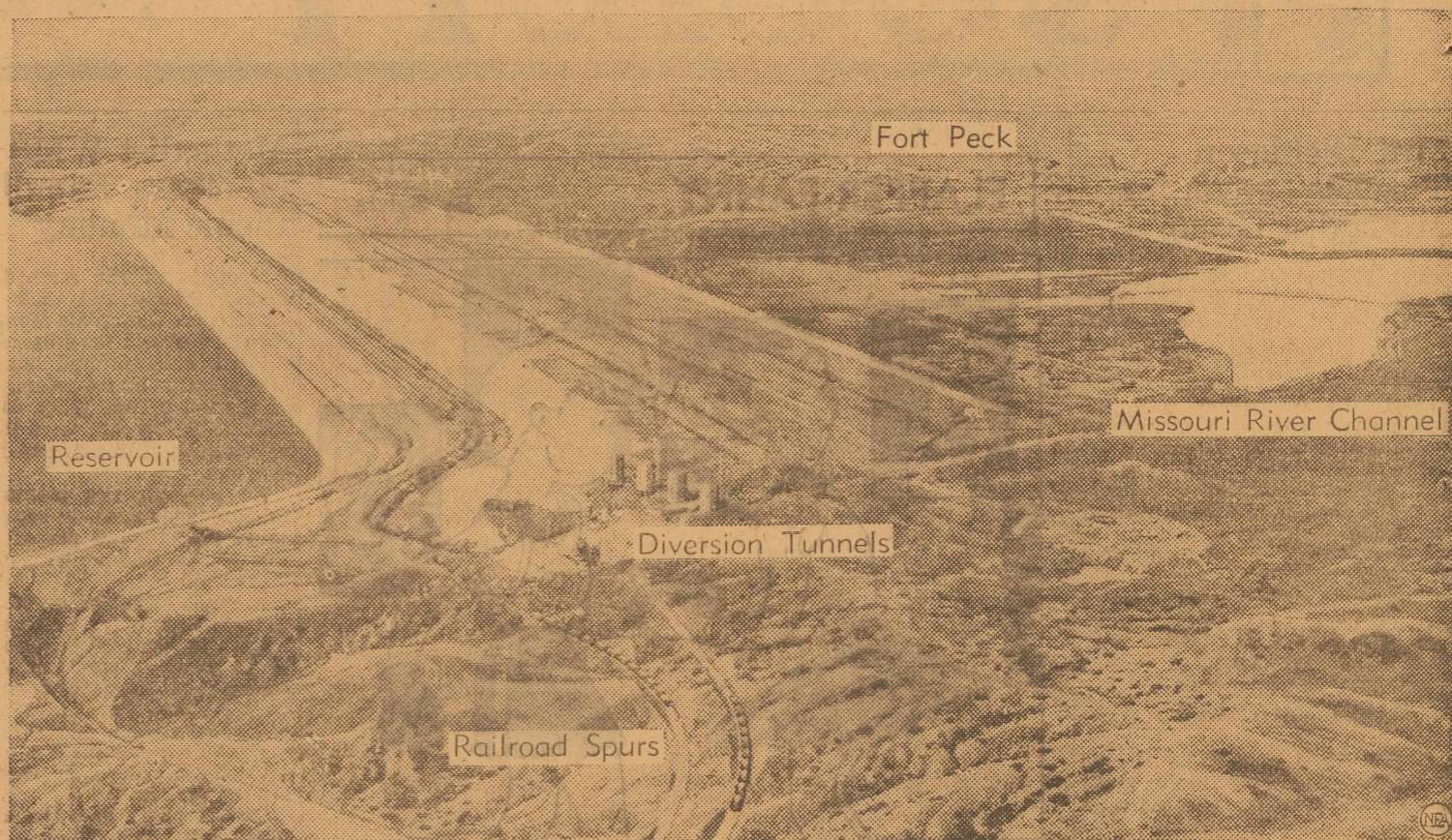
As a treatment for neuralgia, Lillian Gish, well-known stage and screen actress of a decade ago, is being daily blanketed with warm volcanic mud at Pistany Spa, Czechoslovakia. The dainty actress, idol of a whole generation of moviegoers, is shown with directors and attendants of the famous spa.

Amid Shell-Splinters Sons of Nippon Advance



Silhouetted against the smoke and debris of a bursting Chinese shell, this Japanese machine-gun crew "moves up" into Kiukiang, which fell only a few hours after this picture was made. With this success, the reinforced drive on Hankow again rolled irresistibly forward.

Uncle Sam Finishing Up World's Biggest Earth-Filled Dam



As Fort Peck Dam across the Missouri river in northeastern Montana nears completion the thing about the great public works project that impresses the visitor is the vastness of the job the government is winding up. The picture above shows the project, largest earth-filled dam ever built, stretching for nearly four miles across the rolling valley of the Missouri. The main fill will be 8500 feet across and will rise 231 feet above the river bed. Seen in the center of the photo are the openings to the four diversion tunnels that will carry the normal flow of water around the dam and on down the river after the reservoir fills up to form a lake 175 miles long and 15 miles wide in some places. The railroad spurs seen in the picture are part of the 57 miles of track used to carry supplies.

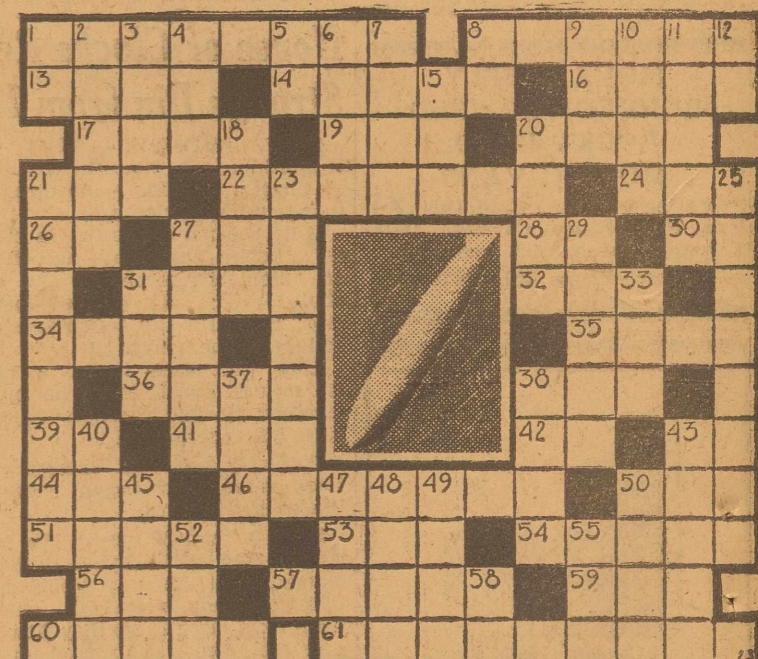
Honeymooning Dodge Heir Drowns



Tortured by pain from a dynamite explosion which injured him, his bride of two weeks and two employees, Daniel G. Dodge stumbled from a motorboat in Georgian Bay, near his summer estate at Little Current, Ont., and was drowned. The boat, with the explosion victims aboard and steered by Mrs. Dodge, was speeding to the Red Cross hospital at Mindemoya, Ont. The late heir to a \$9,000,000 automobile fortune, is pictured above with his bride, a former telephone operator, as they left for their tragic honeymoon after their marriage on August 2.

FLYING SHIP

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| HORIZONTAL | Answer to Previous Puzzle | Affirmative |
| 1 Airship named after its inventor. | OTIS | 15 God of love, |
| 8 The inventor was a count. | RAIT | 20 Cow-headed goddess. |
| 13 Opera melody. | ANT | 21 This ship has a large freight. |
| 14 To hoodwink. | NEW | 23 To work. |
| 16 Pertaining to air. | VANE | 25 The — has been spanned many times by this type ship. |
| 17 A wise saw. | ATTAR | 27 Hook. |
| 19 To deposit. | RE | 29 Wise men. |
| 20 Within. | EGO | 31 Mug. |
| 21 Fish. | STAR | 33 Stomach. |
| 22 Lists of officers. | CHY | 37 God of war. |
| 24 Wine vessel. | TWO | 38 Agent. |
| 26 Measure of area. | TOME | 40 Plural of that. |
| 27 To skip. | SCORE | 43 Dexterity. |
| 28 Exists. | GRIN | 45 Water cress. |
| 30 Preposition. | YEARS | 47 To trudge along. |
| 31 Box. | RAM | 48 Branches. |
| 32 To soften leather. | ANTE | 49 One who ice. |
| 34 Styptic ingredient. | SCENE | 50 Thick also. |
| 35 Gay celebration. | S' BEGGAR | 52 Small shield. |
| 36 Cougar. | | 55 Roof point covering. |
| 38 Moisture. | | 58 Tone B. |
| 39 Neuter pronoun. | | |



Don't Pout, Boys



The down-in-the-mouth look being worn by Noel Richardson, left, and George Woolf speaks volumes, after stewards at Delmar track, Los Angeles, suspended them for the remainder of the Del Mar meeting, and possibly for the rest of the year, because of rough riding. That gap between them as they gaze disconsolately over the rail indicates they obviously are still on the outs following the controversial race between Ligarotti and Seabiscuit, won in a neck and neck finish by the latter.

Mason in Action at 'Red' Hearing



Shaking a belligerent forefinger is Representative Noah Mason's way of emphasizing some of the "Red" charges which he has been making before the Dies committee hearings on un-American activities in Washington. He is pictured above as he leveled charges of Communism at eight federal officials.

"As Young as the Youngest of You"



"In spirit and enthusiasm Henry Ford is as young as the youngest of you," a speaker told 5000 Detroit school children, who gathered at the Michigan State Fair grounds to cheer the pioneer motor manufacturer on his 75th birthday anniversary. This picture of Ford in an informal, good-natured mood was snapped during the community celebration in his honor.

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FREE oil permants; two for the price of one; \$1.50 up. Box 993, phone 604-J, Odessa, Texas, opposite Marshall's Furniture Store. (9-18-38)

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3 FURNISHED APTS. 3

2 BIG rooms; 1 mile north of golf course; \$4.00 per week. Phone 9012F3. (143-3)

ONE large room apartment; nicely furnished; Frigidaire; utilities paid. 1104 North Main, phone 891. (142-3)

Peace College Urged.

PASADENA, Cal. (UP).—Warren D. Mullin, labor secretary of the National Council for the Prevention of War, told local audiences that as the war department is equipped with a war college, the

5 FURNISHED HOUSES 5

TWO-ROOM furnished house; modern. 108 West Pennsylvania. (143-1)

7 HOUSES FOR SALE 7

FOR SALE: 6-room house; double garage; bargain for quick sale. See or call Vernon Nalley at Vance One-Stop Service Station. (141-3)

10 BEDROOMS 10

SOUTHEAST exposure front bedroom; private entrance; private family; three blocks Petroleum Bldg. 509 North Colorado. (143-1)

GARAGE bedroom; private bath; on highway. Phone 400. (143-3)

FRONT bedroom for rent; quiet home; comfortable. 301 East Ohio. (142-3)

SOUTHEAST bedroom in brick home; private entrance; adjoining bath. 714 West Storey. (141-3)

BEDROOM; private entrance; adjoining bath; in new home. 1401 West Kentucky. (141-3)

WANT business girl to share room; close in. 522 West Missouri. (141-3)

11 EMPLOYMENT 11

WANT clean, reliable colored girl for house work. Apply 1009 West Missouri between 3 and 6 p. m. Thursday. (143-2)

15 MISCELLANEOUS. 15

FOR RENT: 40x40 ft. warehouse space; brick building; close in; can give 10 months lease from Sept. 1. Phone 502. (142-6)

SANITARY rug cleaning; scientific rug and upholstery cleaning; satisfaction guaranteed. San Angelo, Texas; Midland agent, C. C. Hiett, phone 1410. (9-1-38)

ROUNTREE'S Private Boarding House; menus changed daily; monthly rates; phone reservations for Sunday dinners. 107 S. Pecos, phone 278. (9-14-38)

Aged Couple Prefer Planes.

POULDING, O. (UP).—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Betts, respectively 82 and 73, recently took their first airplane ride. "That's the way to travel. We're going again soon," they said.

state department should be equipped with a peace college. He declared that \$200,000 would permit the organization of labor into the backbone of the peace movement in the United States.

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Hail, Hail —!

By EDGAR MARTIN

WELL... IS THIS A SURPRISE!!! HELLO, YOU! H/O WE GOT OVER AS SOON AS WE COULD. YEAR! YOU WERE TH' FIRST ITEM ON OUR "MUST" LIST.

WASH TUBBS

It's Never Too Late

By ROY CRANE

SCENE: VIRGINIA'S HOME. TWO DAYS AFTER HER OPERATION.

ARE YOU SURE WASH THAT WEBBIE WASN'T ANGRY BECAUSE I BROKE OUR DATE TO THE SUMMER OPERA?

OF COURSE HE WASN'T, VIRGINIA. HE UNDERSTOOD PERFECTLY.

OH, I DUINNED. AFTER THE FLOWERS AND CANDY AND BOOKS HE SENT BEFORE, IT SEEMS KINDA STRANGE THAT I HAVEN'T HEARD FROM HIM, THAT'S ALL. I LIE HERE AND WONDER AND WONDER... WHY'D YOU ASK?

A Grave Situation

By V. T. HAMLIN

FLORIST

GEE! I DIDN'T FIGURE ON THAT.

THEY'RE FROM WEBBIE! OH, HOW SWEET.. HOW THOUGHTFUL OF HIM!

ALLEY OOP

DANITKA REST, OOP AND FORGET TH' MEMORY OF YOUR DEPARTED PET?

NO, FOOZY. I CAN'T STOP THINKIN' ABOUT POOR OL' DINNY... BURIED OUT THERE IN TH' SAND...

EVEN THO I KNOW I'LL NEVER AGAIN HEAR TH' BEAT OF HIS BIG FEET SHAKIN' TH' GROUND, I JUST CAN'T STAY AWAY FROM HIS GRAVE.

MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

By RAY THOMPSON AND CHARLES COLL

HELLO! PHONE OUT OF ORDER?

NOT NOW, SIR—WE'VE JUST FINISHED REPLACING A DEFECTIVE WIRE.

WHY'D I HOPE I'D GET UP IN TIME... SPARROW'S RECORDED CONVERSATIONS ON 'FISHING SHOULD PROVE VERY INTERESTING!

GOOD EVENING, MISS NORTH—ABOUT TIME WE'RE GETTING ACQUAINTED. I'D SAY WHY, YES, MR. VENNOR, WOULDN'T YOU SIT DOWN?

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Two Brave Lads

By MERRILL BLOSSER

WE DIDN'T LOAD THOSE CANOES VERY CAREFULLY!

LOOKS LIKE THERE ISN'T ROOM FOR FOUR PASSENGERS IN EITHER OF THEM!

I'M AFRAID ONLY THREE CAN RIDE IN EACH, AND WE'LL HAVE TO COME BACK FOR THE OTHERS!

AND AT LEAST ONE OF US BIG GUYS WILL HAVE TO PILOT EACH CANOE!

I'LL STAY BEHIND, MR. WAYMAN, WITH WHATEVER KID YOU WANT TO LEAVE WITH ME!

I'M SCARED—GOTTA TAKE ME BACK!

I'LL STAY BEHIND WITH YOU, FRECK!

OKAY, PAL, BUT AREN'T YOU SCARED?

SURE I AM, BUT I'LL TRY NOT TO LOOK LIKE BRADFORD SOUNDS!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

IS YOUR NAME HOOPLE?

ARE YOU TH' PROPRIETOR OF THIS CANVAS-COVERED FAN-DAUNGO, GOVERNOR?

TICKETS PLEASE, GENTLEMEN—THE SHOW IS ABOUT TO BEGIN—YES SIR, MAJOR HOOPLE IS THE NAME, LATE OF HIS MAJESTY'S ROYAL MOUNTED DRAGOONS— I AM SOLE OWNER AND PROPRIETOR—STEP TO ONE SIDE, PLEASE, AND LET THE CUSTOMERS IN!

WELL, AS PROPRIETOR AND OFFENDER OF TH' LAW, YOU ARE UNDER ARREST!

OH, NUTHIN' MUCH. THER'S A NAIL IN MY SHOE AN' I'M JIS LOOKIN' FER SUNDIN THAT'LL FIT IN MY SHOE. DO YOU KNOW OF ANYTHING HARD I COULD POUND ON?

NO, BUT I KNOW SOMETHING SOFT I COULD POUND ON!

Accused Doctor at Wife's Graveside



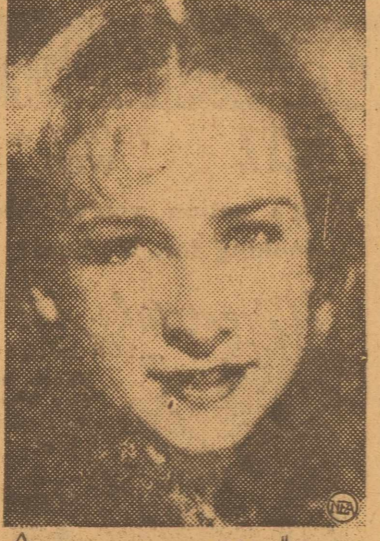
Accused of murdering his wife and hiding her body in a vegetable cellar, 34-year-old Dr. William F. Lamance sat dejectedly at his wife's graveside in Williamsburg, Kan., shortly before he was taken to jail in Linneus, Mo. Shown next to the one-time amateur boxer is his mother, Mrs. Lora Lamance, and next to her, Mrs. Adella Duvall, mother of the dead woman.

Strange Brew for Two-Ton Tony



No, you're not seeing things—that's really milk which Mrs. Tony Galento is holding out to her box-fighting spouse in their Orange, N. J., home. For the first time in a long while, beer and ale play a very minor part in the heavyweight's diet as he convalesces from a siege of bronchial pneumonia.

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Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Run-off election Saturday, August 27, 1938.

For District Judge:
CECIL C. COLLINGS (Of Howard County)
PAUL MOSS (Of Ector County)

For District Attorney:
BOYD LAUGHLIN (Of Midland County)
MARTELL McDONALD (Of Howard County)

For Representative:
JAMES H. GOODMAN (Of Midland County)
CLYDE BRADFORD (Of Ward County) Re-Election

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
B. T. GRAHAM Re-Election
J. C. BROOKS

