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Japs Bomb Undeclared Manila, Ask Philippine Army To Lay Down Arms

Dutch Ask Aid In Launching An Offensive

Empire's Forces Keep Up Attacks On Axis Ships... (By The Associated Press) DATAVIA, Netherlands East Indies, Dec. 27.—Reinforcement of the unimpaired striking power of the Dutch forces for an offensive based in the East Indies was urged upon the United States by an authoritative commentator today as the sinking of two more Japanese ships by bombers was announced.



EVACUEES RETURN IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS—These children of Army men in Hawaii arrived with their mothers and hundreds of evacuees and casualties in San Francisco for happy Christmas on the mainland. Left to right: Sonny Severson, 5; Merice Castle, 9; Rosalee Kiddy, 3; Glenwood Castle, 11; and Eva Castle, 13 (standing). The Seversons are from Roseville, Mich.; the Castles, San Antonio, Texas, and the Kiddys, Copperas Cove, Texas.

Free French Bar Warships From St. Pierre, Miquelon

(By The Associated Press) ST. PIERRE, St. Pierre et Miquelon, Dec. 27.—Vice Admiral Emile Muselier today barred all warships of "any nationality" from the territorial waters of these tiny islands off Newfoundland and prohibited all planes from flying over them.

Cochran Field Is Extended

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Russian Forces Push Germans Farther Back

Gains Of 45 And 50 Miles Claimed By Soviet Armies (By The Associated Press) RUSSIAN forces swept on into Likhvin, on the Oka river, 50 miles west of Tula; Novosil, 45 miles east of Orel; and Tim, 45 miles southeast of Kursk as they pushed back against the southern flank of the German forces near Moscow, an official communique announced Sunday. At the same time British sources suggested that a Russian move to counter-attack in the Crimea was under way.

Relieved Of Command

The Leningrad radio said that Gen. Rudolph Schmidt, German commander in the Leningrad sector, had been relieved of his command by Adolf Hitler. The report was heard by NBC.

Transports Sunk

The Germans have announced that four Russian transports were sunk and others damaged in this area by Nazi bombers. But Germany had another victory in its vast occupied domains. The British radio, heard by CBS, said that Yugoslav patriot forces had dislodged German contingents from positions held for the last six months in west and central Serbia. Violent battles were reported west of Belgrade while Chetnik guerrillas thieved German supply lines, to Salonika and Sofia.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Padgett of 2201 Twenty-fifth street on birth of a son weighing 10 pounds 4 ounces in West Texas hospital at 6:12 o'clock Saturday morning. The father is a representative of Mosher Bros. Steel company.

Most Of Them Had Rather Ride, But Plainsmen Will Gladly Walk If Uncle Sam Needs Rubber

(By The Associated Press) MR. AND MRS. South Plains Public don't cotton to the idea of doing any walking—even over to the other block where the community grocery is—but are willing to hoof it to work, a mile or so away, if necessary in interest of the common war effort. The government announced through the Saturday morning press editions a drastic rationing program, whereby some persons (and that means plenty of 'em) can't buy new tires for love or money or anything else and whereby those who can buy them are arranged in seven tight classifications who must hold up their right hands and do some veritable oath-taking before marching up to a civilian inspector for final formal request.

Position Of Allies Is Strengthened--FDR

Crushing Defeat Of Axis Said Planned (By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—President Roosevelt declared tonight that the position of the United States and all nations aligned against the Axis had been "strengthened immeasurably" by the historic conferences he has held this week with Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain and representatives of other nations.

Summing up in a statement the conferences he and Mr. Churchill held throughout today with representatives of 33 nations actively allied with or sympathetic to the Axis opposition, and other meetings which began with Churchill's arrival last Monday night, the president said: "We have advanced far along the road toward achievement of the ultimate objective—the crushing defeat of those forces that have attacked and made war upon us."

To Marshal Resources The president further said that the present overall objective "is the marshaling of all resources, military and economic, of the worldwide front opposing the Axis." He added that excellent progress along these lines had been made.

Several Meetings Held This group, composed of the military, naval and air chiefs of the United States and of Great Britain, has met several times already since Mr. Churchill's arrival in this country. The text of the president's statement: "Much has been accomplished this week through the medium of the many conferences held, in the meetings of the supply and production officials, in the sessions held by members of the military and naval groups, and in the discussions with the chiefs of missions of all nations at war with the common enemy."

Pacific War No Side Issue For Australia MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Prime Minister John Curtin declared in an article written for the Melbourne Herald today that Australia refuses to regard the war in the Pacific as a side issue to the war in Europe and places her chief reliance in the United States.

German Troops Said Moving Toward Spain NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP)—An anti-Nazi anti-Vichy radio station operating from a secret place in France broadcast tonight that mass movement of German troops was under way toward the Spanish frontier. The station, heard here by CBS, said one troop train after another was carrying the Nazi forces southward through France. The announcer identified the station as "Radio Inconnu" (the unknown radio).

Warmer Weather Is Expected For Today (Saturday) temperature ranged only 12 degrees from a low of 23 to barely more than the freezing point. The high was 35.3 degrees. The midnight reading at the main line station of West Texas Gas company was 25 degrees, with the low temperature expected to be only a few degrees lower.

TRAIN INSTEAD JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Gov. Forrest C. Donnell changed his plans to drive to Kansas City today and took a train instead to save wear on the tires of his state-furnished auto.

SHOT IS FATAL RICHLAND SPRINGS, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Norman Wilson, 20, died today of an accidental shotgun wound suffered when he attempted to separate his two fighting dogs. He once played football on the Richland Springs high school team.

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LOCAL WEATHER United States Weather Bureau Texas Technological College Station Lubbock, Texas, Sunday, Dec. 28, 1941. Minimum temperature Saturday, 23 degrees. Maximum temperature Sunday, 35 degrees. Sun, rises 7:48 a. m.; sets 5:50 p. m.

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Tune In 1340 Kilocycles KEYO Avalanche-Journal Station

Practical Details Of Tire Rationing Explained

Questions And Answers Given

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Here are some questions and answers clarifying details of the government's tire rationing program:

Q. When does rationing begin?
A. Jan. 1, 1942.

Q. What kind of tires will be rationed?
A. Only new automobile, truck and motorcycle tires—tubes and casings. No restrictions are placed on purchases of used tires, retreads or recapped tires, or on bicycle tires.

Q. Who will be allowed to buy new tires?
A. The ration regulations established seven groups of eligibles, covering vehicles used exclusively in protection of public health and safety or for essential freight and bus transportation or industrial and commercial operations.

Instructions Given

Q. How about the average motorists?
A. Unless he is a physician, a surgeon, a visiting nurse or a veterinarian, he can not buy a new tire.

Q. What can the average motorist—including the car owner who lives in a rural area removed from other transportation—do to keep his automobile running?
A. He can only observe all possible methods of conserving his present tires, try to "double up" with neighbors—driving to work, buy used, retreaded or recapped tires.

Q. What about taxi drivers, traveling salesmen and other persons using their automobiles to earn a living?
A. They are in the same class with the average motorist.

What About Trucks?

Q. What are in the same class with the average motorist?
A. The only trucks for which new tires may be obtained are those used "exclusively" for transportation of ice or fuel, materials for construction or maintenance of public highways, public utilities or production facilities; transportation essential to roofing, plumbing, heating and electrical repair services; transportation by any common carrier or for waste and scrap materials; or transportation with an important exception—raw materials, semi-manufactured goods, and finished products, including farm products.

Q. What is the "important exception"?
A. No new tires may be purchased for a truck which is used to transport commodities to an ultimate consumer for personal, family, or household use.

Grocers Included

Q. Does that mean delivery trucks operated by a retail grocer, a department store, or other businesses?
A. Yes.

Q. What about milk or bakery trucks?
A. Technically, they fall under the ban; in practice, it is believed possible that some future provision may be made for their benefit. But it may involve enforced "pooling" of their delivery facilities to reduce the number of trucks operated by each company. Most firms operating large fleets of trucks or taxis, however, have fairly large stocks of new or retreaded tires on hand and may not suffer immediate effects from the rationing plan.

Buses Are Eligible

Q. What about buses?
A. Buses with a capacity of ten or more passengers, used exclusively for public transportation, are on the eligible list. This includes school buses and company buses used to carry workers to and from their jobs. Company buses are barred, however, if public transportation facilities are "readily available."

Q. Will farmers have to go back to the old metal wheel tractors and implements?
A. No. The regulations approve purchases of new tires for farm equipment, other than automobiles or trucks, if tires are essential to operation of the equipment.

Where do motorcycles and bicycles come in?

A. Motorcycle tires are subject to rationing; bicycle tires are not and their sale is unrestricted at the present time. However, no more bicycle tires are being manufactured except to fill defense

Capt. R. I. Griner Is Named Post-Exchange Officer For Lubbock Army Air Base

(Special To The Avalanche-Journal)
BROOKS FIELD, Dec. 27.—Capt. R. I. Griner, former Albany, Indiana manufacturer and businessman, will leave here on about Jan. 3 for Lubbock, where he will assume his new duty as post exchange officer for the Army's new air base near there.

In his new position, Capt. Griner will operate a general-merchandise store and service station and supervise award of restaurant, tailor shop, shoe shop, and barber shop concessions which will serve approximately 4,000 soldiers eventually to be stationed at the post.

The post exchange functions as an instrumentality of the federal government under the War department and is coordinated, audited, and aided by the Army's morale branch. Purpose of the exchange is to furnish soldiers with personal necessities at minimum cost. Any profits from its operation are returned as dividends to the various military units of the post to finance recreational facilities for the enlisted men.



CAPT. R. I. GRINER

THIRD VICTIM DIES

GLADEWATER, Dec. 27.—Doris Carby, 15, of Hawkins died today, the third victim of an auto-truck collision last Sunday. Billy Wayne Williamson, 10, of Hawkins and Grace Jones, 32, of Downsville, La., were killed in the accident. Two other women are in a critical condition.

Farm tractors in Germany are being reequipped for use of wood gas.

August, a graduate of Ball State Teachers college, Muncie, Ind., he received his reserve commission in 1928 and has been in the manufacturing business in Albany for the past 12 years. His wife and three children will join him shortly after his arrival in Lubbock.

Extension Given On Oil Contract

A 32-day extension in a contract which calls for the drilling of a wildcat oil test on the 880-acre city sewage disposal plant tract three miles southeast of the city was approved by the city commission, at a special meeting Saturday.

The expiration date of the contract, following previous extensions, was Dec. 30. The new expiration date is Jan. 31, 1942.

Forfeit Is Posted

The contract is with N. B. Waiter and Earl Smith, East Texas operators, who have posted a forfeit of \$4,350 which goes to the city if operations are not begun.

Under the contract, the city has been in position to claim the \$4,350 for failure to start drilling operations. The view of the city commission has been, however, that the wildcat test would be of far greater potential value to the city as a municipality and to this entire section than would be the \$4,350.

Drilling operations have not been started already, the commission was informed, because of the inability of the operators to reach a satisfactory agreement with owners of lands and leases adjoining and adjacent to the city property. The last contract extension, from Dec. 15 to Dec. 30, was ordered so as to allow more time to try to work out a satisfactory agreement. The explanation to the commission Saturday was that the holiday period has hampered the negotiations.

Last To Be Given

Some of the members of the commission served notice that the latest extension is the last one they will be inclined to approve and that they expect to claim the \$4,350 forfeit unless terms of the contract are met by Jan. 31. If the children hold up this, it will mean either that a well will be

Hitler Copied From Japs, Speaker Says

Hitler borrowed from the Japs—the Nipponese didn't copy him. That was the theme of an address of J. M. Willson of Floydada Saturday before Lubbock Traveling Salesmen's association luncheon in Hilton hotel.

The lumberman, noted church layman and globe trotter said the Japanese, exponents 50 years of their claim for an expanded sphere of influence, had reckoned with the price they might have to pay with our western power and had ingrained into their system of public education a political and economic acceptance of the gambling possibilities.

Willson was somewhat pessimistic in his view of the country, but he expected eventual victory of this country, but not until after a titanic struggle that might be longer than many expect.

BLACKOUT ORDINANCE

GALVESTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Preparing for a test blackout within two weeks, the board of city commissioners yesterday passed a blackout ordinance providing a \$200 maximum fine for violations.

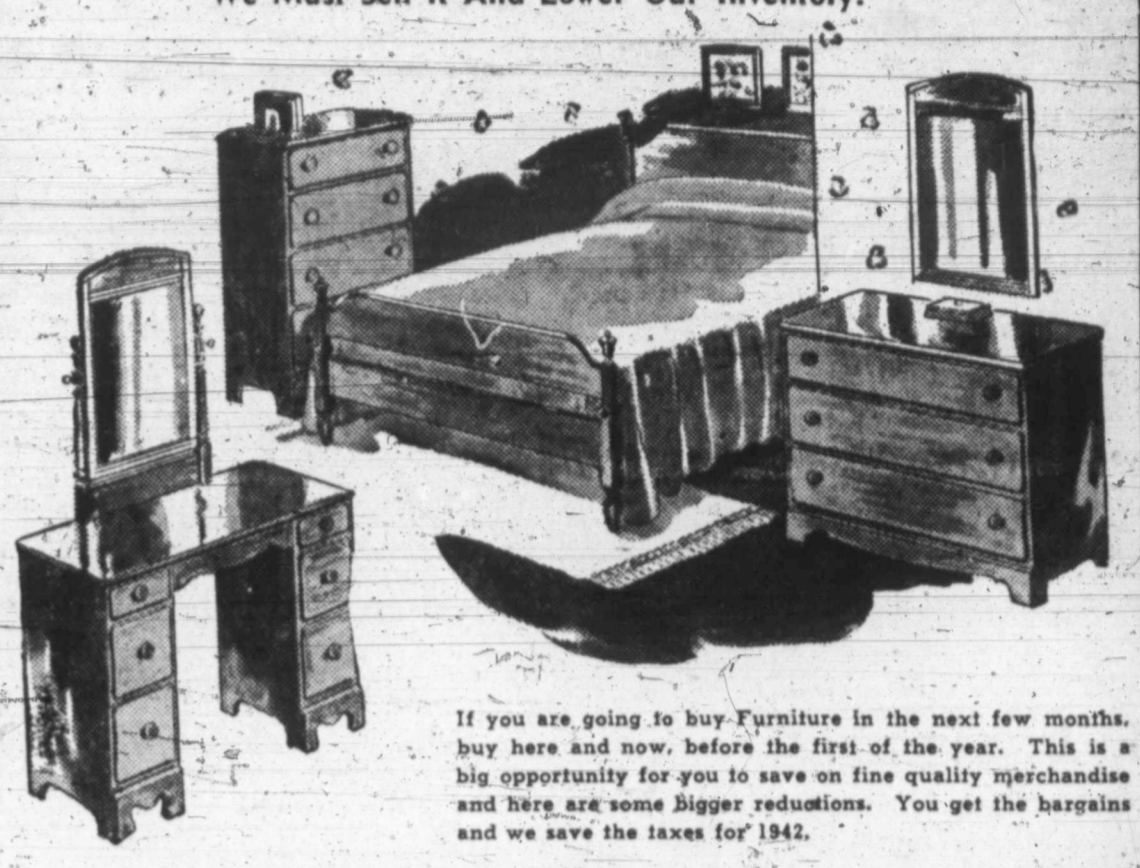
started on the tract by that time, or that the city's general fund will be enriched by \$4,350.

Under terms of the contract, the \$4,350 will revert to the operators when drilling operations are started. The contract then requires a 5,500-foot test. If oil and gas should be discovered, the city would retain the usual one-eighth royalty interest and would be paid an additional \$50 per acre out of production for the lease on the 880 acres.

If production in paying quantities should be found, the one-eighth royalty belonging to the city would instantly assume a tremendous value, officials said.

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For This Year ONLY

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9 Pieces, Solid Oak, \$225.00 Value

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SIZES TO FIT ALL ROOMS

SPIKES-SELLERS

South Plains Farmers Said In Better Condition Financially Than Year Ago

Crop Prospects Also Are Good ... BY J. SAM LEWIS ... Approach of the last days of 1941 finds South Plains farmers, generally speaking, in much better condition financially and also from a crop prospects standpoint, than a year ago...

There is plenty of moisture in the ground for current needs, and enough to carry through until spring planting time. Rainfall for the year is more than double the normal amount, and for irrigation farmers, probably twice as much water went into the deep sands to furnish a reservoir of water for deep irrigation wells...

Abundance of Pasture ... Wheat farmers, with virtually all their seeded acreages either sown or with a volunteer crop on it, have an abundance of pasture, except for the late sown wheat. Listing in was completed this month. It is a generally held opinion that wheat over this area must be sown by mid-December to insure growth...

Reduction Is Shown ... J. C. Childs, principal agricultural statistician of the U. S. D. A., in Texas estimates 3,604,000 acres seeded this fall, a reduction from the 3,917,000 acres last fall and 4,258,000 in the fall of 1939. The 10-year average, 1930-39 was 4,743,000 acres. Condition of Dec. 1 was placed at 83 per cent of normal, the best on that date since 1940 and 1931. Last year it was 66 per cent. On the basis of reports, the 1942 wheat crop, it is estimated, will be 50,456,000 bushels, or an average of 14 bushels an acre...

Cotton Harvesting Figures ... Figures Not Announced ... Cotton harvesting figures for mid-December have not been announced. As of Dec. 1 the South Plains total was 319,000 bales. It is generally believed the total now approximates 400,000 bales or more...

Feeding Is Started ... Farm feeding of calves has begun and with much "short" feeding, animals will probably go to the market by early spring. Commercial feeders will not sell until probably May or later, depending on the market. Farm feeding is expected to exceed previous records, but commercial feeding will be off, unless conditions change...

Valley Editor Dies ... LAREDO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Charles Hundley Hudson, 54, publisher of the South Texas Citizen, died today. A native of Pearsall, he was editor of the Pearsall Ledger for years. He came to Laredo in 1932. The funeral will be tomorrow. Surviving are his widow, daughter and three sons and four brothers.

Katharine Hepburn left Bryn Mawr college to begin her stage career... Dr. F. W. Zachary... Gentio-Urinary Diseases... 503-04 Myrick Building... DIAL 6616... Day or Night Ambulance SANDERS Funeral Home

Market Reports The Nation Over ... At A Glance ... Grain ...

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—Sales, closing prices and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today. Includes table with columns for Stock Name, Sales, Price, and Change.

STOCK LIST ... Includes list of various stocks with their respective prices and changes. Columns include Name, Price, and Change.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—Cotton futures advanced 1/16 to 15 cents a bale in quiet trading today. Includes table with columns for Cotton Futures, Price, and Change.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—The stock market today opened another disappointing week with the S&P 500 index ending at 118.93. Includes table with columns for Market Index, Price, and Change.

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED IN SHANGHAI, CHINA. ... See THESE 1942 WATCHES!

See THESE 1942 WATCHES! ANY OLD WATCH HAS VALUE! ... LADY'S WRIST WATCH 17 JEWEL MAN'S GRUEN ... BRING YOUR OLD WATCH IN TODAY ... WE TRUST YOU ... ESTABLISHED 1910 CREDIT JEWELERS

Gov. Stevenson Makes Distinction Between Aircraft Warning System And Air Raid Warning System; Instructions Are Given

Gov. Coke Stevenson Saturday called attention to the distinction between the aircraft warning service (observation posts) and the Air Raid Warning system, in letters to observation posts personnel in Lubbock county. The aircraft warning service is being organized for the army and is an information source through which the army will receive reports of approaching planes...

Selected Post Organizers ... A county Aircraft Warning Service council that stemmed from the organization of the county judge and county commissioners court did preliminary work for observation enlistment. Members selected for the personnel of each post have been certified to the army and such observers go under army orders, whereupon the Aircraft Warning Service council goes automatically out of being, having existed only long enough to select observation post organizers...

Official Records ... MARRIAGE LICENSES ... DANIEL DISTRICT ... BUILDING PERMITS ... OIL AND GAS LEASES ... NEW AUTOS REGISTERED ... WARRANTY DEEDS

Plants Urged Not To Take Holiday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—OPM Directors William S. Knudsen and Sidney Hillman today urged all plants engaged in production of war materials to work full time on New Year's day to "speed collapse of the Axis." Knudsen and Hillman said that they have received spontaneous offers from both labor and management in many sections to devote New Year's day to full war production...

Employes To Work ... Their statement was issued shortly after Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard approved an order requiring all agriculture department employes to work their regular shifts New Year's Day. He ascribed the order to added departmental duties growing out of the war...

MONTGOMERY WARD'S After-Christmas Clearance Sale ... Values to \$3.98 Style Shoes ... \$15 VALUES! MEN'S TOPCOAT SALE! ... Women's \$5.98 Hostess Coats ... Values to \$4.98 Men's Robes ... Children's \$5.49 Snow Suits ... Women's 2-Pc. Wool Suits ... Men's Leather Jackets ... CATALOG ORDER SERVICE BUY NOW...PAY MONTHLY

Coyotes Rock Temple, 13-0 For Texas High Grid Crown

Slim Gene Hill Earns Schoolboy Immortality By Passing Wichita To Title; Wayland Hill Bottled

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF Associated Press Sports Writer
FORT WORTH, Dec. 27.—The passing team in schoolboy history—Wichita Falls stringbean Coyotes—rolled over gallant, fighting Temple 13-0 here today to win the state championship going away.

Jack Crain Sets Pace For South In All-Star Win

BY ROMNEY WHEELER Associated Press Sports Writer
MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 27.—Razzle-dazzle football paid off at 16-0 today as a daring team of Southern All-Stars in the fourth annual Blue-Gray game before 15,571 spectators.

Jackrabbit Jack Crain of Texas, alling all week with a heavy cold, left illness in his locker and ran, passed and kicked the Yankees into fits.

Twice Crain tried passes, and twice they failed. Then Hovious came in, whipped a seven-yarder to Preston Johnston of Southern Methodist, bucked six over right tackle and then passed again to Johnston for the touchdown.

The North tried only one pass in the first half, gaining nine yards. Later the Yankees opened up and pitched 10, completing four for 45 yards.

Today's victory for the South-erners evened the four-year series at two wins each for North and South.

Former Coach Killed
WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Second Lieut. Roy Robertson, 27, formerly an assistant basketball coach at Wofford college, Spartanburg, S. C., was fatally injured and his gunner, Corp. Lewis Walker, of Meridian, Miss., seriously hurt today when their army observation plane crashed on the beach near Masonboro inlet.



Nabors Named On Associated Press All-State Finalists Lead With Three Each

The AP All-State Selections

Table listing All-State Selections with columns for Player, School, Position, Weight, and Years Left. Includes sections for First Team, Second Team, Third Team, and Honorable Mention.

before the district drive ended because of the ineligibility of a player. Ordinarily, a team gets little attention from the pickers unless it gets outside the district, but the fine play of Lewis, Brown and Dewitt Coulter, giant tackle, was remembered weeks after the team fell out of the race.

A Reminder To Fighters And Fans—Only A Month To Golden Gloves Time

Come on, you leather slingers! Let's get the Golden Gloves ball rolling. It's only a month now until time for the Sixth Annual District tournament, and so far only two entries have been received.

Longhorns Shove Tech From Title Bracket, 55-45

By LELAND GOURLY Associated Press Sports Writer
OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27.—Texas Tech's Longhorns stamped into the semi-finals of the All-College basketball tournament tonight by overpowering the rough Red Raiders of Texas Tech, 55 to 45.

Box score for the basketball game between Texas Tech and Oklahoma State, showing points, field goals, and free throws.

Guilley, Raider guard and captain, taught the Steers how to make points. The Raiders did, but the ones they got were a little more accurate.

There were times when it looked as if the Longhorns couldn't miss, such as a second half scoring spree by Lavoye Scudder, Steer stru-tler who made five successive field goals.

Five stars were deadlocked at 140, including E. J. "Dutch" Harrison of Little Rock, yesterday's leader with 67. Others in the 140 group: Byron Nelson of Toledo, R. Hill of Mamaroneck, N. Y. and Lloyd Manigum of Monterey, Calif.

The final 28 holes will be played tomorrow. The fields of 223, largest in the history of the Professional Golfers' association of America, tonight was narrowed to the 53 low professionals and 13 low amateurs.

Figures Give Edge To Duke

By FRANK B. GILBREATH Associated Press Sports Writer
DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 27.—Now that the sweater has replaced the corset, it may be contended that figures don't lie—unless they lie to be figures on past performance of football teams.

Unwary by statistics, Coach Lon Stiner put his 31-man Oregon State squad through a tough workout today—and announced that he was pleased with the condition of his men.

Close Games Numerous
Close games with stirring finishes highlighted the day's play in the losers' bracket. The winners went on in the consolation

Vertical text on the right margin containing various small advertisements and snippets of news from other pages.

Red Raiders, Hurricanes Return To Work; Sun Carnival To Open Monday

Raiders Cheered By Return Of Regular Guards

Texas Tech's Red Raiders returned to the practice field Saturday afternoon after a three-day holiday...

One Last Try At Football Guessing—Red Raiders, Bama, Duke, Missouri And TCU Chosen To Win New Year's Battles

WHILE there's life, there's hope, and the football season still retains a feeble breath of life...

Texas Tech over Tulsa in the Sun Bowl. The records indicate two teams as well matched as you'll find in the course of a season's play.

Alabama over Texas A. and M. in the Cotton Bowl. We herewith advance the opinion that the Aggies were far from the best team in the Southwest conference...

Texas Christian over Georgia in the Orange Bowl. The Frogs were underrated by all and sundry this season, even after they whipped Texas.

Missouri over Fordham in the Sugar Bowl. We had quite an argument with our better judgement on that one...

Tulsa Doubling Up On Drills For Sun Bowl

(Special To The Avalanche-Journal) TULSA, Dec. 27.—Coach Henry Frkna of the Tulsa university felt more relieved today after learning that his squad would definitely be able to secure Pullman accommodations for the trip to the Sun Bowl game...

Prowlers Reported In City Saturday Night

Residents in widely separated parts of Lubbock reported having seen or heard prowlers on their property Saturday night.

Buffets Buy Catcher

HOUSTON, Dec. 27.—The Houston Buffets announced today the outright purchase from Sacramento of Chester Wiecezek, catcher who batted .286 last season.

Population Boosted

HOUSTON, Dec. 27.—Houston's population increased 4.4 per cent between October, 1940, and October, 1941.

Congressman Visits

AUSTIN, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Texas Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson is here visiting his mother and will leave tomorrow for the Pacific coast to begin his new duties as a lieutenant commander in the U. S. Navy.

El Paso Fiesta Begins With Band Concert

(Special To The Avalanche-Journal) EL PASO, Dec. 27.—The seventh annual Southwestern Sun Carnival will start here Monday and will be concluded Thursday with the Sun Bowl football battle between the Texas Red Raiders and the Tulsa University Hurricanes.

Sellout Predicted

Wednesday will find the celebration in full swing with Indian dances and all-day band concerts. Then Thursday morning the big Sun Bowl parade, massed band concerts and at 2 o'clock the football game at Kidd Field between the Red Raiders and the Hurricanes.

Duke Favored

(Continued From Sports Page) binged-up knee and may not be able to play.

Rice Five Humbles Fordham, 68 To 44

(Continued From Sports Page) NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Rice Institute's Owls, capitalizing on the scoring ability of forward Bob Kinney and Bill Cross, overpowered Fordham university 68 to 44 tonight.

Golden Gloves Entry Blank

1942 Lubbock District Tournament (Open to all boys 16 years or older who can qualify according to strict amateur rules.)

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Six Thousand Tickets Left—Crimson Tide, Cadets Rated Even In Cotton Bowl; Bama To Arrive In Dallas Monday

(By The Associated Press) DALLAS, Dec. 27.—Alabama's Crimson Tide will roll into town Monday to find itself an even bet against Texas A. and M. in the sixth annual Cotton Bowl game.

Coyotes Win Title

(Continued From Sports Page) played 16 for 286 yards, the greatest exhibition of chugging the leather in schoolboy history.

All-State Team

(Continued From Sports Page) the second team but there are three tackles on the third team—Gus Gallagher of Breckenridge...

Orange Bowl To Be Packed For Thursday Game

(By JOHN WILDS Associated Press Sports Writer) MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 27.—The Orange Bowl football spectacle—starting Fireball Frankie Sinkwich and the team that beat Texas—will play its 1942 engagement here Thursday before a packed house.

Bulldogs Favored

T. C. U. was the most improved eleven of the season in the Southwest conference.

Plan Now For New Year's

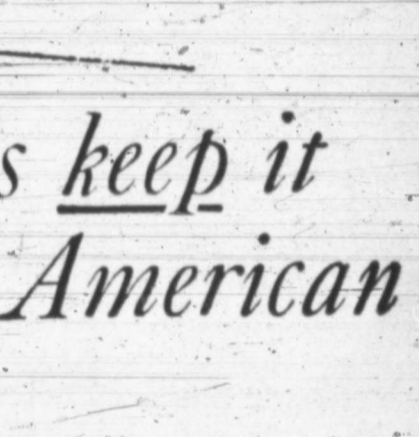
See Texas Tech play Tulsa University in the Sun Bowl at El Paso.

Sabin Upset In Sugar Bowl Tennis Tourney

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Paul Bartlett of New Orleans blasted second-seeded Wayne Sabin out of the running with a 6-1, 6-4 upset victory in the opening round of the Sugar Bowl tennis tournament here today.

Frogs Will Pass

All-American Frankie and his supporting cast ranged as early favorites on the basis of a season's record that brought them second place in the Southeastern conference.



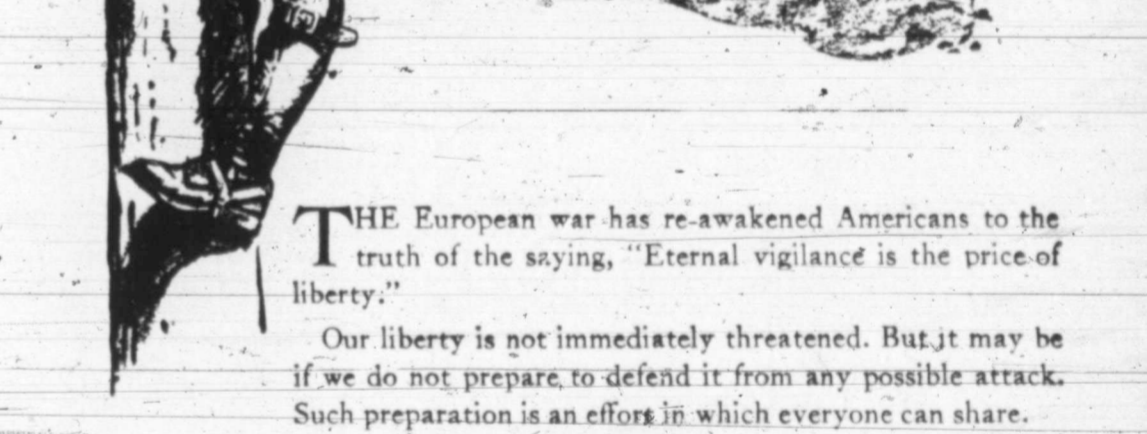
Let's keep it American. THE European war has re-awakened Americans to the truth of the saying, 'Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.'

Our liberty is not immediately threatened. But it may be if we do not prepare to defend it from any possible attack.

We favor adequate preparedness for national defense. This country's natural position gives us a great measure of security against threats from abroad.

National defense is not only a matter of men, airplanes, battleships and guns. It also requires us to strengthen our American institutions...

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Business Service 4-B-Building Supplies and Contractors... Caprock Lumber Co.

Employment 14-Situations Wanted... WANTED

Financial 16-B-Money To Loan... JACK N. McCRARY

Financial 17-Instruction Classes... 18-Furniture For Sale

Livestock 19-B-Poultry & Supplies... MILK STOCK

Miscellaneous 21-Miscellaneous For Sale... MONTGOMERY WARD FARM STORE

Announcements 3-Lost and Found... 4-Personal Notices

Business Service 4-B-Building Supplies and Contractors... Lumber

Employment 14-Situations Wanted... WANTED

Financial 16-B-Money To Loan... GEM LOAN & JEWELRY

Financial 17-Instruction Classes... 18-Furniture For Sale

Livestock 19-B-Poultry & Supplies... ROUGH FENCING SPECIAL

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Financial 17-Instruction Classes... 18-Furniture For Sale

Livestock 19-B-Poultry & Supplies... OAK FLOORING

Miscellaneous 21-Miscellaneous For Sale... SAVE up to 50%

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Business Service 4-B-Building Supplies and Contractors... Texas Lumber & Supply Co.

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By FRED VANDERSCHMIDT
Wide World War Analyst
Nothing can be better for this nation in these hours than to digest the invaluable words of advice and caution of our Allies...

people in Norway, in Flanders, in Greece, in Africa. These were the bitter pills of "too little and too late." And we Americans have demonstrated quite frequently since Munich that we are far more impatient than the English...

Admiral Nimitz, Texan, Honored By Home Town

Fredericksburg Has Holiday

FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 27. (AP)—This German-American settlement in the live oak-studded hill country of Texas today broke out its flags to honor a famous son...



SPENCE APPOINTED—Appointment of Herbert Spence, above, as assistant to W. L. Brattshaw, director of the \$515,000 Lubbock federal low-rent housing project...

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Italian Budget Hiked For Armed Forces

ROME, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Italian council of ministers, Premier Mussolini presiding, voted approval today of a \$424.45 fiscal year budget to provide 14,152,150,000 lire for the armed forces.

Japan Notified Of Pact Terms

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The United States has informed the Japanese government that all Japanese prisoners captured by American armed forces will be treated in accordance with provisions of the 1929 Geneva convention adopted by 47 nations at Geneva in 1929.

Number Of Prisoners Held

Table with columns for City, Week, and Year, listing prisoner counts for Houston, Austin, Fort Worth, Galveston, Midland, Lubbock, Waco, and Beaumont.

Americans In China Taken Into Custody

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The State department was informed today that Americans in Swatow and Amoy, in Japanese-occupied China, had been taken into custody by the Japanese military authorities.

Sons Of Lubbock Woman Reported Safe In Hawaii; One Dodged Machine Gun Slugs

A post card and a letter telling her that her two sons are safe at Honolulu, Hawaii, reached Mrs. Ted Glover, 810 Avenue J, from her two Marine corps sons in Hawaii Saturday.

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ERROR IS CORRECTED
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—President Roosevelt has signed a bill extending until Jan. 1, 1947, the life of the AAA soil-conservation program and the 85 per cent of parity loans on cotton, corn, wheat, rice, tobacco and edible peanuts.

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Christmas Marriages Are Highlights Of Year-End Society In City

Miss Elliott Is Bride Of L. C. Green

See Picture on Page 2 Announcement was made Saturday morning of the marriage of Miss Mattie Baucum Elliott...

Miss Pope And Mr. Vickers Are Married Saturday; Leave For Trip To Southern Points



MRS. LLOYD JACKSON

MISS FRANCES POPE, daughter of Mrs. Alexander Pope of Austin, and John Edward Vickers, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vickers of Lubbock...

Winners In Yule Contest Are Listed

WINNERS in the Christmas lighting contest, which is sponsored annually by the Lubbock Garden club...



MISS JULIA ROBERTS Story To Right

Church Is To Be Scene Of Wedding

THE marriage of Miss Julia Grace Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roberts of 2223 Thirty-fourth street...

Widow Remarries Miss Ouida Shell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shell of Dallas...

Reunion Is Held Here In Wood Residence A family reunion was held during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Wood...

Junior Gardeners Are To Meet In January Next meeting for the Lubbock Junior Garden club will be on January 8...

Club Plans For Dinner-Dance Members of the Assembly club will be honored with a post-Christmas dinner-dance Monday night...

Church Festival Will Be Held Wednesday Sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service...

Methodist, Alaska To Be Theme Of Talks "Methodism and Alaska" will be the theme for the program...

Dahlia Society Plans For Installation An installation of officers will be held at the meeting of the South Plains Dahlia society...

Jacksons Are To Live Here Mrs. J. Shell was married to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jackson...

Has Three Bridesmaids Misses Mary Ireland Graves of Austin and Gels Thomson of Dallas...

Reception Is Given After the service, a reception was held and wedding cake and punch were served...

Mrs. Joe McElhoney played Leogrin's wedding march and during the ceremony she played "I Love You Truly" (Bond)

Miss Gertrude Samson left Saturday morning for her home in St. Louis after a visit with her parents...

Miss Josephine Times, played the traditional marches. The couple stood before an altar-decked with greenery and candles...

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Couple Weds At Residence Miss Mary Deering, daughter of J. W. Deering of Lubbock...

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Betty King Is Bride Of Wayland Edwards Miss Betty King, daughter of Mrs. H. N. King of 2315 Tenth street...

Asbury Society Will Hear Year's Summary A summary of the year's studies will be presented Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the meeting of the Asbury Methodist Women's Society...

Mrs. San Francisco Clears Domestic Decks To Meet Sudden Wartime Duties

West Coast Metropolis Finding New Way Of Doing Part In War

BY ETHEL BOGARBUS
NEA Service Staff Writer
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.— Mrs. San Francisco has taken on a new job. To her daily tasks have been added the defense of her home. When war reached over the ocean and struck her island neighbor, it revolutionized her household routine.

Now the hand that rocks the cradle is rolling bandages, too. Instead of counting tricks, housewives are counting vitamins—and the black sateen bridge table cover is doing blackout duty over the kitchen window.

Takes First Aid Course
Mrs. San Francisco is not only doing her own housework, but she is taking classes in first aid, home nursing and nutrition. She is volunteering as many hours as she can manage for Red Cross and civilian defense. And she is being a good hostess to the service men within the gates of her city.

Blackouts Change Menu
Chief problems are blacking out, household assistance, and keeping the children calm. Food isn't much of a problem—although San Franciscans are not getting one of their favorite delicacies, crab. Cold and empty are the crab pots that used to boil cheerfully along Fisherman's wharf. The blue and white fishing boats are tied up at the wharf. No more nightly sojourns out beyond the bay.

Cooks her husband's breakfast, feeds the children their cereal, and gets them off to school. She knows they'll be safe there, for schools are instructed to keep children indoors should an alarm sound by day. Mothers are requested not to call for them.

Sand Noon Important Item
So Mrs. M. "reds up" the house, then inspects the furnace room to decide whether it would be safer to put the children there at night, or if it would be wiser to leave them undisturbed in their own room. She compromises by moving the beds away from the windows. This makes the room look out of proportion, and she's sure to crash into the bed in the dark, but it's better than risking shattered glass.

Social Life Changed
Necessity bred many an ingenious substitute for window drapes during those first blackouts, for sitting with the lights out gets tiresome. Blankets were the first answer in the papers for blackout papers, and draperies were doing a land office business. Blackout screens were advertised for "as low as 25 cents a window," and black tar paint is selling for 75 cents a gallon.

Blacks out
Blacks out, blacks out, blacks out. The blue and white fishing boats are tied up at the wharf. No more nightly sojourns out beyond the bay.

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MRS. W. B. ALLEN.

The marriage of Miss Connye McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClure of Crosbyton, and Lieut. W. B. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney, took place Thursday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents. Rev. V. F. Crabtree of Leola officiated at a simple ceremony.

Women are getting over that now. Mrs. O., for instance, lives in Sealife, the beautiful residential district above the Golden Gate. She has rallied the neighbors in a "black organization" for mutual assistance. A mimeographed list of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of each family in the block has been distributed. When Mrs. L. goes out to her first aid class, she leaves the baby with Mrs. Y. On the nights Mr. R. is on air raid warden duty, he knows that the folks next door will keep watch over his home. Every person knows where the nearest doctor lives, and a nurse in the block has given instructions for emergency action. Each house has a ladder that reaches to its roof—and the people are finding they like meeting new friends.

Vickers-Pope
(Continued From Page One)
The bride wore a green English tweed, traveling suit with brown fur hat and coat, alligator accessories, and a green orchid corsage.

The bride was graduated from Hockaday school and the University of Texas where she was a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. The bridegroom graduated from Texas Technological college and the University of Texas law school.

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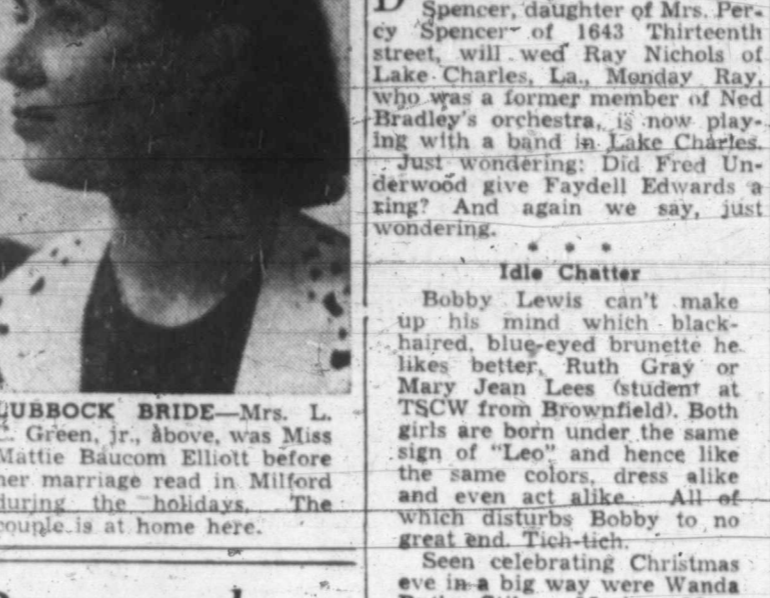
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From Lou To Louella



LUBBOCK BRIDE—Mrs. L. C. Green, Jr., above, was Miss Mattie Baum Elliott before her marriage read in Milford during the holidays. The couple is at home here.

DEAR Louella: Miss Caroline Spencer, daughter of Mrs. Percy Spencer of 1643 Thirteenth street, will wed Ray Nichols of Lake Charles, La., Monday. Ray, who was a former member of Ned Bradley's orchestra, is now playing with a band in Lake Charles.

Just wondering: Did Fred Underwood give Faydel Edwards a ring? And again we say, just wondering.

Personals
Mrs. Warren Cox of Gainesville is visiting her son, Lewis M. Cox and Mrs. Cox of 2206 Twenty-second street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Upton and his sister, Mrs. W. C. Afton, are spending the Christmas holidays in Poolville visiting friends and relatives.

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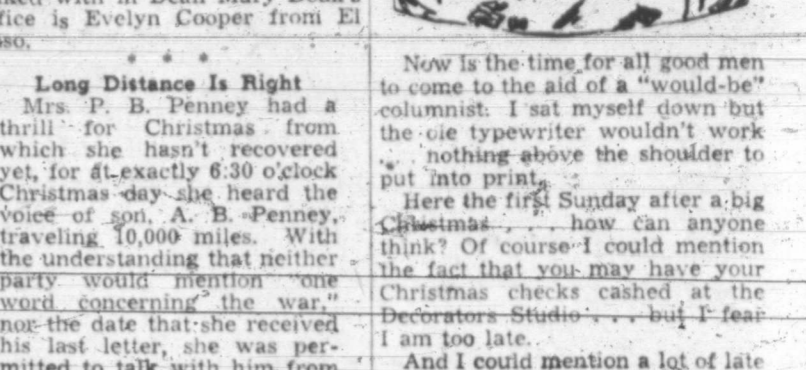
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Magazine Articles To Be Discussed By Group

Mrs. Thord Dockray will speak on "Current Magazine Articles" at the meeting of the Child Development group, AAUW, Friday afternoon at the F. R. Friend home, 2005 Broadway. Mrs. Alfred Gosby will be hostess.



Long Distance Is Right
Mrs. P. B. Penney had a thrill for Christmas from which she hasn't recovered yet, for at exactly 6:30 o'clock Christmas day she heard the voice of son, A. B. Penney, traveling 10,000 miles. With the understanding that neither party would mention one word concerning the war, she received the letter that she received his last letter, she was permitted to talk with him from the Dutch East Indies where he is employed with the Standard Oil company. His plans are to return to the United States in April.

Wednesday Needlers Meet In Ellis Home
Members of the Wednesday Needle club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. L. C. Ellis, 1639 Main street. Mrs. E. L. Robertson will be assistant hostess.

SWETMAN-SIMONS
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swetman of Dallas, who were married in Morristown during the holidays, will be at home in Lubbock after the week. They are students at Texas Technological college. Mrs. Swetman is the former Miss Lena Bell Simons of Pep.

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Russian Strategy Is Explained

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Here Is Our Strategy
If we can fight a successful delaying action in the Philippines and at Singapore, we can be certain that these offensive thrusts will cease abruptly in the spring or early summer. When Japan's military strength must be drawn off to Manchuria and Siberia, we should therefore work with all our strength to retain our positions in Malaysia, the Dutch East Indies, and the Philippines. One or more of these may temporarily be lost, but the more area we succeed in holding now, the stronger shall we be when our own forces can take the offensive.

If British and U. S. resistance is stubborn in the next weeks at Singapore and Manila, Japan will be compelled to detach strong air units and some infantry divisions from her Manchurian army to support the forces now operating in Malaya and on Luzon. In this case the Siberian troops would probably become too weakened to launch a spring offensive against the Soviet. Russia might then attack, since the ratio of strength of the rivals would have shifted in her favor. Stalin realizes full well that hostilities with Japan cannot be postponed indefinitely. As to the much-discussed possibility of U. S. air force utilizing Siberian air fields as bases from which to attack Japanese industrial cities, it can be stated that Stalin would welcome our bomber and fighter squadrons as reinforcements for his own sadly-weakened air strength. Despite the foggy weather now prevailing in the North Pacific, probably large numbers of our planes could be flown from Vladivostok by way of Alaska. A strong air-fleet might thus be concentrated in Siberia in the next few months.

BUT can we transport by sea the ground personnel and reserves of ammunition and spare parts necessary to maintain these planes in action? The answer to this question for the time being must be in the negative. Since the Japanese navy dominates the coastal waters off Siberia our ships could not slip through the blockade into Vladivostok. Russia possesses a number of minor ports in Kamohatka and along the Northern coast of Siberia which our ships could reach without running the Japanese blockade. Yet even if we successfully unloaded our cargoes there, the result would not help greatly for these ports lack both rail and road connections with Vladivostok and interior Russia.

Finally even if a supply-line could be arranged Stalin probably would not permit U. S. bombers to operate from Siberian air fields without himself first declaring war on Japan.
May Attempt Re-Enforcement
Undoubtedly, the Russian leader would welcome U. S. reinforcements if they were kept inactive until actual hostilities start in the spring. Some such plan may be attempted. But for the present Stalin's board of strategy, while realizing war with Japan is inevitable, is convinced that the longer open fighting can be delayed the greater will be Russia's military strength in the coming titanic struggle with Germany.
The pressing job for the United States and Great Britain is to retard the Japanese offensives against Singapore and Manila—now. If we can check these assaults, we can rest assured that help will come from Russia in the spring. Japan is not strong enough simultaneously to defend Manchuria, conquer Siberia, and continue her offensive in the South. Hence, on the fate of Singapore—now hanging perilously in the balance—depends in large part, the future destiny of this whole world at war.

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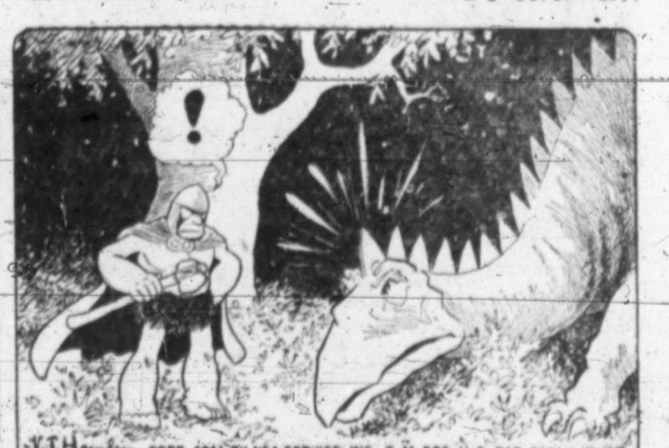
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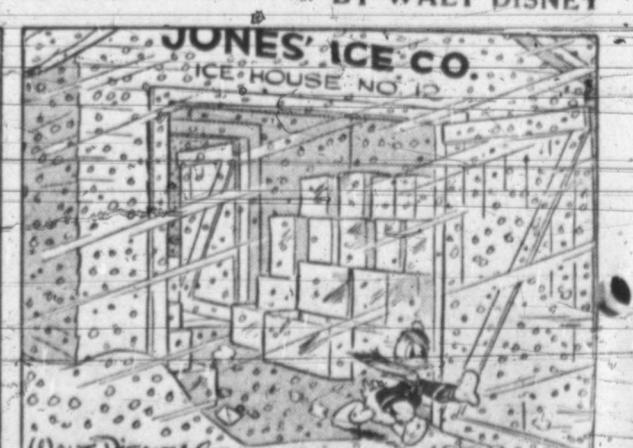
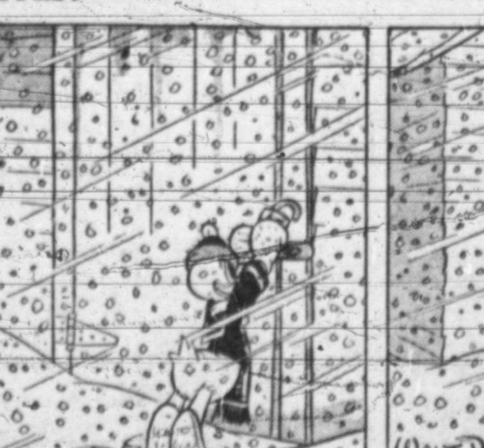
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Rubber Shortage Brings War Home

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ber from products derived from coal and petroleum, as will do so in 1942. It is estimated that next year they may produce as much as 30,000 tons.

In addition, the government itself is financing the building of plants at Louisville, Ky.; Akron, O.; and Naugatuck, Conn., which are hoped to produce another 30,000 tons. The Germans have long been making a synthetic rubber they call buna, and which they claim is even better than natural rubber.

To help in the production of synthetic rubber, Jesse Jones, Federal Loan administrator, recently authorized loans of \$3,500,000 for a plant at Charleston, W. Va., and \$2,200,000 for one in Galveston county, Texas, for the manufacture of chemical products needed in synthetic rubber factories. The biggest drawbacks is that synthetic costs more than double what natural rubber does.

TAKING the longer view—the department of Agriculture has been working with South American countries to get rubber plantations started. Just a few weeks before war with Japan began, a final shipment of 5500 budded trees arrived safely from the Philippines. In addition 15,000,000 rubber seeds have been planted in Latin America since the program was started about a year ago.

Congressman John Z. Anderson and Senator Sheridan Downey of California are sponsoring a bill in Congress under which the Reconstruction Finance Corporation would provide \$25,000,000 for development of rubber production from the guayule shrub, a Mexican plant that has already been transplanted in small quantities in California. It is claimed that within four years this shrub produces four tons of rubber per acre.

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Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

BLASTED HOPES



THE MIRAGE VANISHED. TARZAN TRUDGED ON, BUT EVEN HIS IRON WILL COULD NOT LONG SUSTAIN HIS WANING STRENGTH.



HE SUCKED A PEBBLE TO ALLAY HIS BURNING THIRST. HIS BODY SEEMED A FLAME. HIS LEGS LIKE LEAD.



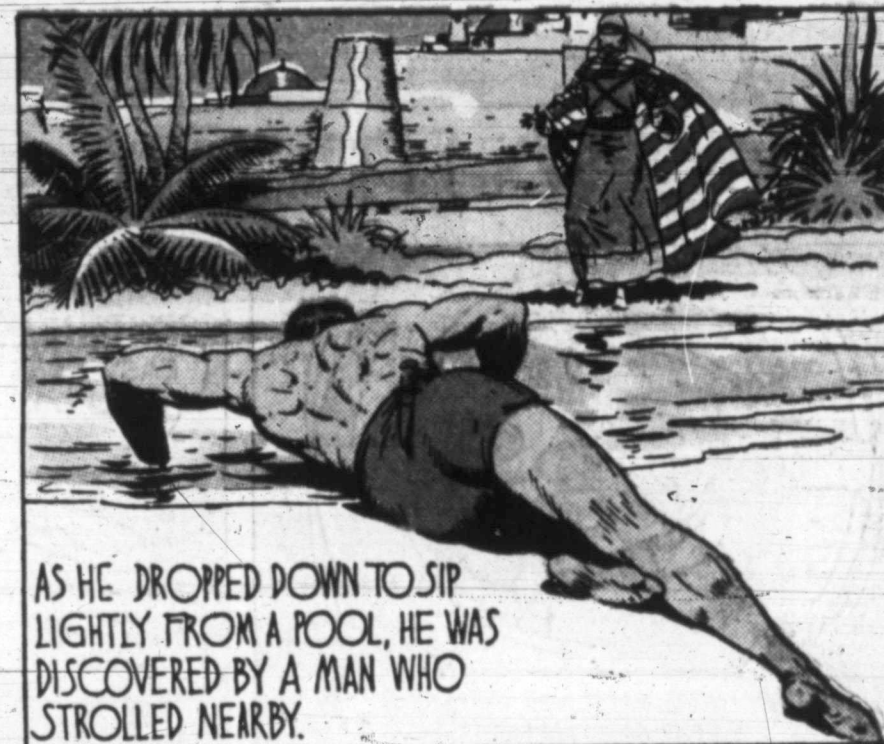
LATER, A VISION OF PALMS ROSE AGAIN ON THE HORIZON. TARZAN LOOKED DOWN. HE WANTED TO SEE NO MORE MIRAGES.



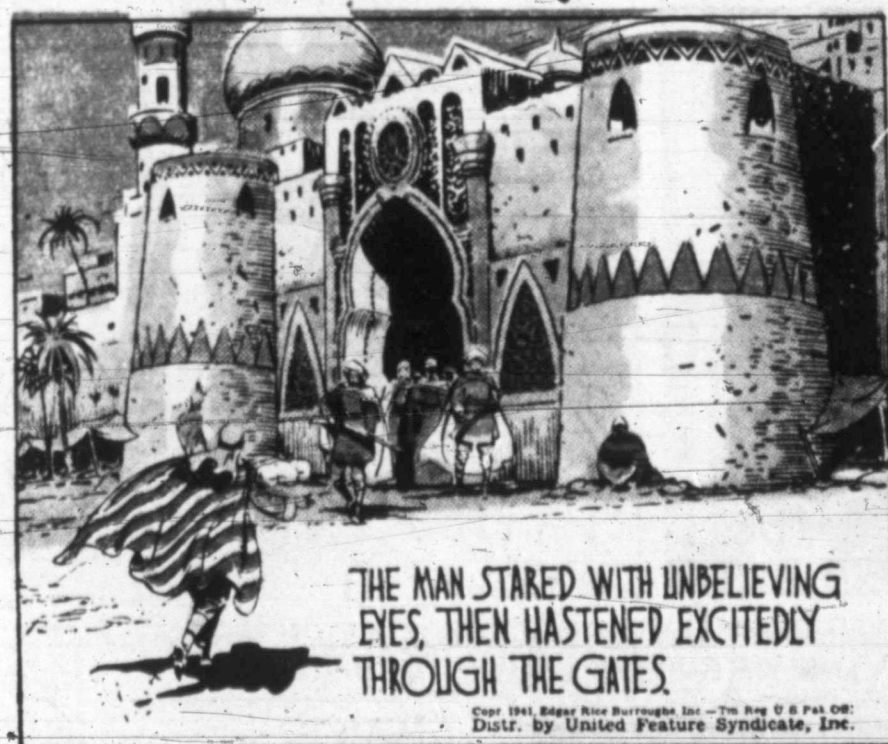
SUDDENLY HIS PARCHED LIPS PARTED WITH A HAPPY CRY. HERE WERE LIZARDS WHICH LIVED ONLY NEAR OASES.



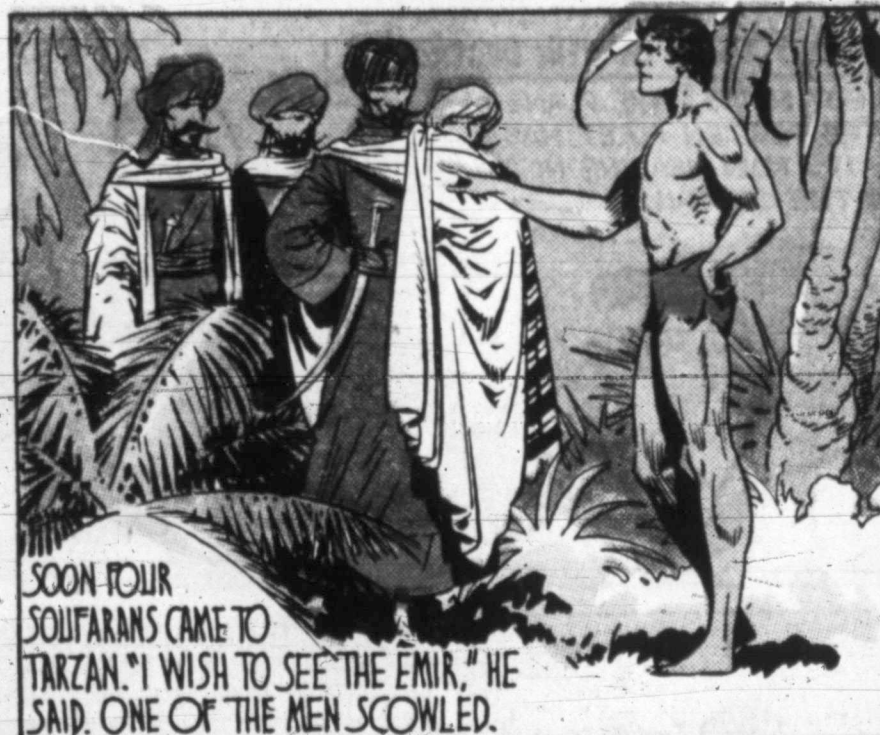
TARZAN PUSHED ON WITH NEW HOPE. THE SHIMMERING VISION FOCUSED. IT WAS SOUFARA---HIS GOAL!



AS HE DROPPED DOWN TO SIP LIGHTLY FROM A POOL, HE WAS DISCOVERED BY A MAN WHO STROLLED NEARBY.



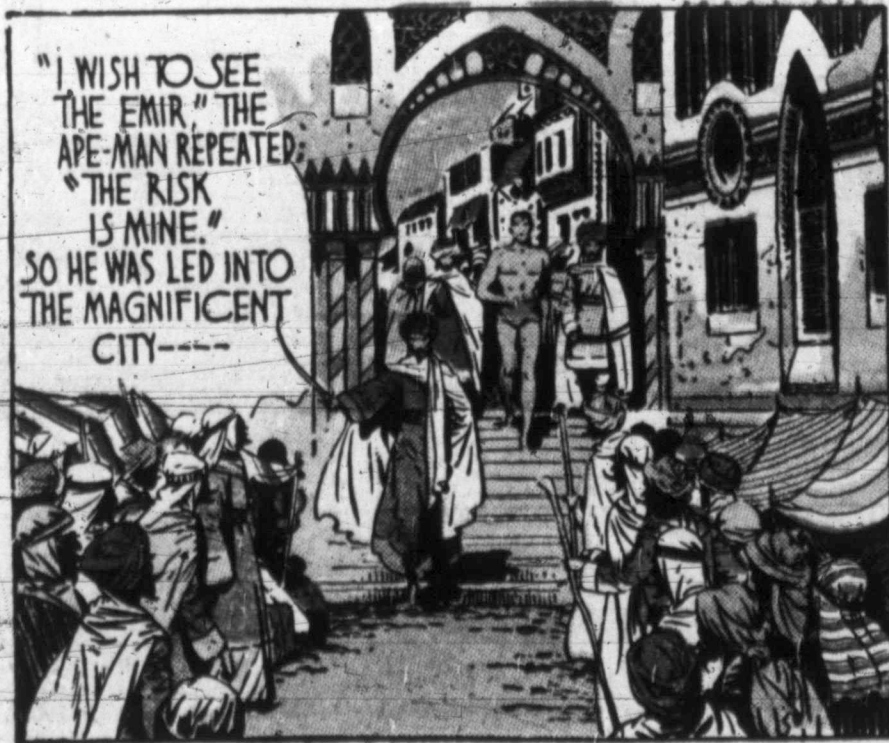
THE MAN STARED WITH UNBELIEVING EYES, THEN HASTENED EXCITEDLY THROUGH THE GATES.



SOON FOUR SOUFARANS CAME TO TARZAN. "I WISH TO SEE THE EMIR," HE SAID. ONE OF THE MEN SCOWLED.



"OURS IS A FORBIDDEN CITY. THE EMIR WILL PUT YOU TO DEATH, AS IS OUR CUSTOM WITH STRANGERS."



"I WISH TO SEE THE EMIR," THE APE-MAN REPEATED. "THE RISK IS MINE." SO HE WAS LED INTO THE MAGNIFICENT CITY---



--- TO A PALATIAL RESIDENCE. HERE HE WAS TOLD TO WAIT.



PRESENTLY THE DOOR OPENED. THERE STOOD, NOT THE EMIR, BUT SHEIK NUMALI, TARZAN'S MORTAL FOE!

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A SHOT CAME THRU THAT WINDOW—PHILLIPS IS DEAD!

WHAT HAPPENED? WE HEARD SUN-FIRE!

JACK PHILLIPS HAS FORCED HIS WAY INTO A PARTY AT NANCY TALBOT'S HOME TO WASH HER OF A THREAT AGAINST THE PEELLESS TELEVISION LINE. AS HE SPRANG TO HER, A BULLET CRASHED THRU THE WINDOW AND PHILLIPS TOPPLES TO THE FLOOR!

BRINGING TO THE WINDOW, CLARK GLANCES THRU IN TIME TO SIGHT A SHADOWY FIGURE DISAPPEAR INTO THE BUSHES...

(—THERE GOES THE KILLER! NOW IF I CAN ODORSE LOIS—CHANGE TO SUPERMAN—AND GET AFTER HIM...—)

HE'S ALIVE!

NO CHANCE OF GETTING AWAY WHILE LOIS HANGS ONTO MY ARM!

JUST BEFORE THE SHOT I REMEMBER JACK PHILLIPS KISSING ME THEN HEARD CORRECTLY?

WHAT'S THIS ABOUT SOME ONE KISSING MY FLANCE? DID I HEAR CORRECTLY?

SORRY TO DISAPPOINT YOU FOLKS... BUT I WAS ONLY WINGED. I'LL BE ALL RIGHT AFTER A LITTLE MEDICAL ATTENTION!

WHAT WAS GOING ON WHEN PHILLIPS WAS SHOT?

YOU BET YOU DID! AND I WANT TO SAY RIGHT HERE AND NOW IT WAS THE MOST PLEASANT KISS I'VE EVER HAD IN MY LIFE! AND WHAT'S MORE—I THINK I'LL HAVE ANOTHER!

ANOTHER?!

THERE! OH!—HOW DARE... I WON'T STAND FOR THIS! WILL THIS MAKE A NEWSPAPER STORY!!

AS PHILLIPS STRIDES FROM THE ROOM, THE ATTORNEY COWERS OUT OF HIS PATH...

DON'T HIT ME!—I'LL SUE YOU!!

DON'T WORRY. I'M JUST LEAVING—I'VE SAID AND DONE ENOUGH!

POOR DEAR! WASN'T IT AWFUL— HIS KISSING YOU, I—MEAN!

IF I WERE YOU, I'D HAVE HIM ARRESTED!

STRANGELY ENOUGH, I—I DON'T REGRET IT AT ALL.

(IN FACT, I'M AFRAID I BATHED LIKED IT!—)

I DEMAND AN EXPLANATION!!

QUIET, ALBERT, WHILE I TELEPHONE FOR GUARDS. I'M GOING TO SEE TO IT THAT TONIGHT'S SHIPMENT IS WELL GUARDED. IF YOU AND THE REPORTERS CARE TO ACCOMPANY ME TO THE TRUCKING COMPANY, YOU CAN! I GUARANTEE YOU EXCITEMENT!

YOU BET WE WANT TO GO!

WILL YOU SET MY WRAP FOR ME, CLARK?

BUT AS CLARK REACHES FOR LOIS' WRAP, THE GIRL REPORTER SHOVS HIM INTO THE CLOSET, THEN LOCKS THE DOOR...

THIS IS ONE TIME YOU WON'T TRICK ME OUT OF A BY-LINE!

WHERE'S YOUR FRIEND?

HE WASN'T ABLE TO COME!

BUT EASILY FREEING HIMSELF, CLARK CHANGES TO SUPERMAN. NOW, SPRINGING AFTER NANCY'S AUTO, HE SIGHS A STARTLING DEVELOPMENT!

A LIGHTED FUSE IN THE GAS TANK! IF THE SPARKS REACH THE GASOLINE...

NAVY BOB SENDS ★★★ by WILSON STARBUCK

NAVY BOB AND HIS FRIENDS SEND ALL HANDS "THE SEASON'S GREETINGS"

BOB AND BILL HAVE GONE TO THE AID OF TWO NAVY AVIATORS, WHOSE PLANE WAS SMASHED WHEN A STRANGE AIRCRAFT DELIBERATELY CRASHED INTO IT. BOB'S BOAT CAPSIZED. NOW BILL IS RESCUING ALL HANDS.

EASY DOES IT, MEN! HE'S OUT COLD!

A FEW MINUTES LATER.

GET THESE MEN BELOW AT ONCE!

THANKS FOR THE LIFT, BILL!

MEANWHILE THE TWO AMERICAN AVIATORS HAVE FLOWN TO SEEK THE FOREIGN PLANES.

NOW TO FIND OUT WHO THOSE GUYS WERE! FUNNY THERE WEREN'T ANY MARKINGS ON THOSE PLANES.

LATER IN THE RADIO ROOM OF THE DESTROYER.

WOW! HERE'S HOT NEWS! THE PLANES REPORT THAT THE FOREIGN FLEET HAS GONE ABOUT! IT'S NOW HEADING NORTH! RUSH THIS TO THE CAPTAIN!

ON THE BRIDGE.

STEELE, SEND THIS NEWS PRIORITY TO THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS!

AYE, AYE SIR!

IN WASHINGTON, WHERE OUR NAVY POLICIES ORIGINATE, GRIM, DETERMINED MEN RECEIVE BOB'S MESSAGE.

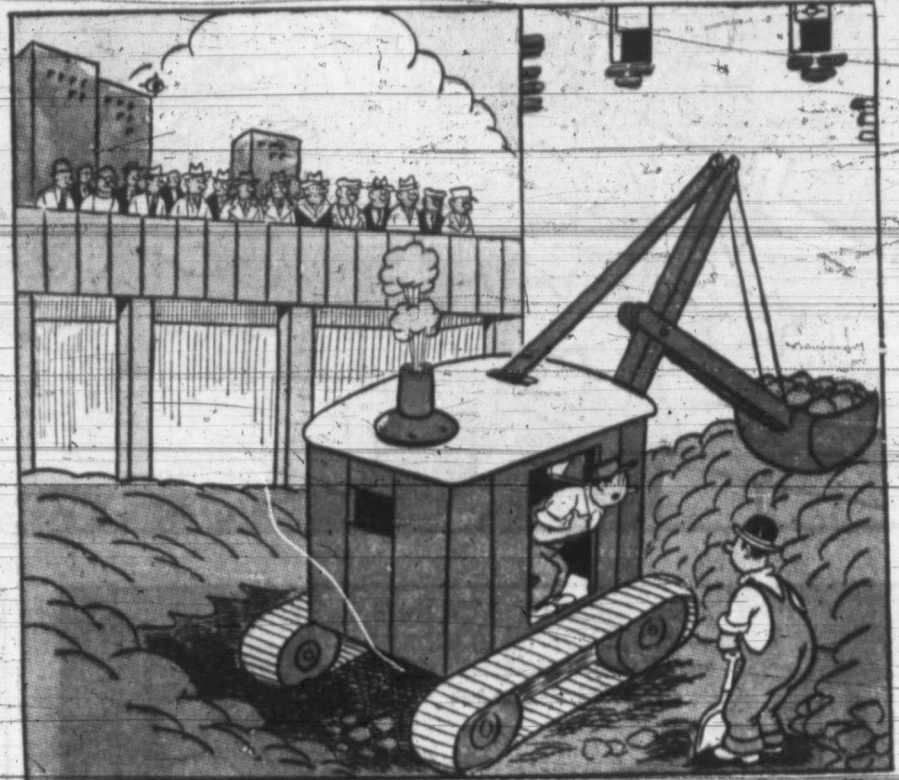
GENTLEMEN, A SERIOUS CRISIS HAS BEEN AVERTED— FOR THE TIME. THE EAST INDIES HAVE ESCAPED ATTACK! BUT OUR FLEET MUST NOT RELAX ITS VIGILANCE!

I AGREE WITH YOU, SIR!

BUT AT THAT VERY MOMENT, HALFWAY AROUND THE WORLD, A TINY PERISCOPE BREAKS THE SURFACE AND A LINE OF BUBBLES LEAVES THE SUBMARINE HEADING FOR THE DESTROYER— A TORPEDO!



OFF THE RECORD *by* ED REED



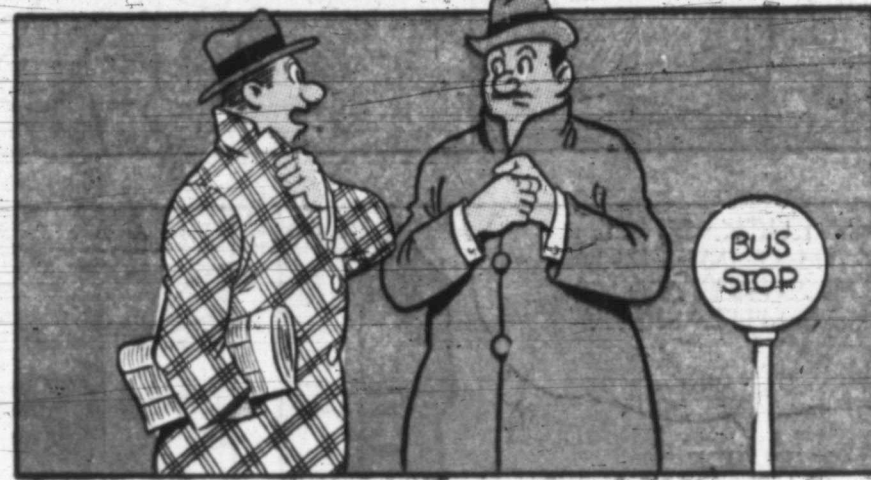
"I hate to quit now and throw all those people into idleness!"



"My neighbor is the laziest man in town!"



"I put a file in Junior's fruit cake---just in case he might be in the guard house."



"Let me see your Christmas tie and I'll let you see mine!"



"How nice! A big closet for my clothes and a nice chair for you to hang yours on!"



I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT---THAT'S TWICE I'VE FOLLOWED HIS TAXI---AND WOUND UP CHASING AN EMPTY CAB---

IT'S A GOOD TRICK, BUT THERE'S AN ANSWER TO EVERY RIDDLE, TUBBY---WE'LL SOLVE IT!



LOOK---IF I WAS DRIVING HIS TAXI---GOSH, THERE'S A SWELL DISGUISE IN LESSON THIRTEEN---

NEVER MIND THE DISGUISE, TUBBY---WE'LL FIND SOME OTHER WAY TO TRAIL HIM!



NOBODY SEEMS TO THINK MUCH OF MY DETECTIVE LESSONS AROUND HERE---

BUT I'LL SHOW 'EM!



NO, I CAN'T RENT YOU THIS TAXI---I CAN'T EVEN LET YOU RIDE IN IT---I'VE GOT A REGULAR CUSTOMER TO PICK UP HERE IN FIVE MINUTES!

OKAY---OKAY---JUST LET ME SIT IN IT THEN TILL I GET WARM!



COME HERE---I WANT TO SHOW YOU SOMETHING---YOU'LL REALLY GET A WALLOP OUT OF THIS---

SAY---WHAT'S THE IDEA?



SMACK! AND I WASN'T FOOLING!



SORRY, BUDDY---BUT I'VE GOT TO KEEP THAT DATE OF YOURS---

I'LL BE BACK FOR YOU LATER!



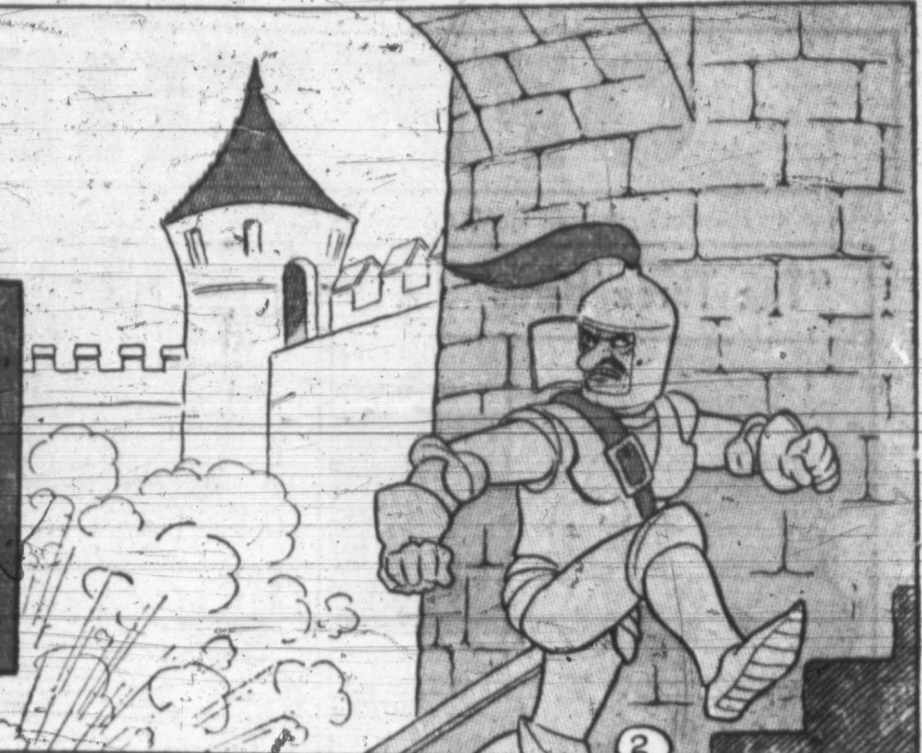
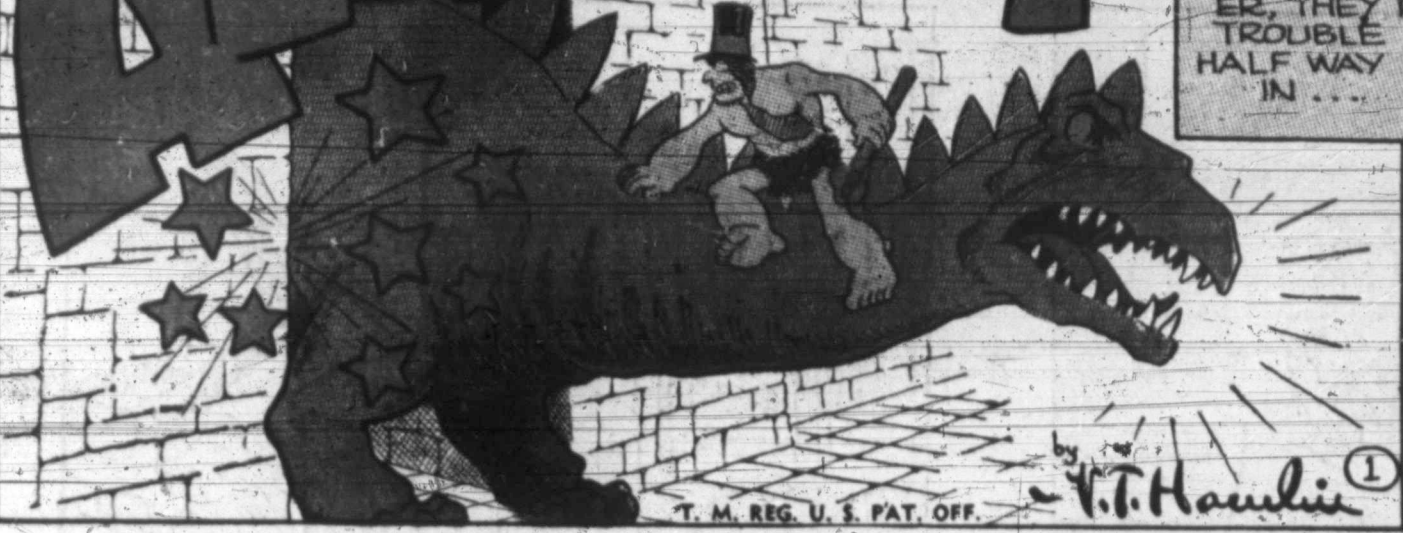
AH, HERE'S MY CAB WAITING---

JUST LIKE CLOCK WORK!

ALLEYOOP

WHILE ALLEY OOP AND DINNY FOUND LITTLE DIFFICULTY IN STORMING THE CASTLE WHERE COOLA IS HELD PRISONER, THEY RAN INTO BIG TROUBLE HALF WAY IN...

BUT THE VINDICTIVE LORD OF THE CASTLE, DESERTED NOW BY HIS TERRIFIED GARRISON, THEY JUMPED OFF THE WALLS. IS DETERMINED THAT HIS PRISONER SHALL NOT BE RESCUED.



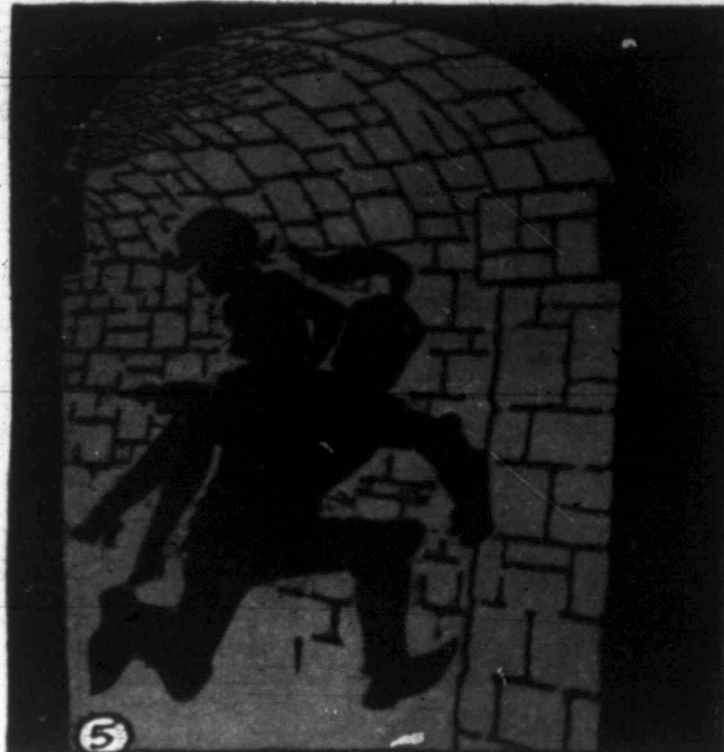
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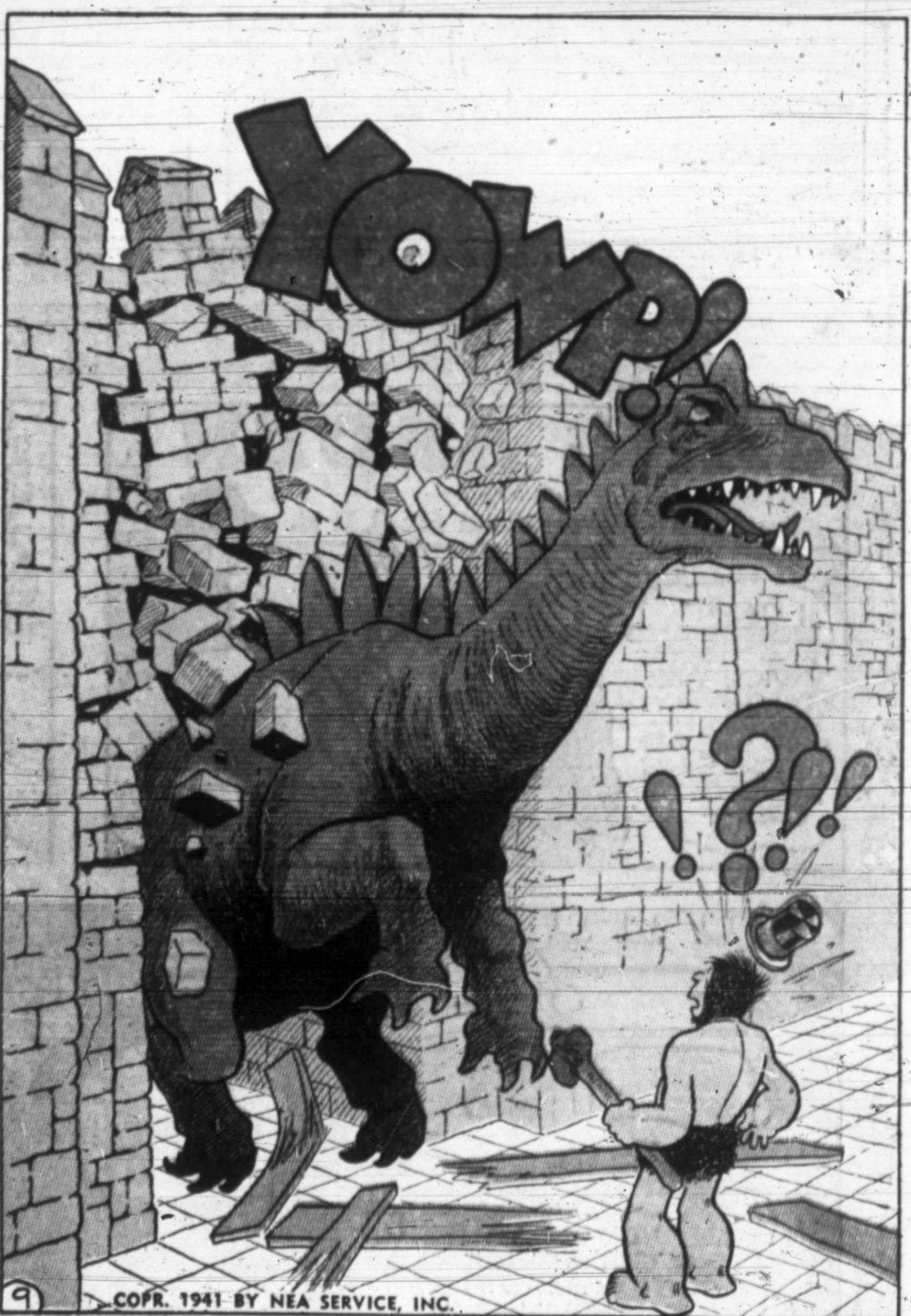
ALL RIGHT, YOUNG LADY, COME ALONG... WE'RE TAKIN' IT ON TH' LAM!



LUCKY FOR ME THAT GRANDPAPPY BUILT A SECRET PASSAGE IN THIS OLD CASTLE, OR WE COULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN OUT WITH THAT MONSTER BLOCKING THE ENTRANCE!



HA! MY LUCK STILL HOLDS! THAT INFERNAL BEAST IS STILL STUCK IN THE ENTRANCE!



YOMP!



THIS IS TOO GOOD AN OPPORTUNITY TO PASS UP... SO BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE, I'M GOING TO GET IN A COUPLE OF GOOD LICKS!



THIS IS AWFUL! I WISH THERE WAS SOME WAY SUMPIN COULD BE DONE T'GIT POOR OLL' DINNY UNSTUCK!

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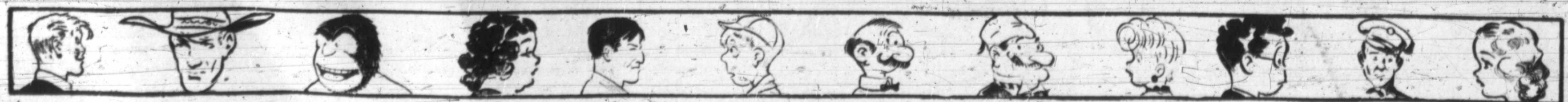
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A CLOSED MOUTH FOR JUST A MOMENT OR TWO... MAY OFTEN SAVE SOME HOURS OF EXPLANATION FOR YOU!



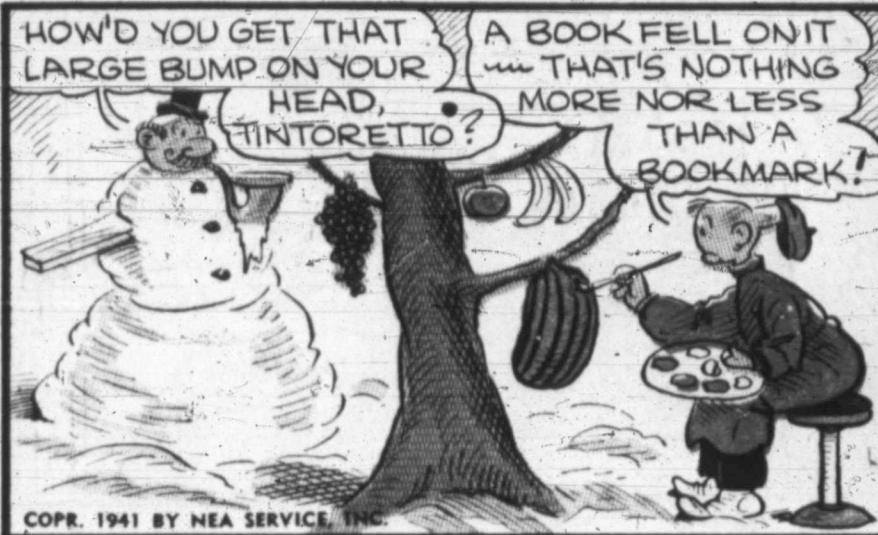
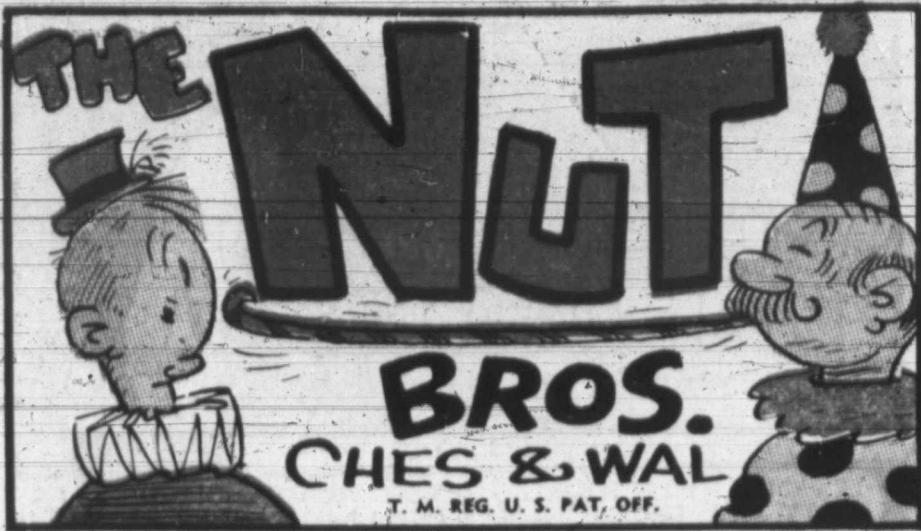
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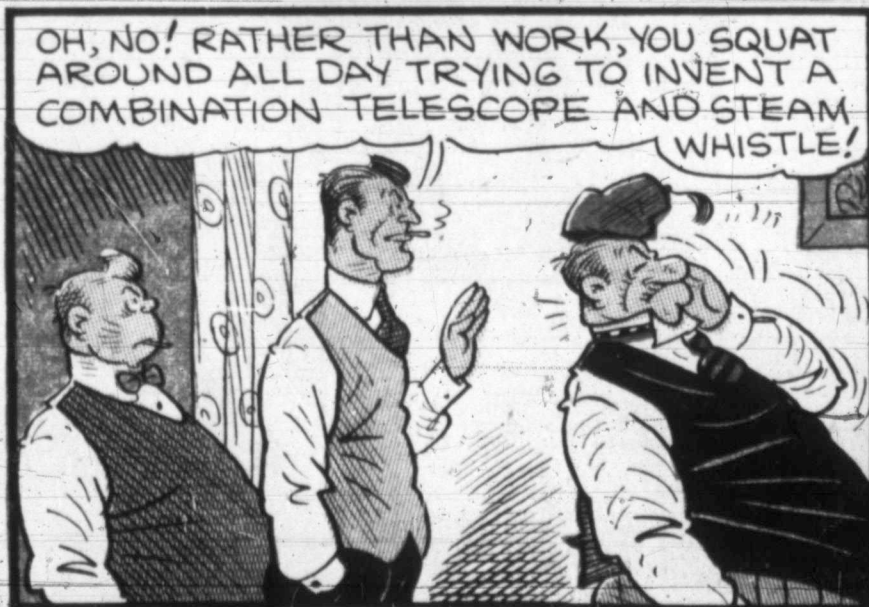
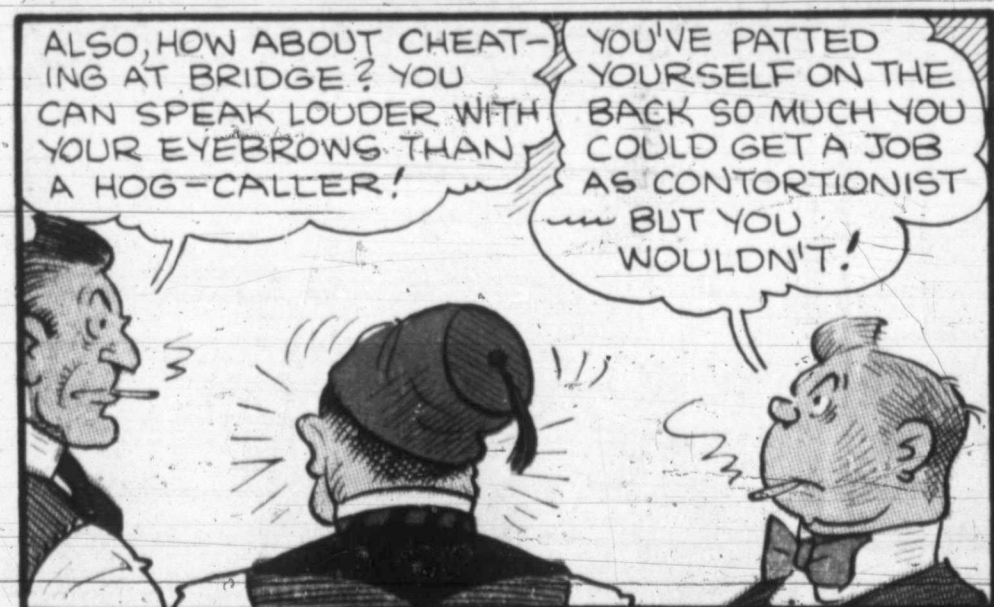
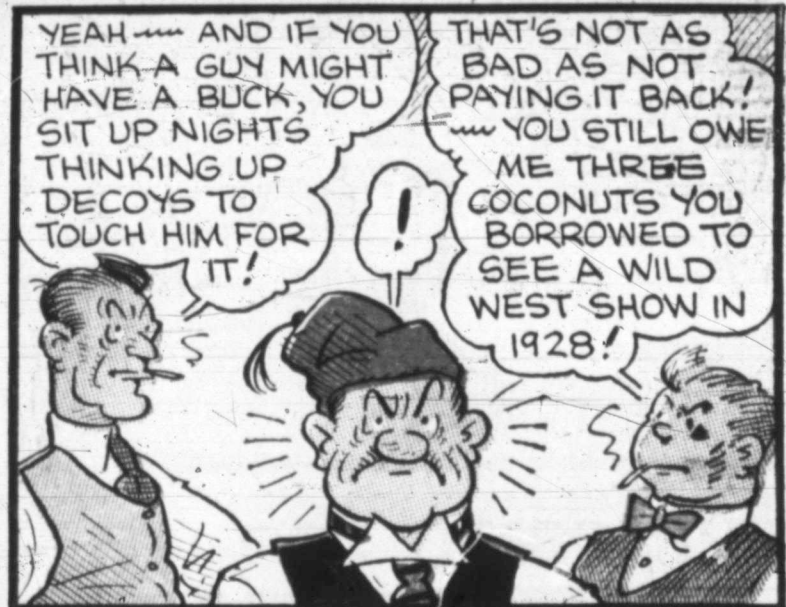
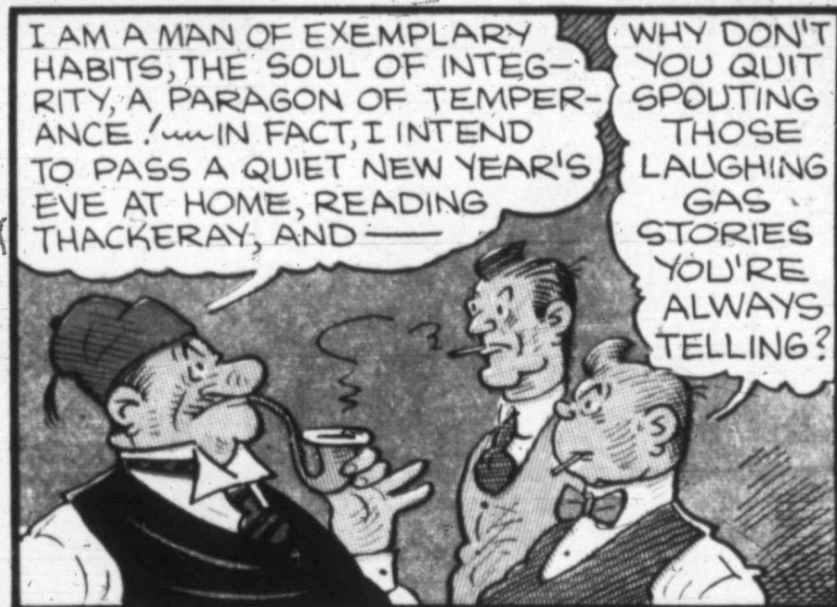
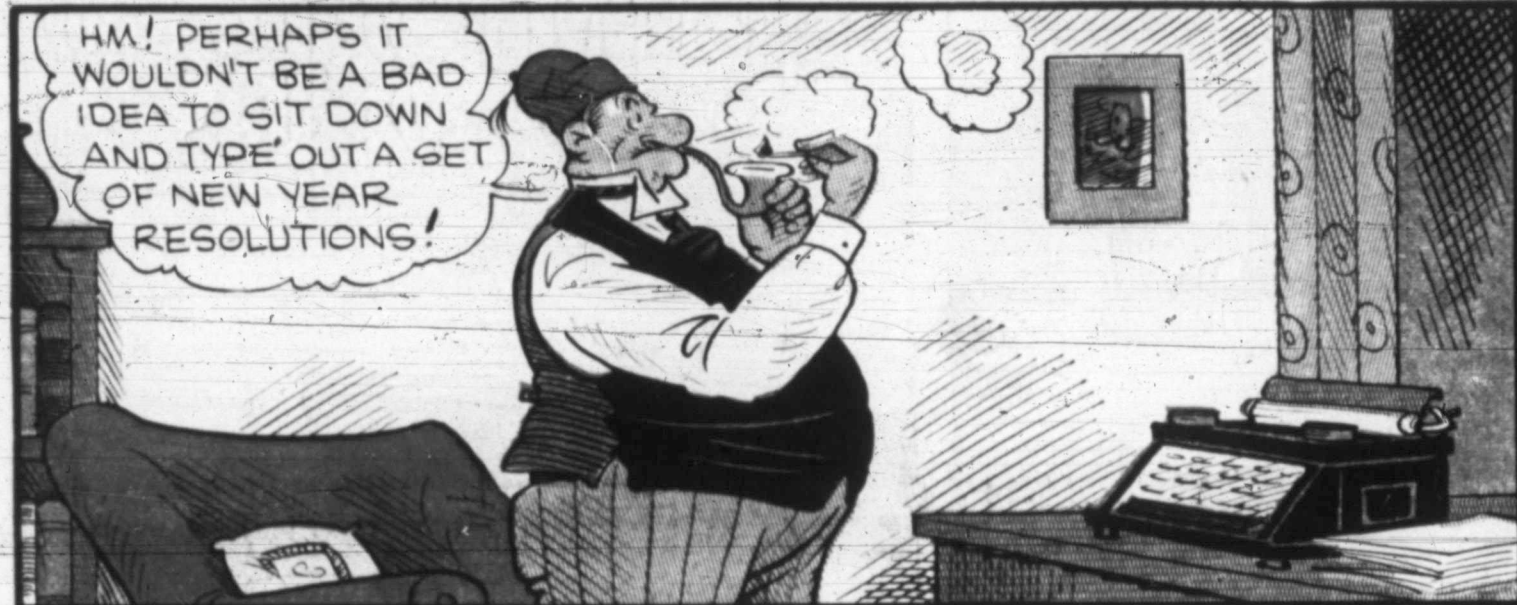
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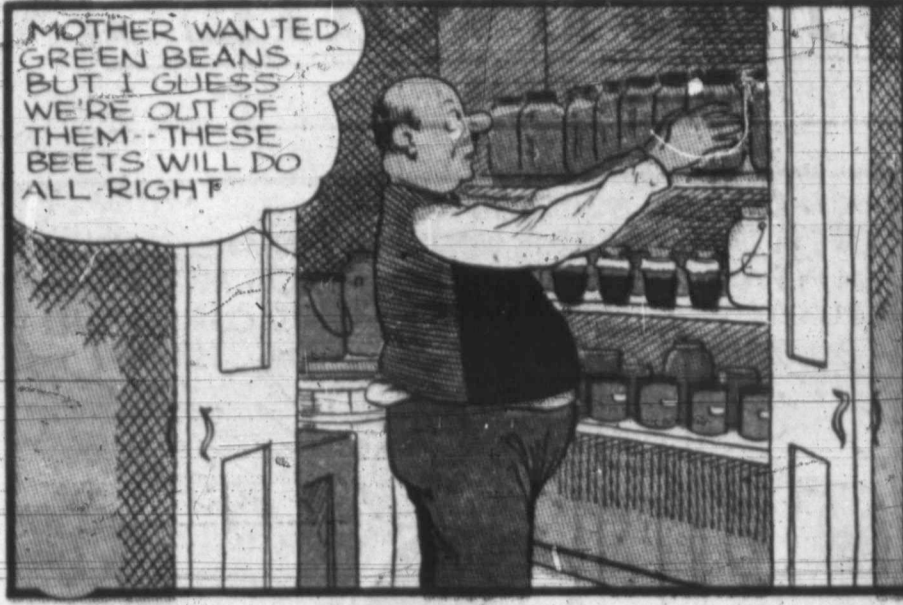
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OUT OUR WAY

WITH *The Willets*

by J.R. WILLIAMS



MOTHER WANTED GREEN BEANS, BUT I GUESS WE'RE OUT OF THEM-- THESE BEETS WILL DO ALL-RIGHT



BY GEORGE, OUR OLD ICE CREAM FREEZER! WE HAVEN'T USED THAT IN AGES!



LOOK WHAT I FOUND IN THE FRUIT CELLAR! IT GAVE ME AN APPETITE FOR SOME GOOD-OLD-FASHIONED HOME MADE ICE CREAM!

WELL, IF YOU WANT TO SEND WILLIS AFTER ICE, I GUESS I CAN REMEMBER HOW I USED TO MAKE IT



JUST A MINUTE, YOUNG FELLOW-- GET YOUR SLEEVES AND ROLLS DOWN FOR 50 POUNDS OF ICE



I HOPE THIS TURNS OUT ALL RIGHT

DON'T WORRY, IT WILL! IT'S JUST LIKE DOING ANY THING-- WHEN YOU ONCE LEARN HOW, YOU NEVER FORGET!



BOY! IS THIS COLD!

SET IT DOWN AND WE'LL CHIP IT INTO THE FREEZER-- THEN YOU CAN TURN THE OLD CRANK-- HOME-MADE ICE CREAM, WILLIS! DOESN'T THAT SOUND GOOD?!



IT'LL ONLY TAKE ABOUT AN HOUR-- IF YOU KEEP TURNING STEADILY

AN HOUR? BY THAT TIME THERE WON'T BE ANY OF THE KIDS ON THE RINK-- I GOT AN IDEA!



GIMME TWO QUARTS OF ICE CREAM!



HONEST, I AIN'T KIDDING YOU-- I JUST POURED WHAT WAS IN THE FREEZER OUT AND PUT IN THE ICE CREAM-- SO WHAT? SO I GOT A CHANCE TO SKATE FOR AN HOUR!

WELL, YOUR HOUR'S ABOUT UP-- YOU BETTER GIT FOR HOME!



THIS IS STRANGE-- I MADE CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM AND THIS HAPPENS TO BE VANILLA-- SAY, YOUNG MAN...



OH, WELL-- I'D A HAD TO GO TO BED IN 'BOUT AN HOUR ANY-HOW

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THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



MOTHER THINKS I'M TOO SMALL TO GO FISHING, BUT I'LL SHOW HER I'M NO SISSY... WATCH ME CATCH A WHOPPER AND SURPRISE MOM!!!



OOPS, I SLIPPED!!! I GOTTA WATCH OUT FOR SNAPPING TURTLES



HELP! I'VE CAUGHT A MUSKELLUNGE



LITTLE TOMMY TUMBLE

JUNIOR! DON'T BE SO SILLY... EVERY ONE KNOWS YOU ARE HIDING IN YOUR ROOM!! WHY DON'T YOU GO OUTSIDE AND PLAY HIDE-AND-SEEK??

YOO! HOO! JOHNNY BEAVER, TRY AND FIND ME!!

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JOE PALOOKA

by HAM FISHER.

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DEAR JOE -- THEY SEND ME OZZIE MY KID. NEPHEW T' VISIT ME LAST WEEK. THE KID'S A AUTAGRAPH PEST --

UNCLE KNOBBY THERE'S JIM FLIGG, THE GOLF CHAMP AN' VIVIAN TWEET THE MOVIE STAR. I SEEN THEIR PITCHERS -- PLEASE.

AWRIGHT BUT IT AINT RIGHT T' BOTHER THEM PEOPLE WHILE THEY'RE EATIN'!

HULLO JIM -- I WANTA GIT A AUTAGRAPH OF YOU AN' MISS TWEET FER MY NEPHEW.

HMMPH! THIS IS -- KNOBBY WALSH. I SUPPOSE WE'LL HAVE TO STOP EATING AND DO THIS SILLY THING.

HOW DO YOU DO MR. WALSH

HERE! LISSEN I AINT GONNA EMBARRASS MYSELF AGAIN. THAT'S FINAL. IF YA WANT ANY MORE GET 'EM YOURSELF!!

GEE -- THAT'S TEN AUTAGRAPHS YOU GOT ME. OH BOY! MAYBE I'LL GET MORE AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

WHY HAVEN'T YA AST ME FER MINE!! I'M MORE FAMOUS THAN ANY A THEM OTHERS!

OH YOU CAN SIGN IT IF YOU WANTA.

I GOT PLENTY OF DOUGH ON MEDEVITT. HE'LL BE TH' NEXT WELTER CHAMP.

GEE I WISH I COULD GET HIS AUTAGRAPH.

LOOK OUT MEDEVITT -- OH I SEEN IT COMIN' OOOH --

HE'S GONNA FALL RIGHT BY US UNCLE KNOBBY.

TWO THREE

OZZIE COME BACK HERE!

WILL YOU SIGN MY AUTAGRAPH BOOK?

HUH -- WHERE AM I -- OH -- SURE.

FOUR FIVE

NEXT VS RANGERS VS

NO NOT THERE -- WRITE IT ON THIS PAGE.

COME BACK HERE OZZIE

HUH -- OH -- SURE.

SEVEN EIGHT NINE -- TEN!

ARE YOU NUTS!

HEY!

GET UP! GET UP!

-- AN' IT COST ME TWO C'S. WELL THAT'S ALL FER NOW. REGARDS, KNOBBY.

HA! HA!

HO! HO!



