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LINDBERGH IS KNIGHTED

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE URGES LEGISLATURE TO SPEED UP WORK BILL WOULD REORGANIZE HIGHWAY BODY

RESOLUTION OFFERED BY SENATOR STUART

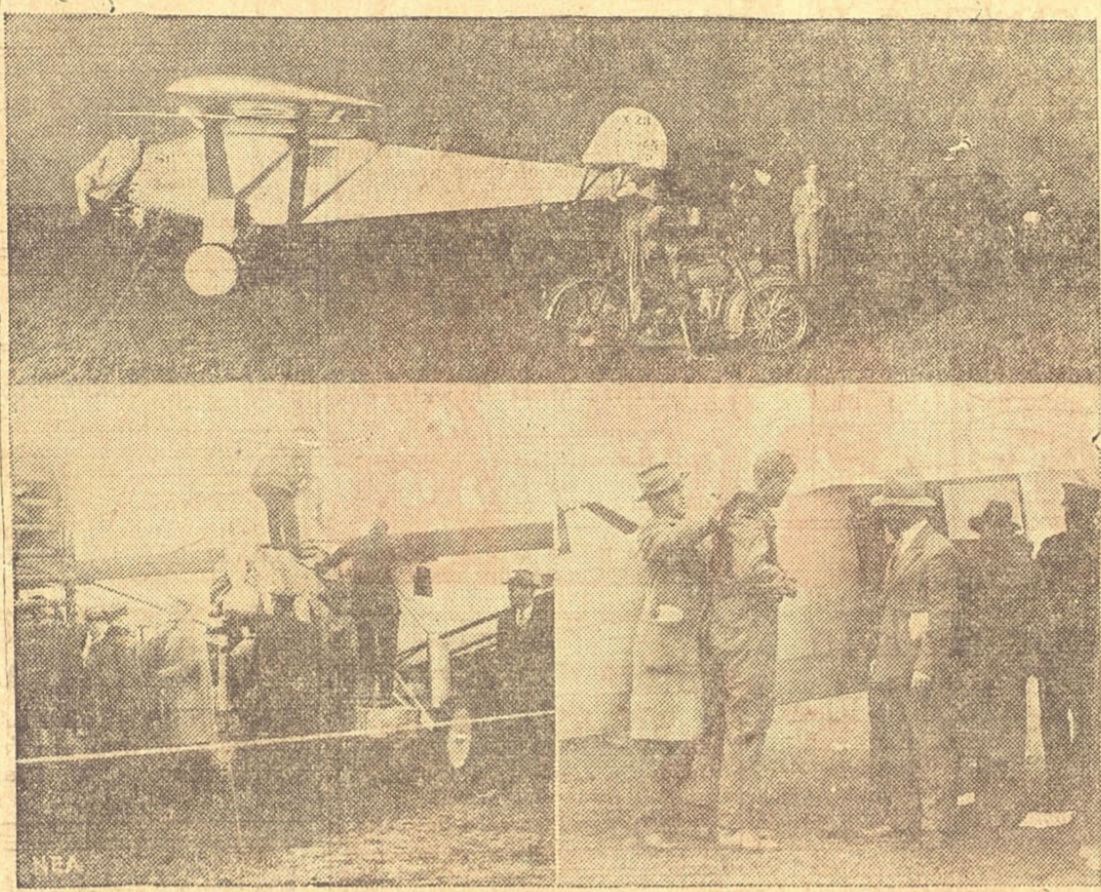
Provides for Highway Commission Member From Each District.

By United Press.
AUSTIN, May 23.—Senator R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth this morning offered a highway bill to the senate, which if made a law will completely reorganize the department. His bill provides for a highway commission of nine members. One commissioner is selected from each district, the nine to select one of their number as chairman, the commission receiving \$20 a day when in session. The chairman is required to live in Austin and give all of his time to the work. He will be paid \$7,500 a year.

Real Reason For Opposition To Farmer's Aid

By RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.
WASHINGTON.—Let's try to take the soft pedal off the real reason the industrial east has so vigorously opposed the hopes and plans of the agricultural west for federal farm relief.
Millions of farmers must have put it down to plain common sense, but there is much better reason to believe that it is traceable to an intelligent self-interest.
For a government analyst has just advanced the theory that agricultural prosperity means industrial depression, and agricultural depression means industrial prosperity. This theory is said to be based on the experience of this country over a period of 50 years.
All this, of course, is directly opposite to common belief. Hard times for the farmer it was felt that the industrial east was hard times for everyone. With loss of the great rural market through the farmer's inability to buy, factories would curtail, millions be thrown out of work and the country be in a bad way.
Old Theory Blasted
It was a great theory and the farmers played it for all it was worth, but it now appears that the farmers were only kidding themselves and the public, while industry knew all along that it just didn't work out that way—or industry would have been as hot as anyone for farm relief.
The department of agriculture has found through the study of its economist, L. H. Bean, that business and manufacturing interests have been as prosperous if not more prosperous in periods of low agricultural prices. It has found, furthermore, that whereas low farm product prices have been accompanied by industrial expansion and prosperity, high agricultural prices have forecast industrial slumps.
The last five or six years, as everyone knows, have seen industrial prosperity and agricultural distress. Bean points out that similar conditions existed in the years following 1878-9, 1884-5, 1896-7, 1914-5 and 1921-22, all periods of relatively low crop prices followed by industrial recovery. The only apparent exception "noted were 1904-5 and 1908-9."
"On the other hand," he says, "years when crop prices were high have marked the close of periods of industrial prosperity, suggesting that a shortage of foodstuffs and agricultural raw materials may be an important factor in a business depression."

CURTISS FIELD AS LINDBERGH LEFT



As dawn brightened Captain Charles A. Lindbergh's hop-off alone for Paris; above, his "Spirit of St. Louis" monoplane gleams white in the glare of floodlights, waiting patiently for the twist of the controls which sent it off across the sea (note police guard); below left fueling the single-winged machine for the flight and below, right, the young airman is helped into his flying clothes by a friend.

MOODY GOES IN PERSON BEFORE BODY

Appropriation Bill Is Not Yet in Committee Hands After 2 Weeks

By United Press.
AUSTIN, May 23.—Appearing in person before a joint session of the senate and house at 11 o'clock this morning, Governor Moody told the legislature to speed up, in an effort to complete its work within the thirty-day period of the present special session which will end June 8.
The governor intimated that there will not be a second called session. The legislature has been in extra session for two weeks but the appropriation bill has not yet reached the conference committee.
The time of the session is rapidly passing and as "speedy consideration and paid fines of \$20.70 each, until Monday morning."
The humidity, heat and general weather conditions were blamed for the two arrests for disturbing the peace, one arrest for reckless driving, two arrests for fighting and two for being drunk that were made in that length of time.
Charges were filed against all of the offenders and bonds were made, or fines paid in all cases except one.

MADE KNIGHT OF LEGION OF HONOR BY FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Coveted Cross Instituted One Hundred and Twenty-five Years Ago Pinned On Youth's Coat by President Doumergue of France. Ambassador Gets Thrill Out of Reception.

PARIS, May 23.—Captain Charles A. Lindbergh, conqueror of the Atlantic, today became a Knight of the Legion of Honor, in recognition of his non-stop flight from New York to Paris. Lindbergh received the decoration and a kiss on each cheek at the private study of President Doumergue of France. Ambassador Myron T. Herrick, who has gotten as much thrill out of this thing as the flyer himself, accompanied Lindbergh to the Elysee Palace. They immediately entered the study and President Doumergue seized the young visitor by both shoulders, kissed him and then pinned on Lindbergh's coat the coveted cross.
Lindbergh, fresh after a long sleep yesterday sprinkled his speech today with words of praise for Captain Charles Nungesser and Francois Coli, lost in their attempt at the flight in which Lindbergh has succeeded. He called on Madame Nungesser, mother of one of the missing flyers; appeared on the balcony at the United States Embassy to assist Ambassador Herrick in draping a flag before the eyes of the enthusiastic crowd and placed flowers on the tomb of the unknown soldier.
There was not a furring note in all that round of tribute, to France or to Frenchmen.
In the busy day Lindbergh did not forget his mother in Detroit. One of his first requests after he landed was that she be notified. Yesterday he received a telegram from her and then he called her from Paris by telephone.
The reception of Lindbergh was great. It was the reception of a ruling sovereign accorded a boy who almost no one in Paris had heard of two weeks ago.
A crowd started gathering at the American embassy early in the morning and all day long greeted the flyer.
Foreign Minister Briand ordered the American flag flown from the French office, an honor paid seldom to another nation.
Raymond Orteig, donor of the \$25,000 prize for the first flyer to make the trip between New York and Paris without a stop, called, but found Lindbergh still asleep.

Two Eight Year Old Boys Break Into Mint Shop

A sweet tooth was the lure that made two eight-year-old boys, break a window and enter the Ranger Mint company on South Commerce street, Ranger, about dusk Saturday afternoon. The youthful offenders were most too young to be handled by the law, so they were turned over to their parents, however, what parental punishment was inflicted was not made known.
No charges were filed against the boys, who hold the record for being the youngest housebreakers ever arrested in Ranger.

One Man Is Dead Three Injured In Galveston Fire

By United Press.
GALVESTON, May 23.—One man was burned to death, two received painful injuries, a third slight injuries and property damage totaling \$27,700 was done in a fire which destroyed the Palace hotel, and the Crystal rooming house today.
The dead man who was burned beyond identification is said to have been about 23.
The fire started when a mixture of gasoline and tar which a fisherman was preparing for his nets in the hotel kitchen exploded.

Labor Department Fee Amendment Is Adopted in House

By United Press.
AUSTIN, May 23.—Representative George Purl of Dallas, secured adoption in the house this morning of his amendment requiring fees in the state labor department obtained from labor employment agencies to be placed in the general revenue fund of the state treasury instead of going to a special fund.
To offset this revenue which heretofore has gone direct to the labor department the house appropriated \$7,500.
The house adopted an amendment by Representative Oscar Runge of Mason county, providing for a better accounting system of revenue obtained by the state game, fish and oyster department from sand, shell and gravel.

MISSOURI MOB STORMS JAIL AND HANGS NEGRO

CROUTERSVILLE, Mo., May 23.—Lynched by a mob which last night took him from Penicook county jail, the body of Will Sherrod, a negro, was found today hanging on an improvised scaffold in the village of Braggadocio, west of here.
Sherrod was accused of an attack on Mrs. Henry Short early yesterday morning. The jail was stormed last night by a mob of unknown men.

CONVICTS IN BATTLE WITH HIGH WATER

By United Press.
NEW ORLEANS, May 23.—Twelve hundred convicts were heroes of the McCrae levee battle—a contest in which man pitted his strength against the elements at seemingly hopeless odds.
The prisoners may win, engineers admitted today after they had insisted for two weeks that the levee "would go out any moment."
Result of the superhuman efforts of the inmates of the state prison, farm at Angola aided by approximately 1,000 negroes is the barrier of sand bags 30 feet high and almost as wide. Water sliced near the top of the temporary levee but so far the dyke had held back a flood which had threatened to inundate parts of six parishes inhabited by 50,000 people.
The levee now holding back the waters of the Atchafalaya river is really a protection dyke constructed when the main levee and the first emergency levee threatened to give way.
Coast guard boats today took 100 persons out of the lowlands between Breaux Bridge and Lafayette where they were caught in the upper floors of their homes by suddenly rising flood waters.
The relief craft brought the refugees into Lafayette.
Vermillion river and Bayou Techee overflows had spread at an unexpected rate over lowlands before families could move out.

PACIFIC THEN ANTARCTIC IS PREDICTION

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—An American birdman has conquered the Atlantic. America will probably seek next to master the far reaches of the Pacific and the Antarctic.
This was the prediction today made by William McCracken, assistant secretary of commerce in an exclusive interview to the United Press.
His imagination fired, like that of millions of Americans, through the unbelievable success of the feat of Charles Lindbergh in spanning the Atlantic from New York to Paris by air, McCracken declared a trans-Pacific flight is among the early possibilities.
He also indicated that an early attempt might be made to fly to the South Pole.

Grandmother Of Ranger Woman Is Hurt in Car Crash

Word was received in Ranger today from Mrs. Preston Burks, who with her husband is spending a short vacation in Fort Worth, that her grandmother, Mrs. P. J. Spence, was seriously hurt in an automobile accident late Sunday afternoon, and was in the Harris sanitarium.
Mrs. J. W. A. Cox, mother of Mrs. Burks and daughter of Mrs. Spence, will probably leave Ranger for Fort Worth this afternoon to be at her mother's bedside.
The aged mother usually makes her home in Ranger, but on Mothers' Day she went to Dallas to visit with her son, E. T. Spence, and yesterday he and his wife brought Mrs. Spence to Fort Worth to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Burks and other relatives in that city. On their way back to Dallas their car collided with another car and Mrs. Spence suffered a broken collar bone, was badly bruised and internal injuries are feared.
The other occupants of the car escaped with minor injuries.
PORT ARTHUR.—New 10-story hotel to be built on Austin avenue.

Several Texas Cities May Get Air Mail Soon

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, May 23.—Postmaster General New announced today his department is considering asking bids for airmail service between Dallas, Waco, Austin and San Antonio, thus giving overnight service between Texas and Chicago and speeding New York to Texas delivery.
He is also considering an extension link from Dallas to Houston, Galveston, San Antonio and Laredo.

POLICE RAID POKER GAME AT RANGER

There were few dull moments at the Ranger police headquarters from the time the police raided a poker game, Friday afternoon, in a Ranger hotel, and five men pleaded guilty and paid fines of \$20.70 each, until Monday morning.

SIX PRODUCING WELLS DURING WEEK IN COUNTY

Out of 52 operations in Eastland county during the past week, six producing oil wells and two dry holes were completed. Two wells as yet uncompleted have showings of oil. Following is the report for the week:
Adams & Beerman's No. 1, Rosequest, 1,464 feet, 60 barrels; Louisiana Oil & Refining company No. 1, Smead, 1,238 feet, 28 barrels; Belva Oil company No. 1, Good, 3,698 feet, 1,100 barrels; Chestnut & Smith No. 1, Massman, 2,974 feet, 250,000 cubic feet of gas and showing of oil, shut down for orders; Empire Gas & Fuel company's No. 1, Hazlip, 3,035 feet, 17 barrels and 1,500,000 cubic feet of gas; Magnolia Petroleum company No. 2, Thomas, 3,025 feet, 72 barrels and 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas; Moody et al. No. 1, Dyer, 3,883 feet, 910 barrels; Simms Oil company No. 1, Dingler, 2,983 feet, 1,000,000 cubic feet of gas and 200,000 feet of fluid in the hole; Chestnut & Smith No. 1, Simmons, 200 feet, drilling; Eastland Oil company No. 1, Carter, 4,840 feet, shut down for orders; Eastland Oil company No. 3-A, Wright, location; Hazlip et al. No. 1, Reynolds, 400 feet, drilling; Kokes, 28 barrels for company No. 1, Collins, shut down for 10-inch casing at 357 feet; Parsons No. 1, Wood estate, 2,345 feet, drilling; Prairie Oil & Gas company No. 1, Parsons, 1,785 feet, drilling; Roberts Oil corporation No. 1, Elliott, 1,000 feet, drilling; States Oil corporation No. 1, Sibley, 2,660 feet, drilling; States Oil corporation No. 5, Summerall, 3,272 feet, shut down for orders; Wilkins & Edwards No. 1, Lightfoot, 1,800 feet, dry and abandoned; Adams et al. No. 3, Grove, location; Associated Petroleum company's No. 1, Luse, 3,225 feet, fishing; Chestnut & Smith No. 1, Eppler, 2,155 feet, drilling; Chestnut & Smith No. 2, Kemp, 1,530 feet, drilling; Chestnut & Smith No. 1, Spencer, rigging; Cranfill & Reynolds No. 2, Spencer, 1,450 feet, drilling; 150 feet, drilling; Dodson & Rankin No. 1, Code, 1,000 feet, drilling; Empire Gas & Fuel company No. 2, Bishop, 1,350 feet, setting 10-inch; Hoffman No. 1, Poe, 700 feet, shut down for orders; Independent Oil & Gas company No. 3, Ferguson, 400 feet, drilling; Independent Oil & Gas company No. 1, Snyder, location; Keyes et al. No. 1, Fee, 2,500 feet, dry and abandoned; Lowe, Delaney & Carter No. 1, Barnett, 620 feet, drilling; McBride No. 1, Johnson, 2,838 feet, shut down for orders; McLester Oil company's No. 2, Thorp, 525 feet, drilling; Milham Oil corporation's No. 1, Barnett, rigging up rotary rig; Pfrairie Oil & Gas company No. 1, Poe, 375 feet, drilling; Prairie Oil & Gas company No. 2, Poe, location; C. M. Root's No. 1, Thorp, 2,955 feet, drilling; C. M. Root's No. 2, Watson, 620 feet, drilling.

Johnson Murder Trial Moved To Callahan County

Judge Elzo Been of the Eighty-eighth district court, on his own order this morning transferred the case of C. A. (Teddy-Eye) Johnson, charged with murder to the district court of Callahan county for trial.
Johnson is charged with having killed John Harris of Colorado at Pinedo more than a year and a half ago. He was tried and convicted in the Eighty-eighth district court here and sentenced to six years in the state penitentiary. The case was reversed, however, by the criminal appeal court and on the second trial in the Eighty-eighth district court the jury was unable to agree.
The defense contested the transfer of the case, but their motion was overruled by the court.

Believe Pinedo Plane Seen Near Mid-Atlantic

By United Press.
NEW YORK, May 23.—The Radio Corporation of America was in receipt this afternoon of a wireless from the steamship London Importer, in mid-Atlantic, that a white plane had passed over that vessel.
It was presumed that this was the seaplane Santa Maria, in which Francisco de Pinedo left Trepassey, Newfoundland this morning to fly 1,800 miles to the Azores islands.

Several Persons Injured in Train Crash on Santa Fe

By United Press.
FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., May 23.—Three Pullman cars of the first section of the Santa Fe California Limited were thrown from the tracks near here today when the locomotive of the second section crashed into the rear of the train.
Several persons were injured according to meagre reports reaching Flagstaff.
None were believed killed.

SANDERSON IS HIT BY WIND AND RAIN STORM

By United Press.
DEL RIO, Texas, May 23.—A severe wind and rain storm struck Sanderson late yesterday, causing considerable property damage but no loss of life.

DIRIGIBLE WRECKED NEAR SAN ANTONIO

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, May 23.—The dirigible TC-10 was wrecked at Brooks field near here, this afternoon.
As far as could be ascertained shortly after the wreck, nobody was injured.

GUN SHY EUROPE FEARS THE MERE IDEA OF WAR

By A. L. BRADFORD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PARIS.—Though almost nine years have passed since the horrors of the World War were brought to a close, Europe's nerves are still on edge.

Europe is still "gun-shy." Europe generally becomes panicky at the slightest threat of war.

With the exception of the one or two powers whose internal life has been so completely changed that their peoples take the attitude that a new national life dates from the World War, Europe generally has not forgotten the war, and far from it.

This European fear of war is further enhanced by the fact that some of the greatest European minds are convinced that Western Europe today is in a steady process of decline, comparable to the decline and fall of the Roman Empire, that Europe is slowly but surely relinquishing the greater part of its power and prestige to the countries to the west, America.

Probably the best example of the present European state of mind was afforded by the recent Italo-Serbian incident. The greatest powers of Europe immediately drew a comparison with 1914 and Sarajevo. The threat of war was discussed anxiously by the "man on the street" in London, Paris and Berlin and there was the strongest demand on the part of every public concerned that immediate and effective steps should be taken to preserve the peace.

A remarkable change in the attitude of the different chancelleries of Europe was remarked during the Italo-Serbian incident. In the old days of European diplomacy upon each new incident or threat of war, the chancelleries would take sides as became their respective interests. But in this latest incident, the powers seemed to be of one accord that a settlement had to be reached and reached quickly. And there was the unprecedented situation of France and Germany working hand in hand to conserve the peace.

Europe seems to realize that it could not survive another major war, and this is taken by many as a fairly safe indication that war is as far removed in Europe today as it ever has been.

The real key to this present European state of mind is found in revised figures published by the French Ministry of War of the casualties of the actual belligerents during the World conflict.

These figures show that for the principal European Allied power engaged and for the United States, there was one man who was killed or who died for every 80 persons, men, women and children, of the total population of these countries. These figures include France, Serbia, Italy, Great Britain and the Dominions, Roumania, Belgium, the United States, Greece, Portugal, and Russia. France had mobilized one man for every 5 inhabitants of her total population and one man dead for every 27 inhabitants. Serbia, proportionately the greatest sufferer with France next, had one man mobilized for every 6 inhabitants and one man dead for every 15 inhabitants. The total losses of these countries, who had mobilized 42,000,000 men, reached 5,500,000 dead.

Germany, with 2,050,000 dead, was the greatest sufferer of any of the countries. The Central Powers, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria, had mobilized a total force of 25,000,000 men, and lost 4,000,000 dead.

John W. Clampitt Was Well Known Over West Texas

The following clipping from a Ballinger paper, will prove of interest to the friends of J. W. Clampitt in Ranger, father of Mrs. O. D. Dillingham, who died in Abilene Friday.

John Walker Clampitt was born in Lamar county, Texas, November 25, 1849. He was a son of Loraza and Isabell (Walker) Clampitt.

In 1861 the elder Mr. Clampitt sold his farm in Lamar county and moved to Delta county, in 1862, J. W. Clampitt, his father, died, and the son then left his home and went to Denton county in 1863 to work on the J. S. Chisolm ranch.

That year he made his first trip to West Texas, coming to the region which is now known as Concho county.

In 1865 he returned to Denton county and attended school a short time. Two years later he returned to West Texas to go with a herd of cattle from Concho to Fort Sumpter, New Mexico. He returned to Texas in 1868 and went to Bonham college. He quit school and worked cattle from Texas to Kansas. In 1877 he went back to Concho in the cattle business. He helped to organize Concho county and was elected tax assessor in 1870. From there he went to Tom Green county and married Miss Elizabeth McAuley.

Five children were born to this union. They are Clarence, Oscar, Mrs. O. D. Dillingham of Abilene; Frank of Kansas City, Kan., and one who died in infancy. His first wife died in October, 1894. In 1890 he was elected sheriff of Runnels county as the successor of John Fornwalt, the first sheriff of this county.

He served as sheriff for six years and on Nov. 25, 1896, was married to Miss Callie Mansker. Three children were born to them. They are Roy, of Modesto, Cal., Mrs. Irene Wooten, Cisco and Elbert B. Clampitt of Cisco. The second Mrs. Clampitt died in 1917.

Mr. Clampitt was a charter member of the Eighth street Presbyterian church here organized 35 years ago. He was also a member of many local lodges. Until one year ago he made his home here. At one time he was a leading hardware merchant of this place.

WHERE NEARLY 40 CHILDREN DIED

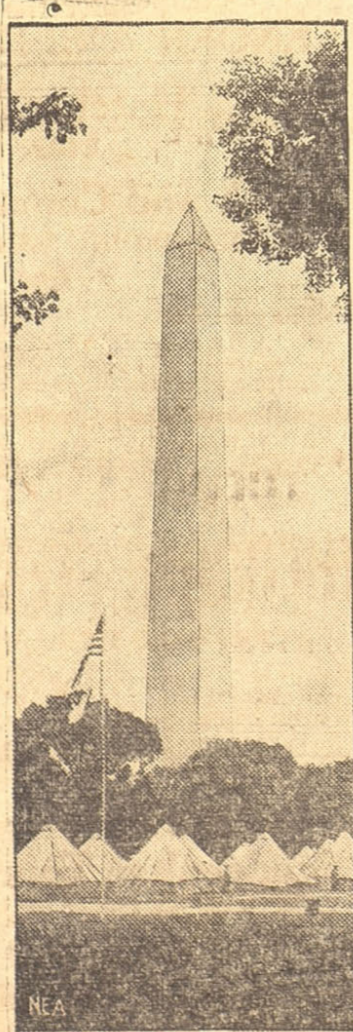


A demented farmer's revenge for foreclosure of "the mortgage on the home place" is pictured above—the dynamite-torn wreckage of the consolidated school at Bath, Mich., in which 36 children and five adults were killed. Andrew Kehoe, treasurer of the school board, fired the bullet that set off charges of dynamite in his automobile, which in turn exploded a stock of dynamite in the school basement. Kehoe himself was killed in the blast. Rescue crews of firemen and volunteers are pictured carrying fallen timbers and pulling down hanging walls in the search for more victims.



Frantic mothers and fathers rushed to the school grounds and were held back by police and firemen from entering the ruins. As the bodies of the little children were recovered they were placed in a temporary morgue in the school yard. At the top is shown the line of dead, covered with blankets. Lower left is one of the devices used by the fanatic to set off the explosive. A bottle of gasoline, a spark coil and an automobile spark plug were arranged to detonate a charge, but failed to fire. Lower right is part of the unexploded dynamite found in the basement of the wrecked schoolhouse. Six more baskets were found later, making a total of nearly 500 pounds.

Shades of '65



Stirring Civil War days in the capital when troops were bivouacked everywhere were recalled by the tents of Army medical units who camped at the base of the monument during the American Medical association's recent Washington convention.

RANGER HI AND JUNIOR COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT SERMON SUNDAY

The cultural side of Ranger had its annual thrill Sunday morning when men, women and children, of various creeds and doctrines gathered at the Methodist church to attend the commencement services of the Ranger Junior college and High school.

This is the one service of the year that all Ranger meets on the same footing, as the boys and girls composing the graduating classes come from many different homes, and cant and creed are laid aside for one day to do honor to those who have reached their first big mile post in their lives.

The church was crowded Sunday morning, however, practically the entire assembly had been seated before the vested choir led by the director, J. M. Edwards, entered the church and came down the aisle singing the professional, "O, Mother Dear Jerusalem," with Mrs. M. R. Newnam playing the accompaniment. Then came the graduating class—handsome boys and beautiful girls, taking seats that had been reserved for them and followed by several members of the faculty.

Rev. G. D. Robison said the invocation, after which the choir sang "Hosanna."

Prof. R. F. Holloway made the announcement for commencement week and expressed his appreciation of the occasion, the splendid class before him which included three graduates from Junior college, and for the many privileges of the day.

Under the leadership of Miss Gillian Buchanan, a stringed orchestra played the offertory, "Largo," and then came the commencement sermon by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church of Ranger.

This is the second time during his residence here that Rev. Mr. Johnson has delivered the commencement sermon and his subject yesterday was "Man to Be Like God." He said that man was the one thing that God had given a "second story",

teristics to attain these things and to want them. He admonished the class never to be ashamed of the church, to let it always be a factor in their lives and never to forget that without God, nothing is possible but with God everything is possible, and that since God created man in his own image, God meant for man to be like God, and that he only of all the things that God created can fall or rise to heights unknown, by God's help. Rev. George W. Shearer pronounced the benediction, and then to the recessional played by Mrs. Newnam, the class marched out of the beautifully decorated church, leaving its background of pink roses, pink carnations, mingled with masses of greenery, combining in a brilliant whole, the class colors, thus bringing to a beautiful close the commencement service.

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EXCAVATED SKULLS PRESENT ODD PROBLEM

By United Press.
MANCHESTER, Eng.—What to do with five skulls which were recently unearthed here, is the problem confronting the city authorities here.

The skulls were brought to light during excavations conducted near Manchester cathedral recently, but, as when he was notified, the coroner decided that an inquest was not necessary, he ordered the reburial of the skulls. The trouble is that the Dean of Manchester now states that the cathedral yard is no longer a burial ground and the authorities have no power to rebury the bones there. Meanwhile, nobody will bury the bones.

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Graziola Beauty Parlor in Ranger Being Enlarged

Starting a home beauty shop two years ago, consistently advertising and letting the world know she had something to offer it, has been the experience of Mrs. Louie Graziola of Ranger, who is now classified as a "certified Marinello operator."

So large has the patronage of the Graziola Beauty shop grown that it has been necessary to add another room and the original equipment of the shop, marcel irons, and a few other necessary articles, has expanded until today the shop is equipped with a permanent wave machine, hot and cold running water, electric and sun hair dryers and many other beautiful and useful articles of beauty shop equipment.

The permanent wave machine gives the new French permanent marcel, which looks like a wave that nature put in one's hair instead of one put in by an artist.

Mrs. Graziola has been doing post-graduate work in Dallas at the Dallas Beauty College, and this coupled with her long experience, adds much to her prestige in the world of beauty culture.

In her desire to accommodate old as well as new customers, she has enlarged her shop at 214 North Marston street and is prepared to do any kind of beauty work.

On Sunday and evenings those who desire can make special appointments for permanent wave only.

Two men arrested in Detroit denied they were robbers, and claimed to be bootleggers. The police thought at first they had caught some law-breakers.

1—LOST AND FOUND
STRAYED—One light brindle female bulldog and one dark brindle male bulldog. Male has collar on. Reward, notify Charles Terrell, 5th floor Guaranty Bank Building, phone #4, Ranger.

LOST OR STRAYED from 800 block on West Commerce, Boston bull, female puppy, three months old. Reward. Return to 811 West Commerce, or phone 21. Ralph Wynne, Eastland.

LOST—Bunch of keys on two keyrings, containing two Ford keys No. 52. Return to Times office for reward.

2—HELP WANTED—MALE
HELP WANTED at Gholson Hotel Laundry, Ranger. Apply in Person.

3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE
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M AND BOARD, 425 Pine Street, Ranger.

ROOMS FOR RENT
2 furnished rooms. 220 Austin, paved street, Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT
MODERN HOME in Hodges Oak park. Must be reliable. J. B. Ames, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Three room modern house. Call 323-W, Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Two and three room unfurnished apartments in the Marston building. Telephone 198, Ranger.

APARTMENT for rent; one 2-room apartment, private home. R. O. King Barber shop, 109 Main st., Ranger.

12—WANTED TO BUY
SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, 530 Main st., Ranger. Phone 95.

13—FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FINE BLACKBERRIES, dewberries, potato slips and black-eyed peas; prices reasonable. J. R. Niver, Rt. 2, Eastland.

FOR SALE—Dewberries and blackberries, 50 cents per gallon. L. M. Cook, Caddo highway, Ranger.

REBUILT Ford generators, new armatures, \$6.50 or \$5.50 in exchange. Pritchard's, Ranger.

USED TIRES, tubes, large stock. Pritchard's, Ranger.

USED auto parts; get 'em where they get 'em. Pritchard's, Ranger.

FOR SALE—New Singer sewing machine, birds-eye maple; half price. 582-W, Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK
FRYERS—Fat barred rocks, 35c per dozen; eggs 20c per dozen; baby chicks, any age you want; pullets hatching eggs and custom hatching. What do you want? Come and get it. Driskill Poultry Farm, Ranger Heights, Ranger.

23—AUTOMOBILES
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LIGHT-SIX Studebaker coupe, '23 model, new rubber, a bargain for cash; '23 special-six Studebaker roadster, a sacrifice. Pritchard's, Ranger.

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Mom'n Pop

So FAR POP HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN KEEPING THE TYTES IGNORANT OF HIS BUTTER DEAL

I JUST DROPPED IN TO GET HENRY'S MAIL—HE WANTED ME TO LOOK AFTER IT WHILE HE WAS AWAY—MY WHAT ARE ALL THOSE ICE TRUCKS DOING OUT AT THE WAREHOUSE? I NEVER KNEW YOU USED ICE IN THIS BUSINESS

WELL—ER—AH—WE DIDN'T UNTIL RECENTLY

HENRY WOULD NEVER TELL ME A THING ABOUT THIS PLACE AND I'M SO INTERESTED—WON'T YOU SHOW ME AROUND SO I CAN SEE WHAT IT'S LIKE?

WHY—AH—(GULP)—ER—AH—SURE!

A SWELL PICKLE I'M IN—

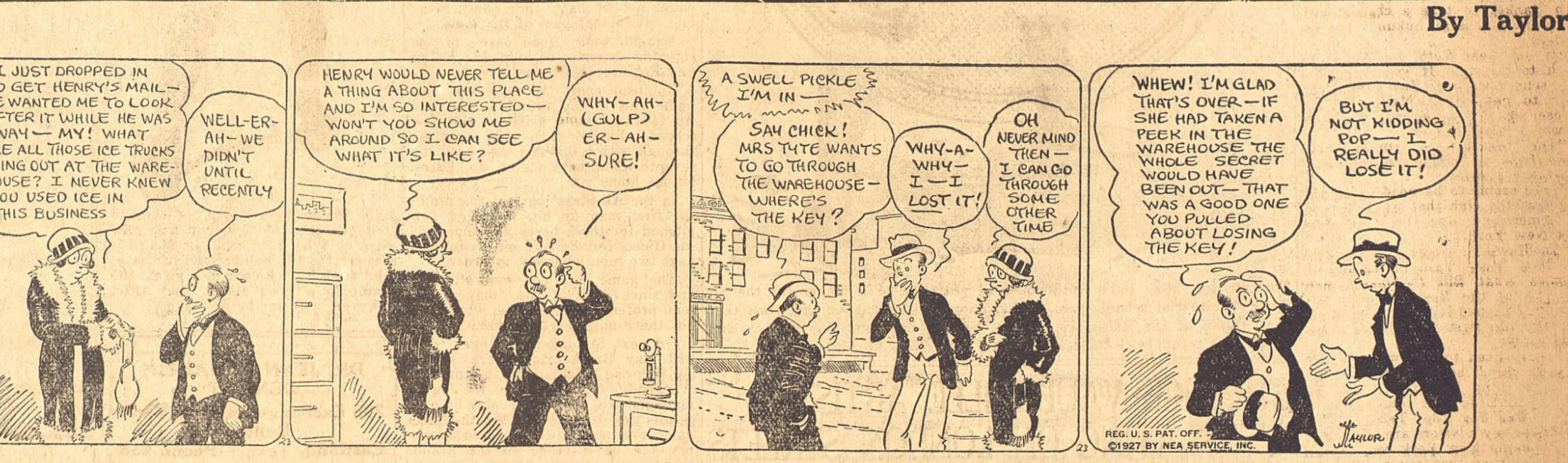
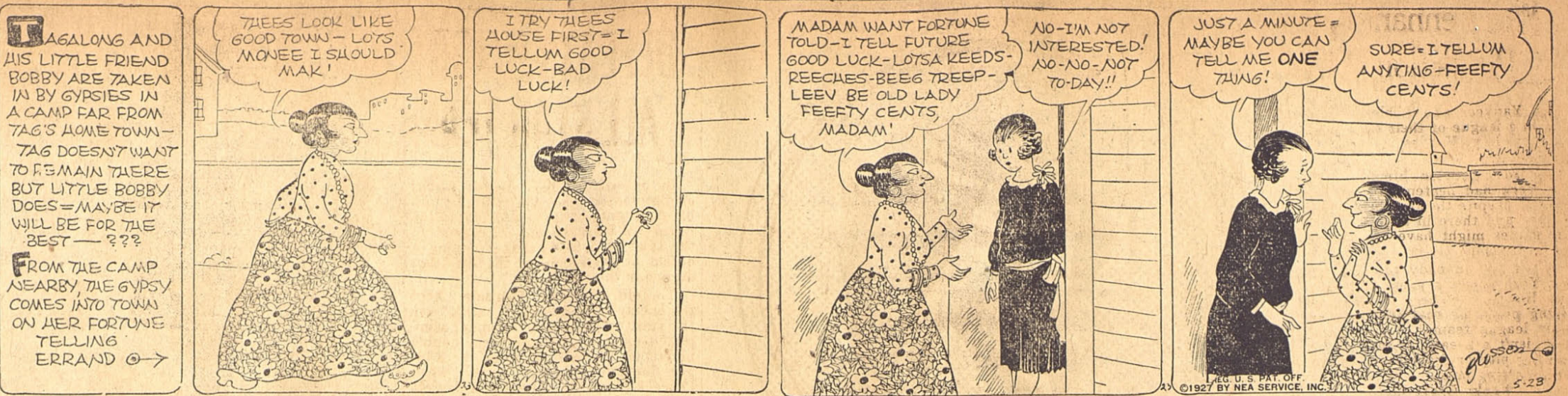
SAV CHICK! MRS TYTE WANTS TO GO THROUGH THE WAREHOUSE—WHERE'S THE KEY?

WHY—A—WHY—I—I LOST IT!

OH NEVER MIND THEN—I CAN GO THROUGH SOME OTHER TIME

WHEN! I'M GLAD THAT'S OVER—IF SHE HAD TAKEN A PEEK IN THE WAREHOUSE THE WHOLE SECRET WOULD HAVE BEEN OUT—THAT WAS A GOOD ONE YOU PULLED ABOUT LOSING THE KEY!

BUT I'M NOT KIDDING POP—I REALLY DID LOSE IT!



DAUGHTERS of MIDAS by Anne Austin

THIS HAS HAPPENED

T. Q. Curtis millionaire department store owner, selects three girls from a concert violinist. Nyda Lomax and Winnie Shelton are enjoying the old man's generosity under false pretenses.

Billy overhears Mr. Curtis say he is going to adopt one of the girls as his daughter when the year is up, and in order not to have an unfair advantage over the other girls, she tells them what she has heard. A battle immediately begins for the prized place. Billy is disgusted with the obvious deceit of the two girls and would drop out of the race but for her realization of the fact that to be adopted by old Curtis would give her an advantage with Dal Romaine, with whom she is infatuated. In spite of her infatuation, Billy tenderly remembers Clay Curtis, son of her benefactor. Clay has disinherited himself and is boarding with Billy's mother, in the poor part of the city, working in an automobile factory in the day and writing music at night.

Nyda and Winnie feel that Billy has the upper hand of them because old T. Q. loves to hear her play the violin. Winnie, who is studying secretarial work, offers to do his work for him in the evenings. Old Curtis arranges for the cook and housekeeper children to take private kindergarten lessons from Nyda. He fits a room up for that purpose. Although Nyda loathes children, she conceals the fact and thanks old T. Q. Billy is neglecting her music because of her infatuation for Romaine. She has agreed to cut a music lesson and spend the day with him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXX

Dal Romaine called for Billy Wells the next morning at ten o'clock, drove her in his long, low-slung, cream-colored roadster to the business district of Colfax, waited discreetly at the curb while she cashed her monthly allowance check for \$500 then, smiling mysteriously and refusing to answer her questions, turned into West Seventh, which was becoming the most fashionable shopping street in Colfax.

"Here we are!" He parked the car before a small but exclusive looking shop. Small gold letters inconspicuously placed on the plate glass window informed the elect that it was the establishment of "Madame Dubois—Gowns."

"It looks frightfully expensive," Billy worried, as she followed Dal Romaine.

"Don't worry about that," Dal smiled down at her. "The only important thing is for you to have the dress. It really was made for you, Mignon. I had Madame Dubois take it out of the window and promise to conceal it until I could bring you to see it. We wish to see Madame Dubois herself," Dal explained to the pretty, smartly dressed girl who advanced to meet them.

"This way, please. Madame Dubois is expecting you, Mr. Romaine." The girl smiled lingeringly into Dal's eyes.

They found Madame Dubois awaiting them in a smaller room behind a mirror door. She came forward with outstretched hands to greet Romaine, as if he were a valued friend. She was taller than Dal, a Juno of a woman, with deeply marcelled, hennaed hair.

"It is so good of you to bring the little girl for whom my favorite frock was designed. It sometimes happens that way, Miss Wells." She took Billy's hand and held it between her own broad, white palms for a moment. "An artist conceives a lovely creation, praying that it will find its way to the one person in the world who should have it, and his



He helped her into her coat, his hands gentle upon her shoulder

be, wanted so acutely, so feverishly, that she could not sleep an hour without dreaming of him.

She heard Madame Dubois' charming, slightly French voice telling her that the total bill was three hundred and ten dollars. She tried to do mental arithmetic as her fingers froze around the roll of bills in her pocket. A hundred and fifty for her mother, thirty dollars a week for Professor Navratil four times thirty is a hundred and twenty, plus a hundred and fifty is two hundred and eighty—

"All ready, Mignon? We're going to have the rest of the day entirely to ourselves," Dal Romaine bent over her to whisper, while Madame Dubois looked discreetly away.

Billy's cold fingers drew the roll of bills out of her pocketbook, automatically almost, as if they were under compulsion entirely outside her own will. Maybe she had counted up wrong—and Professor Navratil really didn't want her to take three lessons a week—and she was no good at subtraction anyway. Five hundred dollars was an awfully big sum of money. It couldn't melt to nothing so easily—and Nyda and Winnie had such exquisite clothes—"Three hundred and ten." She peeled the bills from the roll with trembling fingers, then smiled almost impudently into Madame Dubois' beaming, red-brown eyes. "I believe that's right?"

She was wearing the bronze-colored crepe, because she could not bear to take it off. In it she belonged so wholly to Dal Romaine. He helped her into the moleskin coat, his hands gentle upon her shoulders.

As they were leaving the shop, the girl who evidently acted as "receptionist" to Madame Dubois' clientele opened the door for them.

"If you see Miss Shelton today, Mr. Romaine," she spoke softly, in the intensely refined voice that the place demanded, "tell her that the coral chiffon that you helped her select is ready for a fitting."

A shade of anger settled on Dal Romaine's face, like the passing shadow of a bat's wing. He did not answer beyond a curt bow from the waist, and he did not look at Billy until they had sped for at least five minutes through the downtown traffic.

When he did turn his smoldering black eyes upon her, her mouth was tight with pain, her eyes steel blue, stark, bleached with the corrosive of jealousy.

"You're thinking," he said gravely, deliberately, "that I've said the same things to Winnie that I've said to you today. Try to believe me when I tell you that I didn't. We were passing that shop and she asked me to go in with her. I had seen that

face dress in the window, visualized you in it, would not let her have it, because I wanted it for you, went in with her and made her like a coral chiffon better. Winnie is a charming, brainless little clinging vine, to whom I owe every courtesy because of Aunt Lucia, but you—oh, Mignon." His voice deepened, vibrated, thawed the ice that had been creeping upward to her heart.

Billy laughed shakily, her eyes luminous with the fever which he could send racing through her veins at will. She had been ill of that fever for a month now, and she had gone beyond all effort to think rationally, to remember that she really loved Clay Curtis. Curiously, her love for Clay remained beneath the turmoil, the pain, the fever. It was cool and steady and strong, that love for Clay, but she did not dare look at it. It had become an absolute necessity that Romaine should care for her, want her as she wanted him.

His voice broke into her thoughts. "We're in the country now. I'm going to slow down. We were the whole day, Mignon—hello, did you see who that was?" His voice was mildly astonished. "Nyda on the front seat of a limousine, with her head on the chauffeur's shoulder."

"It must have been Eddie Banning," Billy conceded, but she was too dazed, too feverish, to wonder or care what Nyda was doing with Eddie Banning, whom she professed to despise. "She's supposed to be in school," she added dreamily, her eyes watching the play of brown, slim fingers on a polished steering wheel.

(To be continued.)

Dal takes Billy to a country house, which, inside, proves to be a little bit of mystic Indian. Only a Hindu servant welcomes them.

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Mrs. Hawthorne Funeral Service Held at Merriman

Funeral services for Mrs. Essie Hawthorne and infant, who died late Saturday night at the City-County hospital, Ranger, were held at Merriman cemetery this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Ranger officiating.

The mother, who went down into the Valley of the Shadow for another, and passed into eternity, left two other children, aged 10 and 6 years, and in addition to these she is survived by her husband, Herbert Hawthorne, an employe of Chestnut & Smith corporation, her father, J. T. Strawn, five brothers, Thomas, Houston, Willie, Jesse and Frank Strawn, and a sister, Mrs. H. E. Barney, all of Ranger.

The deceased was born on Dec. 6, 1892, at Ashland, Ala.; on Aug. 13, 1916, she was married to Herbert Hawthorne and with him came to Ranger six years ago.

For the past 16 years she had been a member of the Baptist church at Parrington, Ala.

The funeral cortege left Killingsworth-Cox mortuary at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and services were held at the grave, in Merriman cemetery at 2 o'clock.

CISCO NEWS

Special Correspondence.

CISCO, May 23.—Mrs. F. M. Royl of near Cisco, who was painfully injured Saturday when she was knocked from her car when it collided with a truck, is reported doing nicely.

W. J. Leach and family of Mart, Texas, are moving to Cisco to make their home. Mr. Leach recently purchased the Crestover store here and at Olney.

Melvin Lee Hasty, 12-year-old negro boy, was awarded the medal offered by the Twentieth Century club of Cisco for the best composition written by a negro student of the negro school, on Americanism. Hasty wrote on the subject, "What the Flag of My Country Means to Me."

Following are the graduates of the Cisco High school who were presented diplomas Friday:

Frances Irene Lisenbee, Clara Mae Munn, Joe Edith Northcutt, Ruby Jo Rogers, Edith Odell Tombs, Flossie Faye Cooburn, Eileen Elizabeth Wilson, Bessie Olson, Ethel Thurman, Muri Sprawls, Ruby Latson, Idellah Lynch Tomlinson, Christine Douglas, Lucille Pierce, Beatrice Garrett, Opal Ramsey, Beulah Williams, Ona Frances Brown, Bertha Helen Triplitt, Melba Lucille Weathers, Velma Fenley, Marian Ruth Mixon, Ora Elizabeth Moore, Mary Lucille McCall, James H. Lee, Elsworth L. Mayer, Standlee McCracken, Buell Davidson, Clyde Howell Rowe, Clyde Manning, Grady Coats, Homer B. Murray, Troy Powell, Joseph A. Woodard, Arlyn Leroy Purvis, William Howard Brown, William E. Hicks Jr., Leroy Shook, Ben Noel Weatherly, A. D. Estes, Carl K. Mount, Eugene Crows, Shockey, Alfred White, Conway Barker, Thelma Bryant, Katherine Lucille Spruill, Celia Katherine Maxwell, Hildegard Eiferi, Paul Latch, Byron Lovelady, Clifford Yeager and Leonard Meadows.

MISS ANN HARDIN GOES TO ASSOCIATION MEETING

Miss Ann Hardin, secretary of the Eastland Retail Merchants' association, is attending the convention of Texas Retail Merchants and United States Association of Retail Credit Men at Port Arthur. She was accompanied by Mrs. Alice True, secretary of the Ranger Retail Merchants' association and will be absent from the city until the last of this week.

Mrs. J. M. Caughron will have charge of the work in Miss Hardin's office during her absence.

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WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

DRILLING REPORTS

Amerada Petroleum corporation John W. Harris No. 130, Coleman county, dry at 407 feet; No. 6 John W. Harris B, dry at 604 feet.

William A. Hudson C. L. Curry No. 1, Colman county, intention to drill, depth 1,350 feet.

Cisco Oil company Mrs. R. D. Williams No. 25, Callahan county, dry at 295 feet.

World Oil company A. W. Clark No. 1, Jones county, dry at 3,065 feet.

Marriage Licenses.

Dan Neillé and Miss Lelia Stephenson, Ranger.

W. E. Robertson and Miss Ruby Brittain, Abilene.

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PLANS FORMULATED FOR CLUB ENCAMPMENT

Officers of a number of the Eastland county boys' and girls' clubs met Saturday afternoon in the office of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of discussing plans for the program to be rendered at the county encampment to be held in Eastland in June.

County Agent Patterson and Home demonstration agent Ruth Ramey stated this morning that complete plans for the encampment and the program to be rendered would be announced immediately.

Two of the least thankful persons in the world for their recent buggy ride are perhaps Ruth Snyder and Henry Judd Gray.

Certainly Jonah could live in the belly of the whale, says a scientist. And there are a few million Americans living in apartments who will verify it.

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Charlie Murray, Chester Conklin Stars in Comedy

Charlie Murray and Chester Conklin will be seen as an Irish-Scotch combination in their latest comedy vehicle, "McFadden's Flats," which comes to the Lamb theatre, Ranger, on Tuesday. It is needless to say which one is the Irishman, for Charlie's face is termed "the map of Ireland." And Chester, as a closed-mouthed, closed-pocketed, closed-shaved Scotch barber, well, you have only to see him spare his electric light bills to get a "rough idea" as to how close he is. Besides Murray and Conklin the cast includes Edna Murphy, Larry Kent, DeWitt Jennings, Dorothy Dwan and Aggie Herring. The picture was directed by Richard Wallace, who made "Syncooping Sue" for Corinne Griffith.

Colony News

Special Correspondence.

COLONY, May 23.—The girls in the Merry Mix-Up club spent Saturday night and Sunday with Inez and Pauline Pickett. As Sunday was an ideal day for kodaking the girls made the most of it and made snapshots of each other. Those present were Leota Dean, Leila Dean, Otis Frasier, Ola Frasier and the hostesses, Inez and Pauline Pickett.

Miss Lula Cross is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Leonard.

Clarence Stuard took his little daughter, Imogene, to the doctor last week to have a peanut shell removed from her nose.

Little Betty Jo Leonard is ill with whooping cough. Her sister, Margaret Fay, who has been ill with the disease, is improving.

G. D. Holbrook's radio was stolen while he was attending the closing school program Friday night.

Mrs. Hoyt Tarrent of Breckenridge visited Mrs. A. C. Tarrent last Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Payne of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pickett last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carr had as her guests Saturday night and Sunday, her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carr from Olney.

LONE CEDAR SINGING IS WELL ATTENDED

Singing at Lone Cedar Sunday afternoon was well attended and a splendid program was rendered. Among those from Eastland attending were S. C. Hunt and J. D. Brown. The class at Lone Cedar meets each second and fourth Sunday afternoons in the month.

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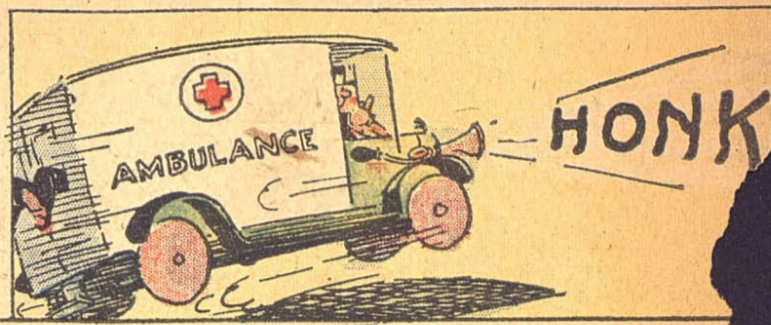
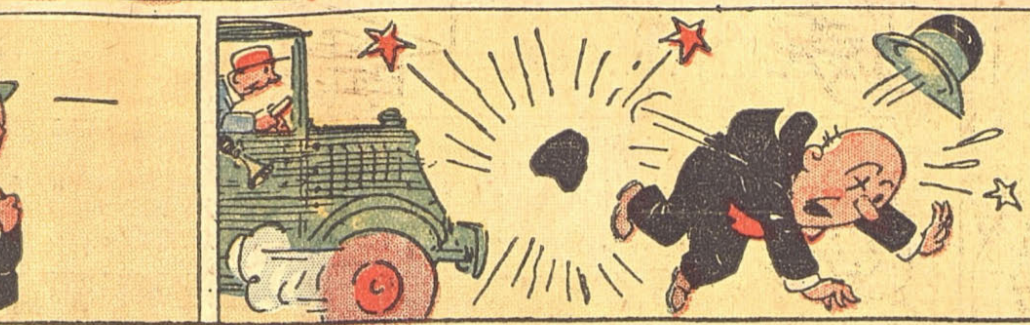
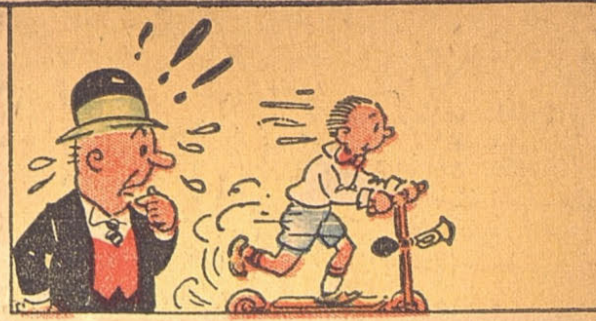
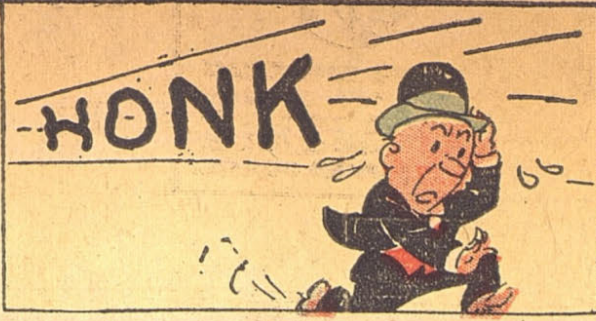
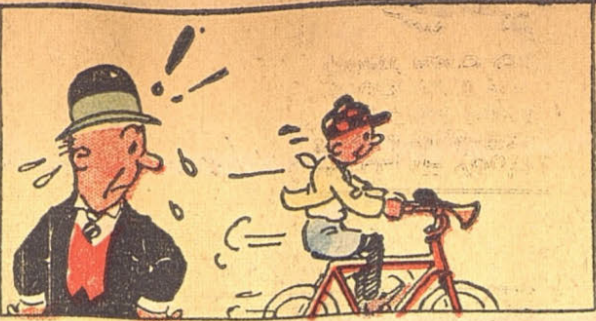
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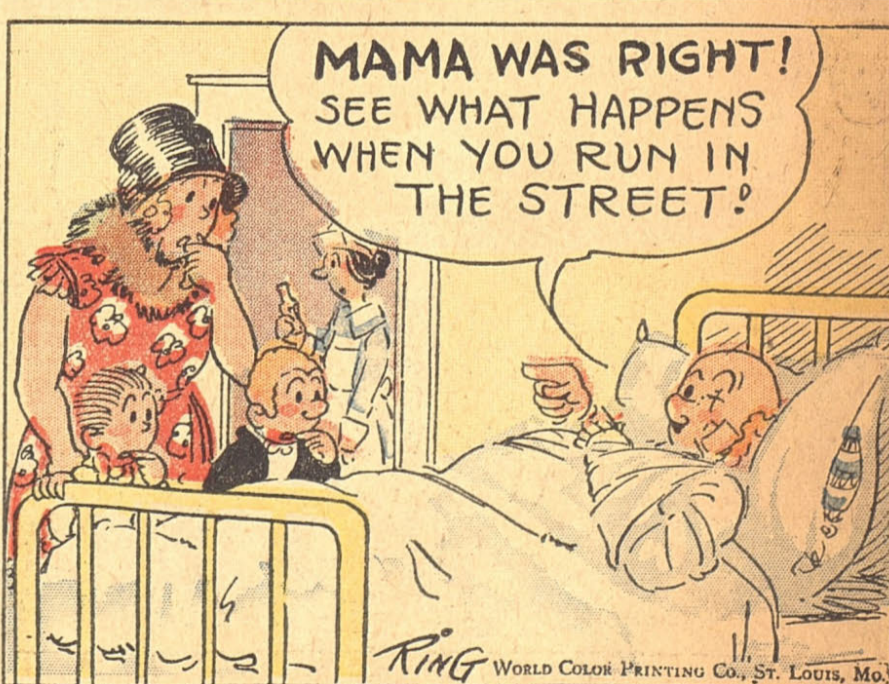
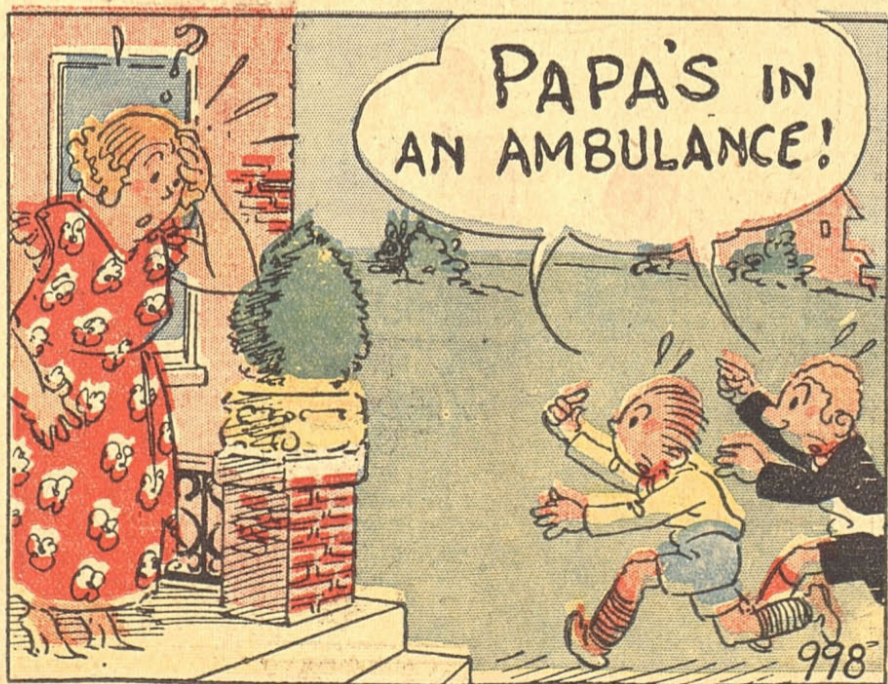
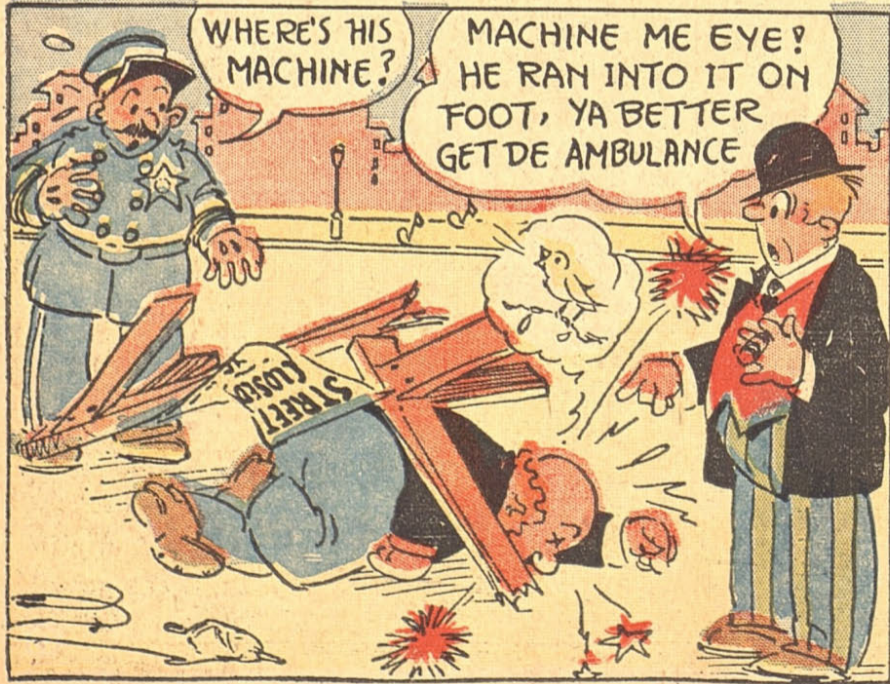
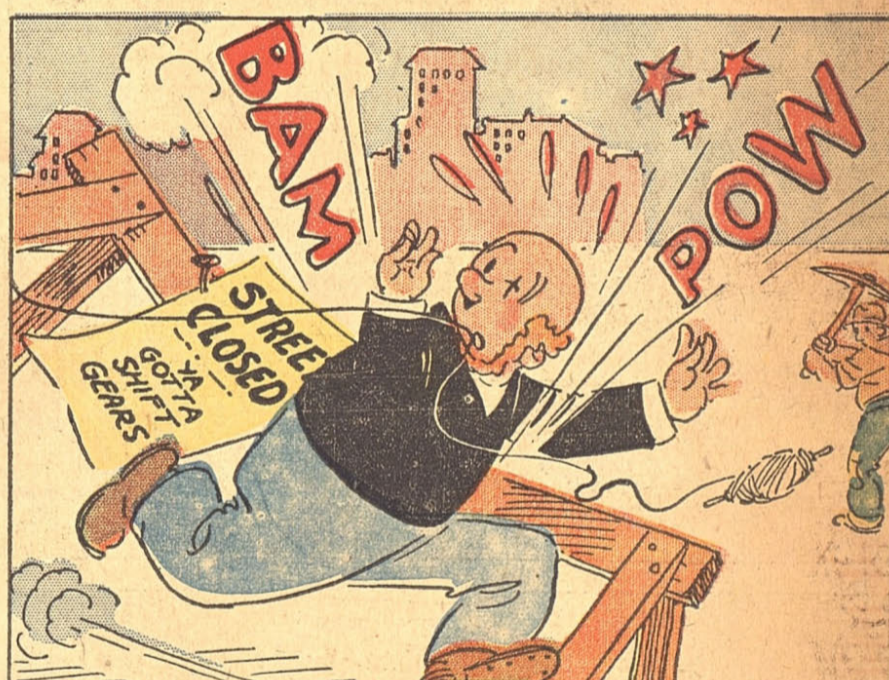
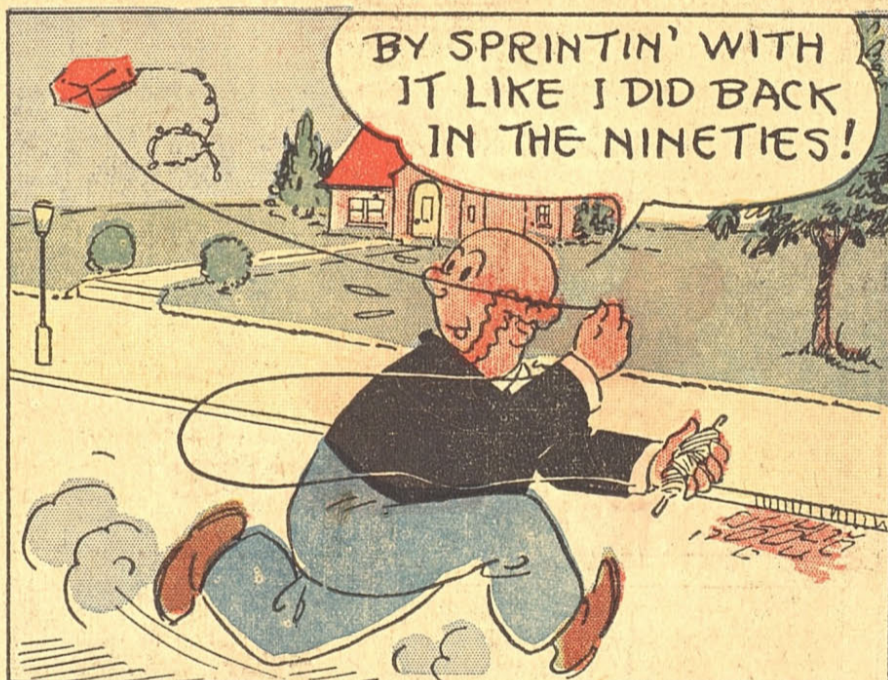
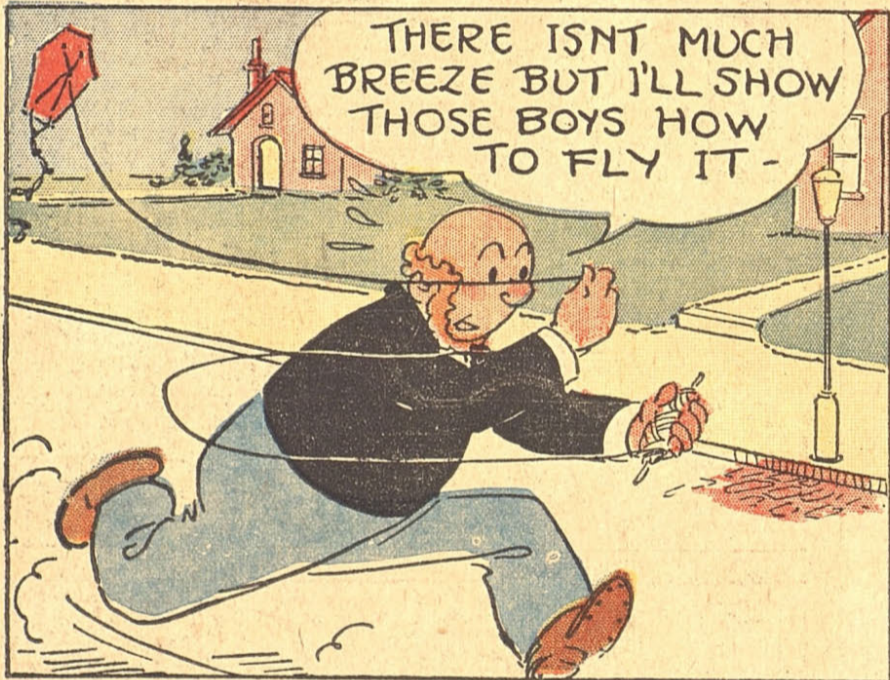
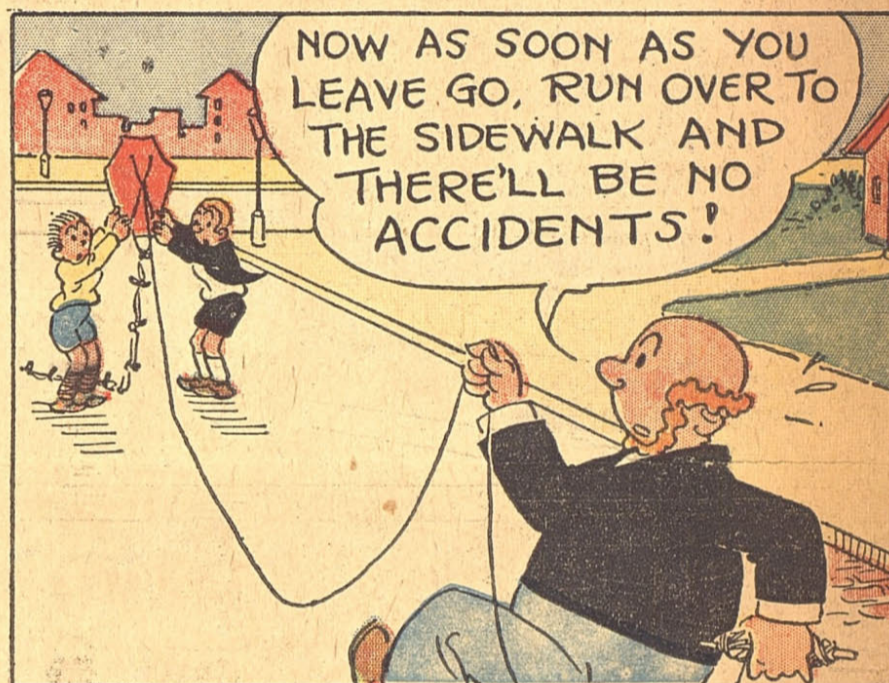
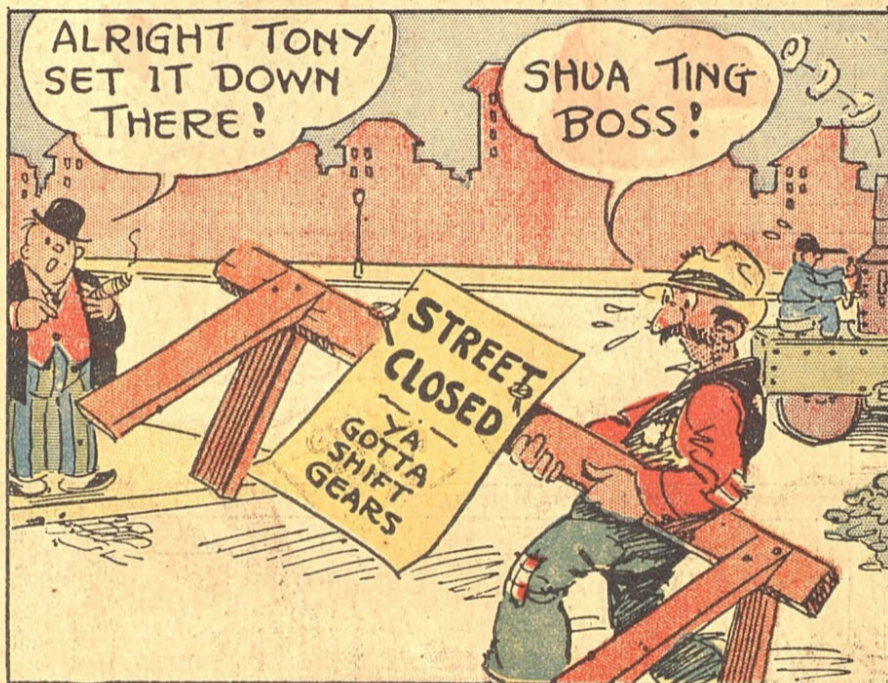
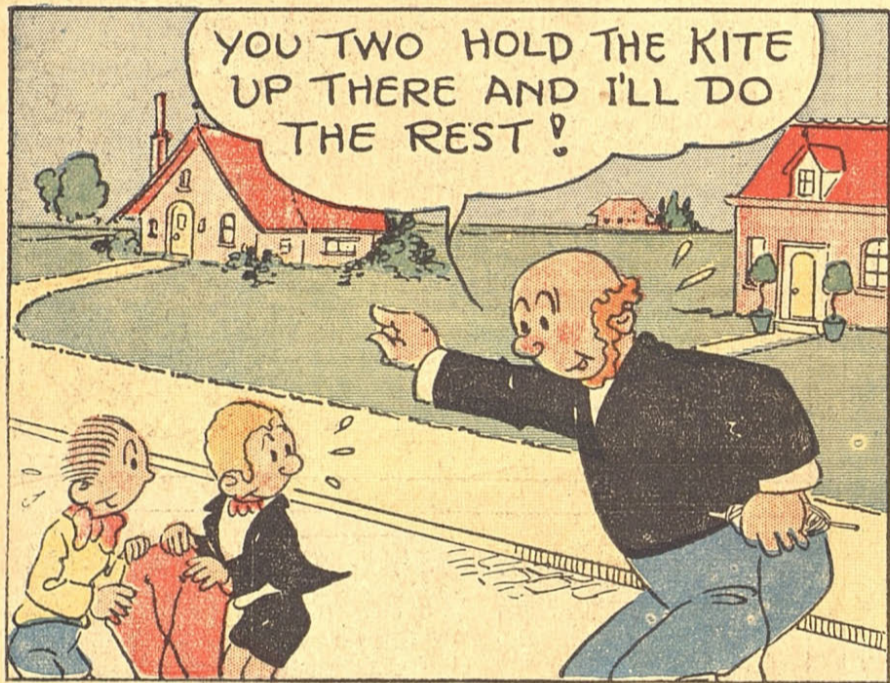
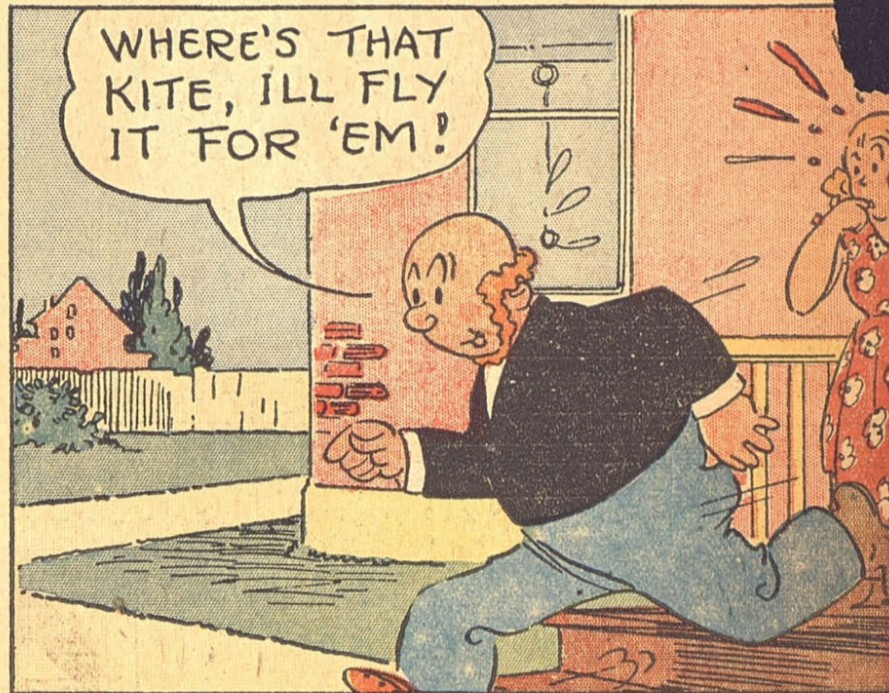
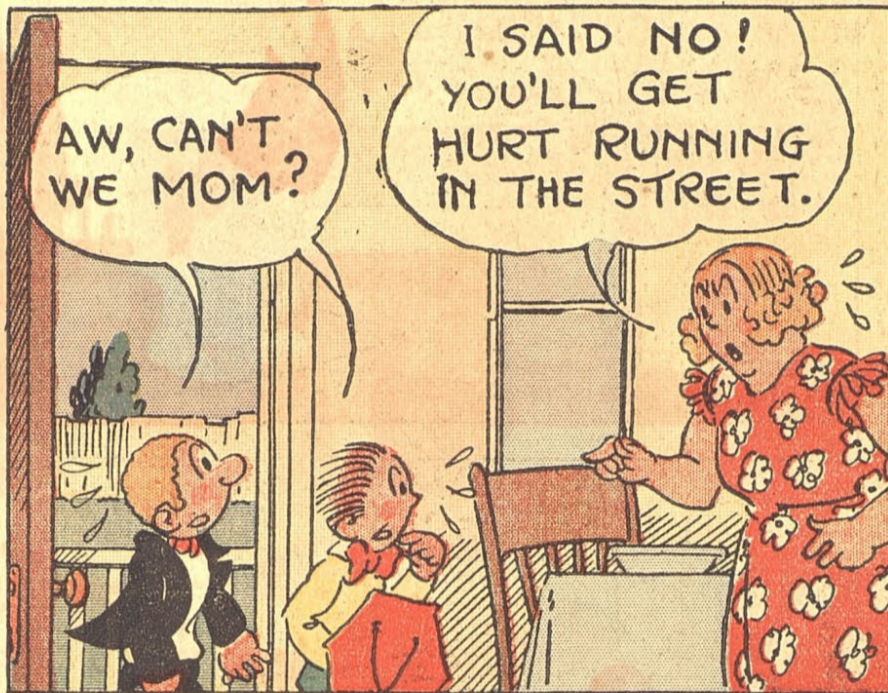
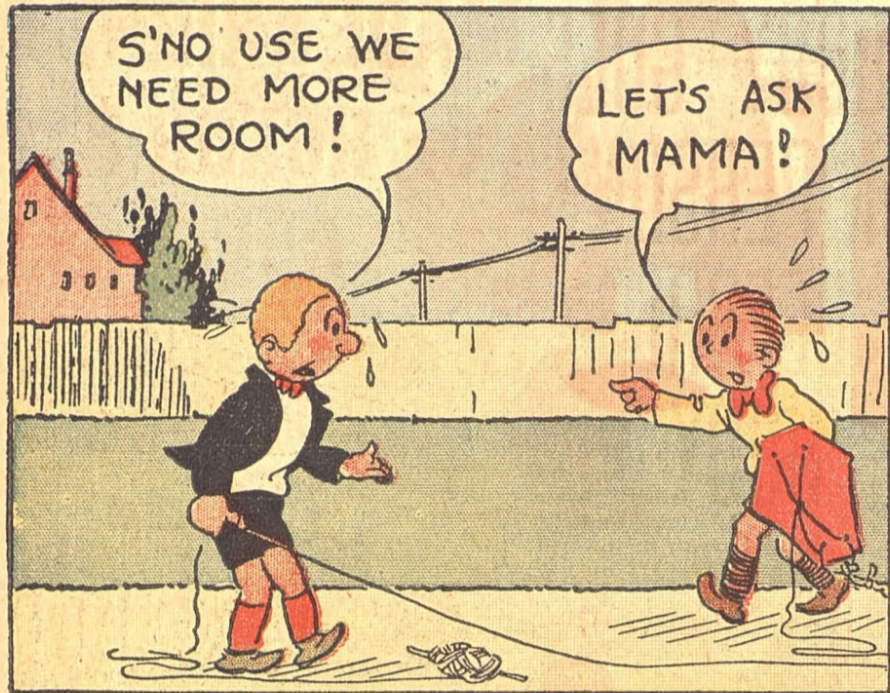
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THAT LIVING WAGE.

SO? YOU THINK YOU SHOULD HAVE MORE SALARY?
YES, BOSS.

WELL, NOTHIN' DOIN' IN THAT LINE.
I'M DOING TOO MUCH WORK—

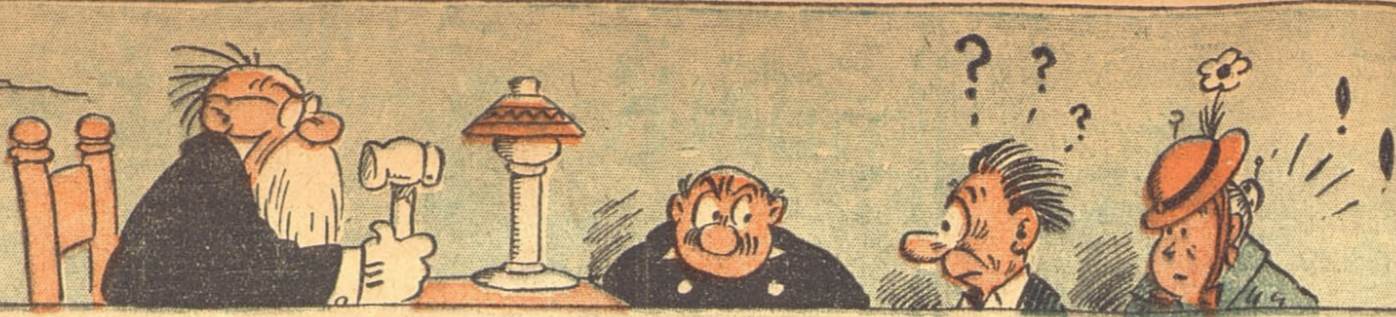
WELL, IF YOU'RE DISSATISFIED YOU CAN PUT ON YOUR HAT AND COAT AND GO.
I'LL GO BACK TO WORK.

DO YOU HEAR? IF YOU DONT LIKE YOUR JOB PUT ON YOUR DUDS AND GO.
MUMBLE MUMBLE.

I DARE YOU TO SAY THAT TO ME AT QUITTING TIME.

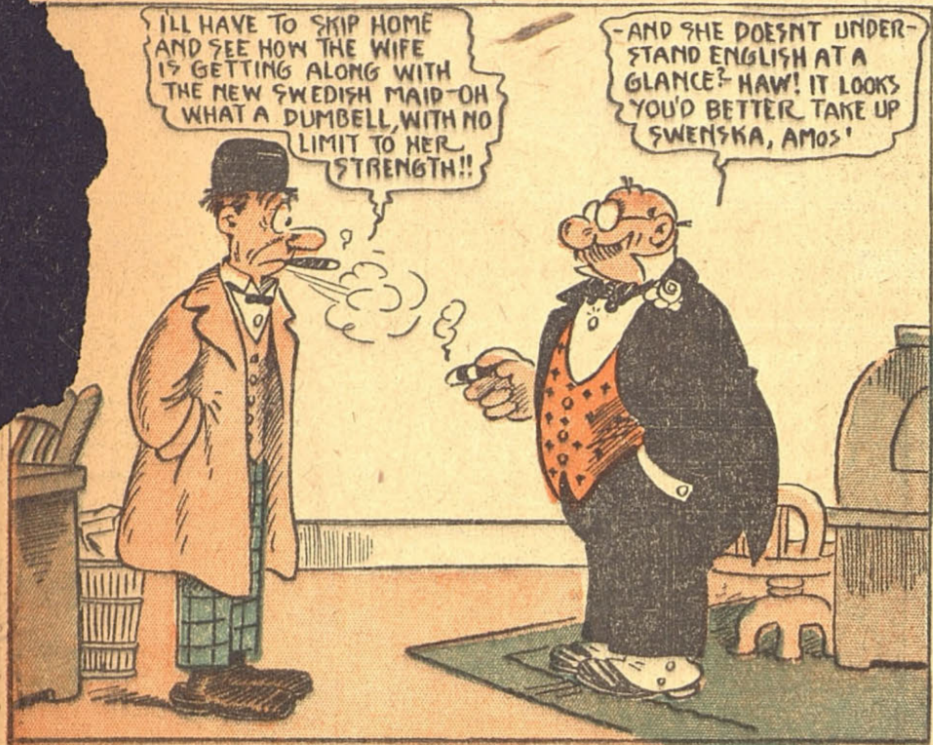
I DARE YOU TO SAY THAT TO ME AT QUITTING TIME.

\$25.00 FOR DESTROYING A FIRE-PLUG AND, I THINK I'LL HOLD YOU PENDING WORD OF THE PLUMBERS BILL FROM THE FIRE CHIEF!!



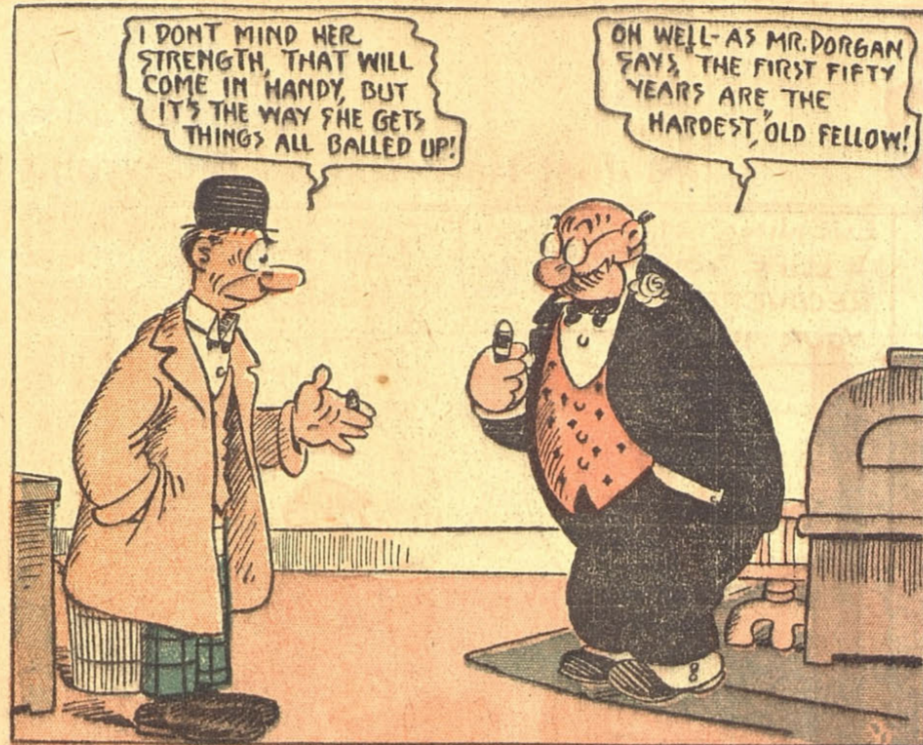
SEEZEM and SQUEZEM

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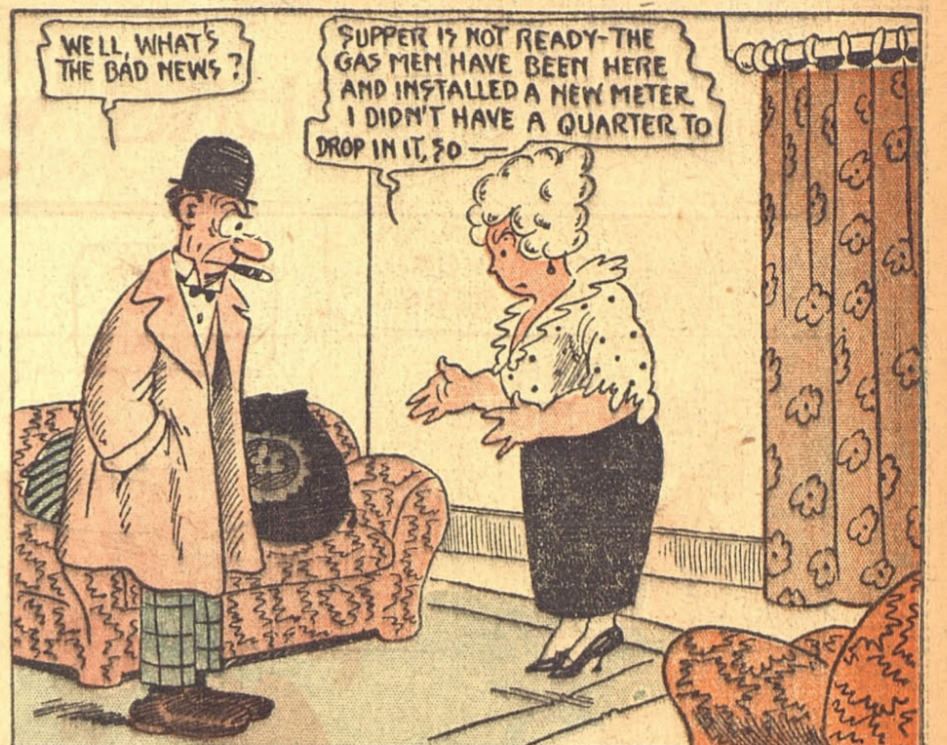
I'LL HAVE TO SHIP HOME AND SEE HOW THE WIFE IS GETTING ALONG WITH THE NEW SWEDISH MAID—OH WHAT A DUMBELL WITH NO LIMIT TO HER STRENGTH!!

—AND SHE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND ENGLISH AT A GLANCE—HAW! IT LOOKS YOU'D BETTER TAKE UP SWENSKA, AMOS!



I DON'T MIND HER STRENGTH, THAT WILL COME IN HANDY BUT IT'S THE WAY SHE GETS THINGS ALL BALLED UP!

OH WELL—AS MR. DORGAN SAYS, THE FIRST FIFTY YEARS ARE THE HARDEST, OLD FELLOW!



WELL, WHAT'S THE BAD NEWS?

SUPPER IS NOT READY—THE GAS MEN HAVE BEEN HERE AND INSTALLED A NEW METER. I DIDN'T HAVE A QUARTER TO DROP IN IT, SO.



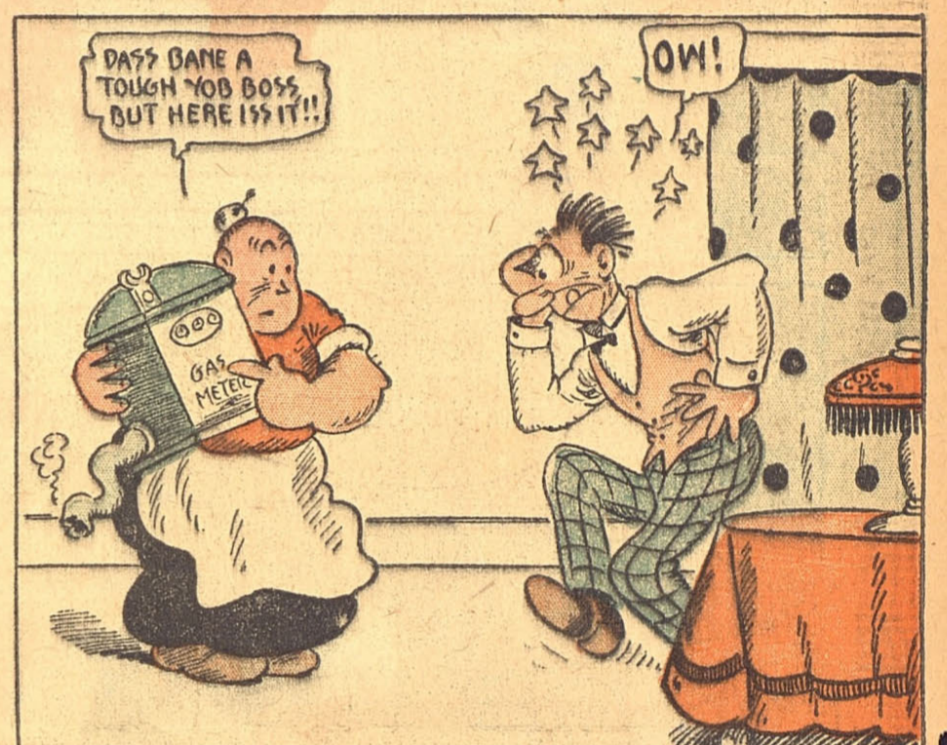
WHERE'S THE METER?

IT'S IN THE CELLAR. OLGA CAN SHOW YOU WHERE THEY PUT IT—I'LL SEND HER IN!



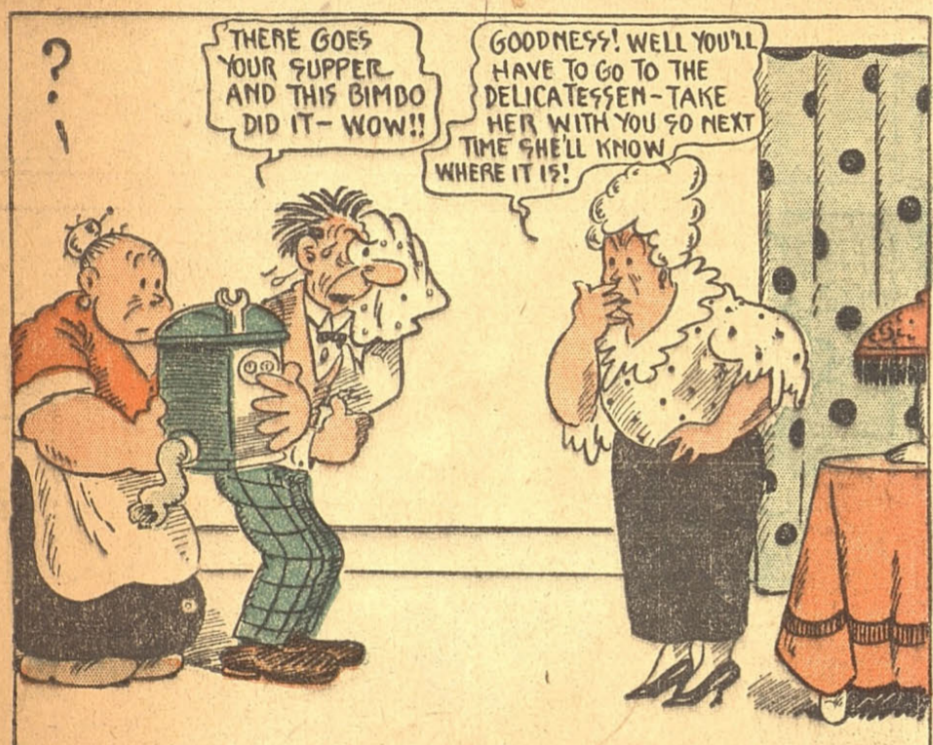
YO' BANE WANT—

—YEAH "GAS METER" I WANT TO PUT A QUARTER IN IT—



DASS BANE A TOUGH YOB BOSS, BUT HERE IS IT!!

OW!



THERE GOES YOUR SUPPER AND THIS BIMBO DID IT—WOW!!

GODDNESS! WELL YOU'LL HAVE TO GO TO THE DELICATESSEN—TAKE HER WITH YOU SO NEXT TIME SHE'LL KNOW WHERE IT IS!



HURRY UP MIKE HERE COMES A GUY WITH HIS SWEETIE!

ALRIGHT, DARLING—I'VE DONE MY DIRTY WORK NOW YOU DO YOURS!



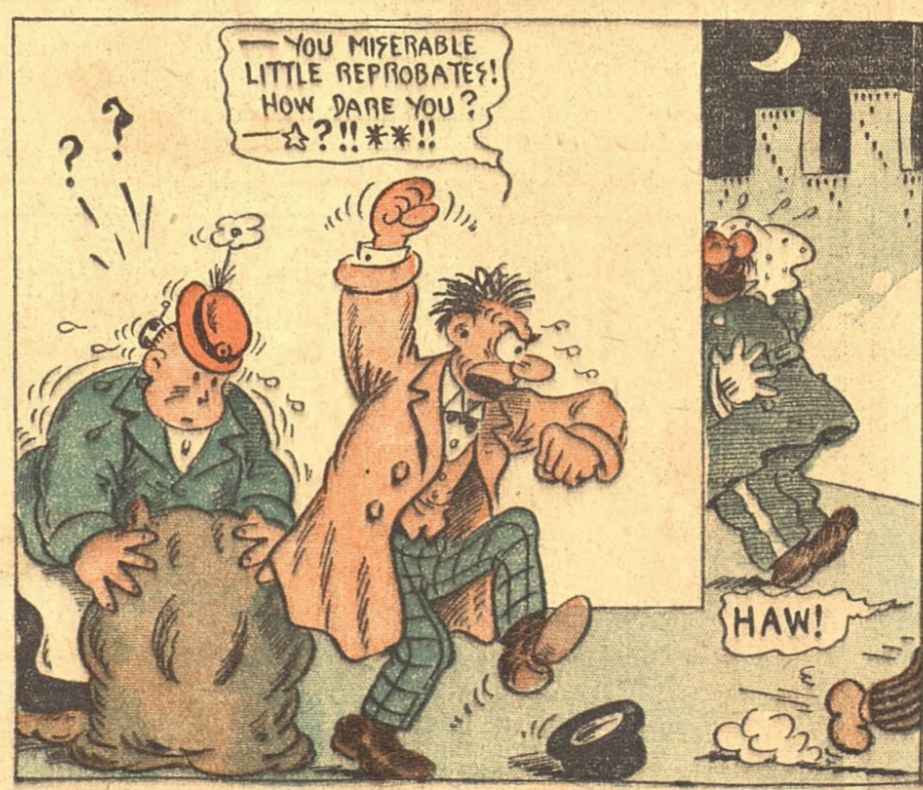
HEY, MISTER—WILL YOU HELP ME GET THIS SACK ON MY BACK, PLEASE? THAT'S A GOOD SCOUT!

MMP!



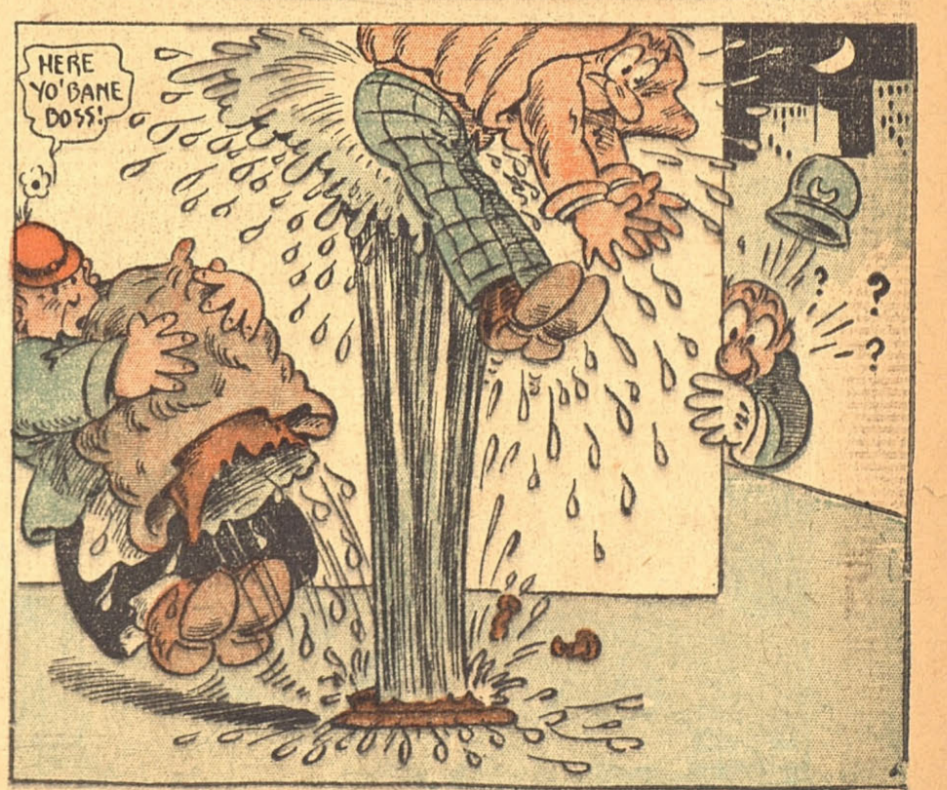
—SURELY! UGH!! WHAT THE—

TEE-HEE!



—YOU MISERABLE LITTLE REPROBATES! HOW DARE YOU? —*?!*?!*

HAW!



HERE YO' BANE BOSS!

TICK TOCK BX LINK

I GOT A BARGAIN, HOGAN.

SO?

YEZZER, A NICE CLOCK.

A CLOCK, HUH?

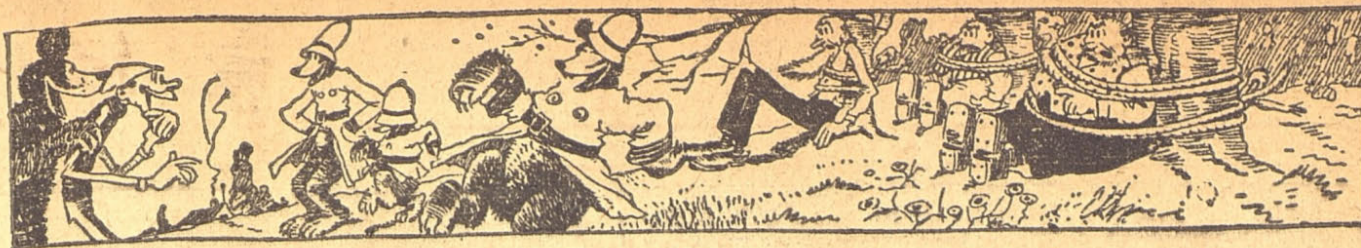
YEZZER! I GOT A SWISS CLOCK CHEAP.

YOU GOT STUNG, FELLA.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH A SWISS CLOCK?

USELESS IN THIS COUNTRY—

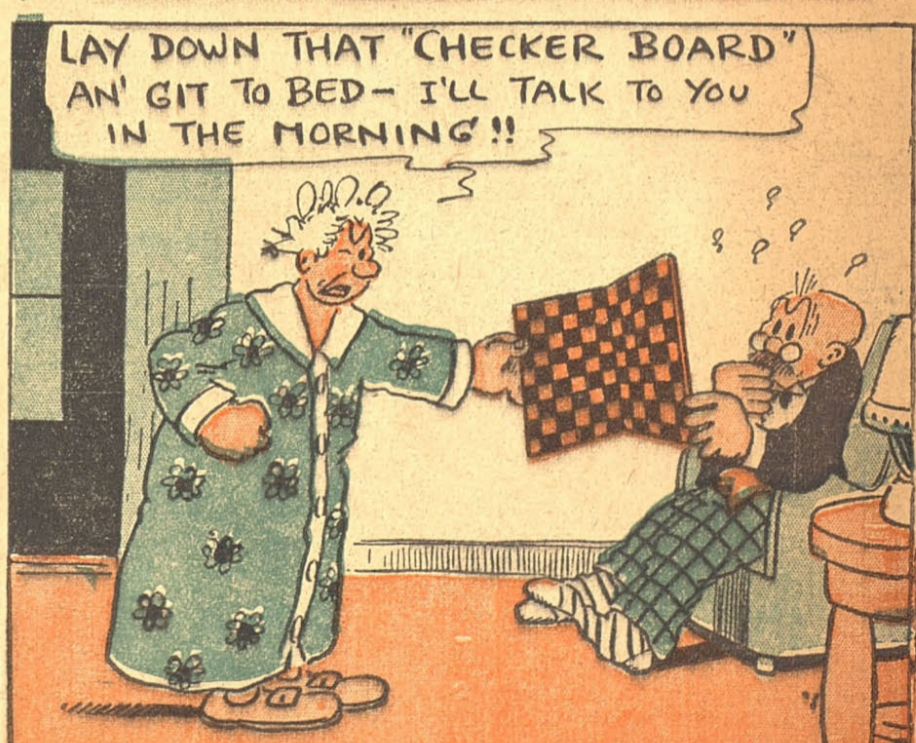
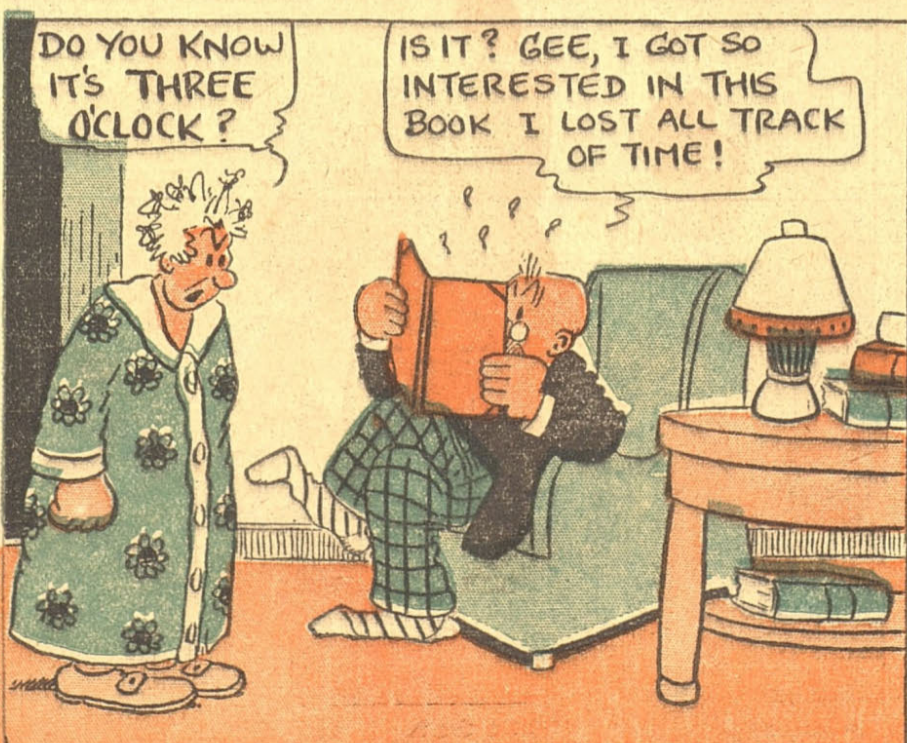
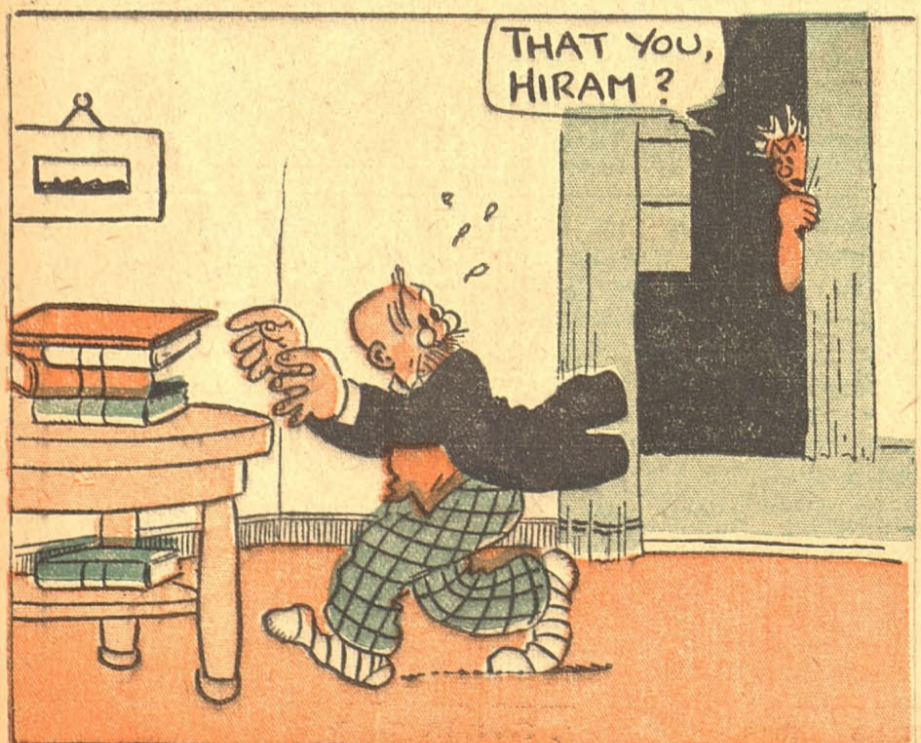
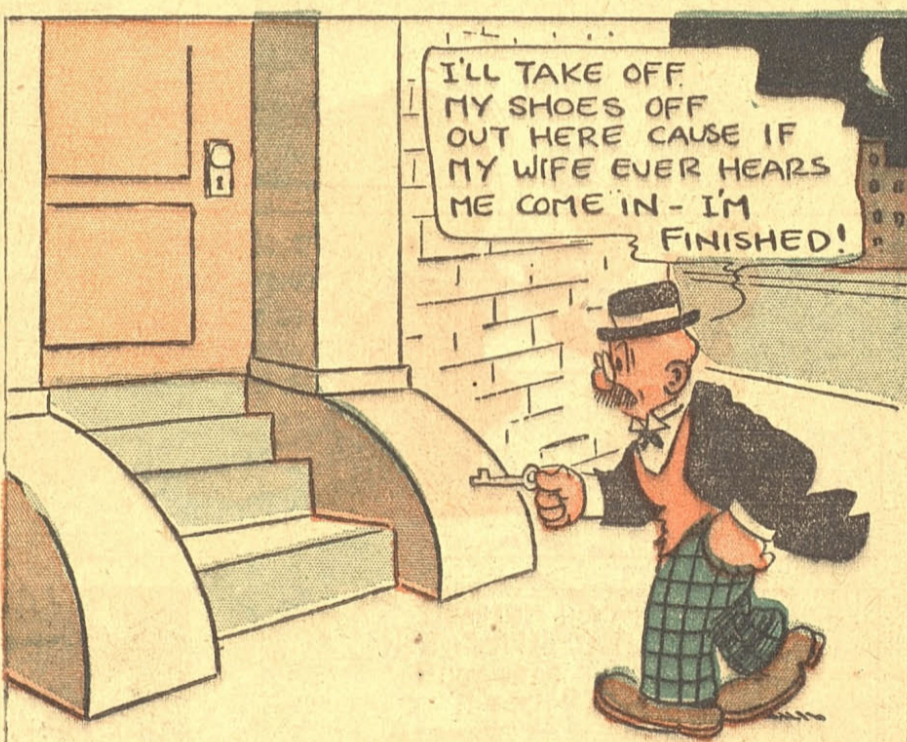
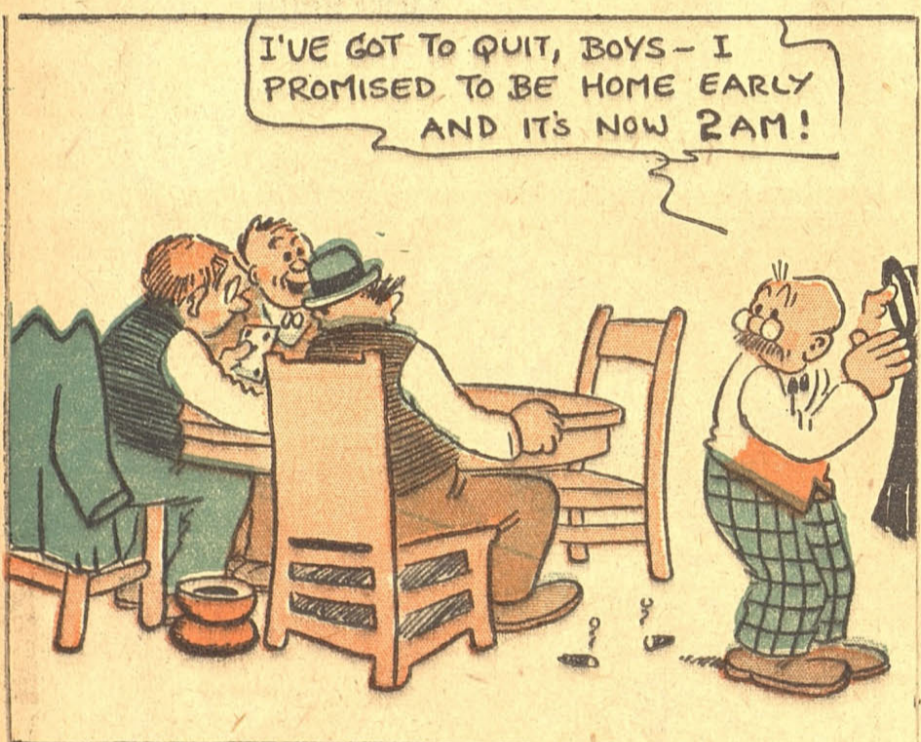
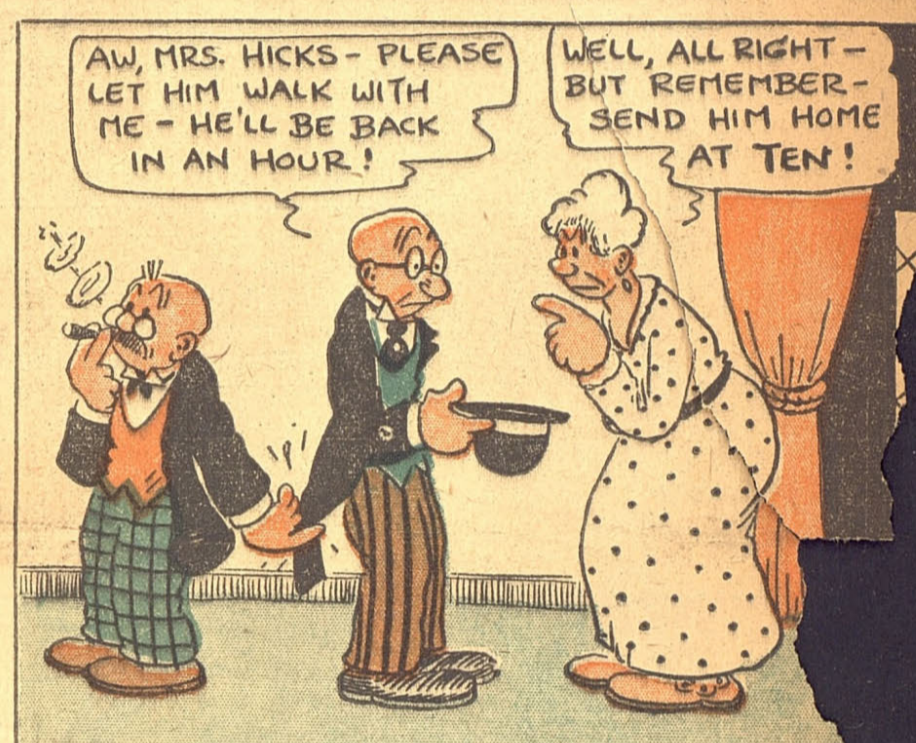
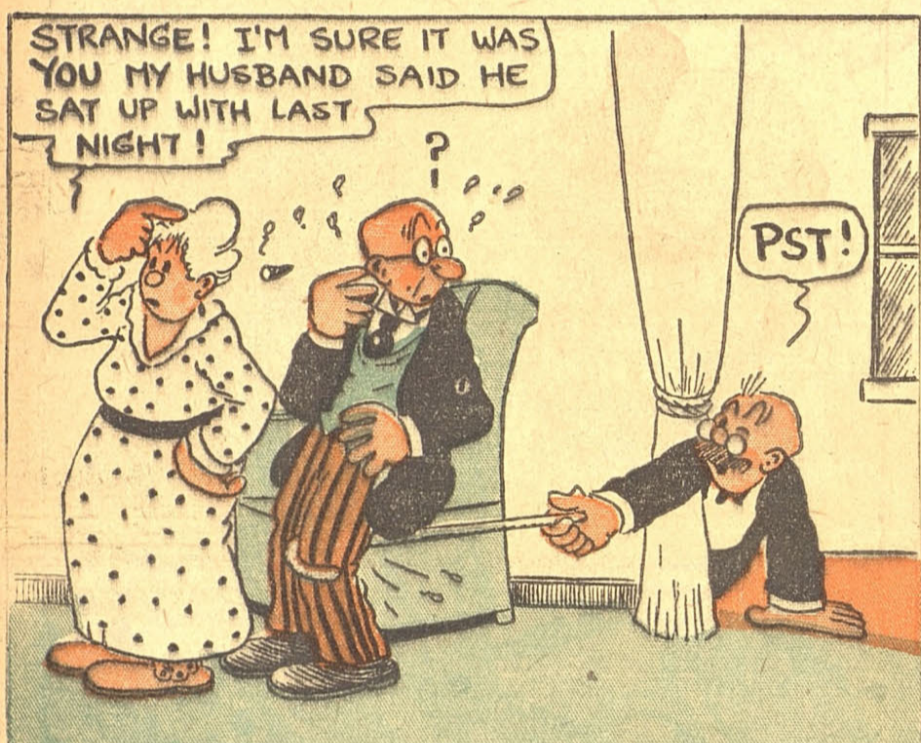
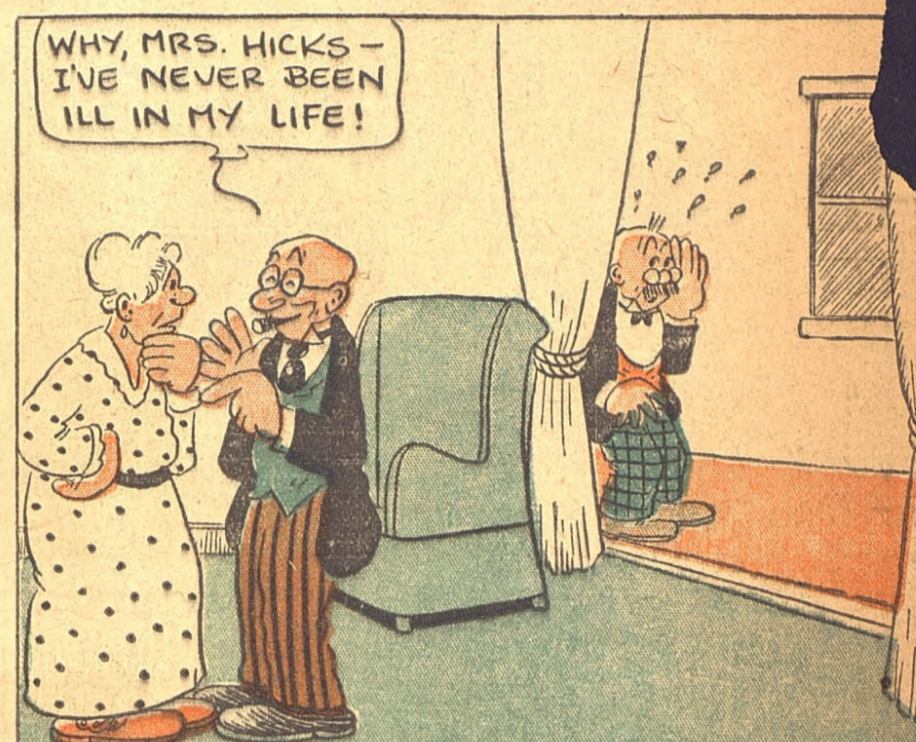
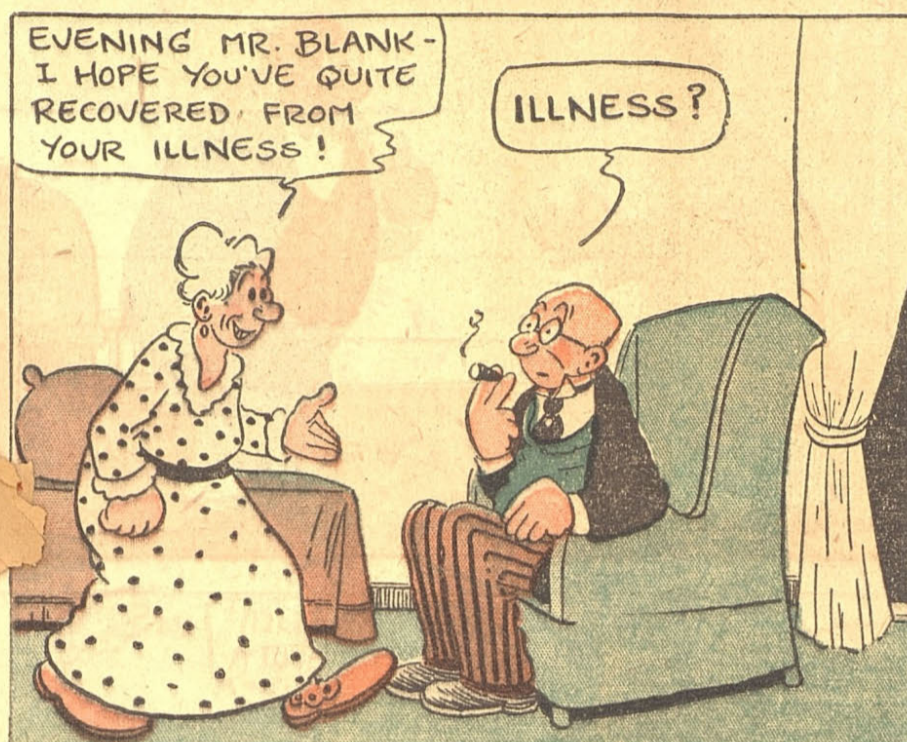
—SWISS TIME ISN'T THE SAME AS OURS.



THOSE FOLKS

Pa Just Had to Grab the Wrong Book.

By KEN KLING



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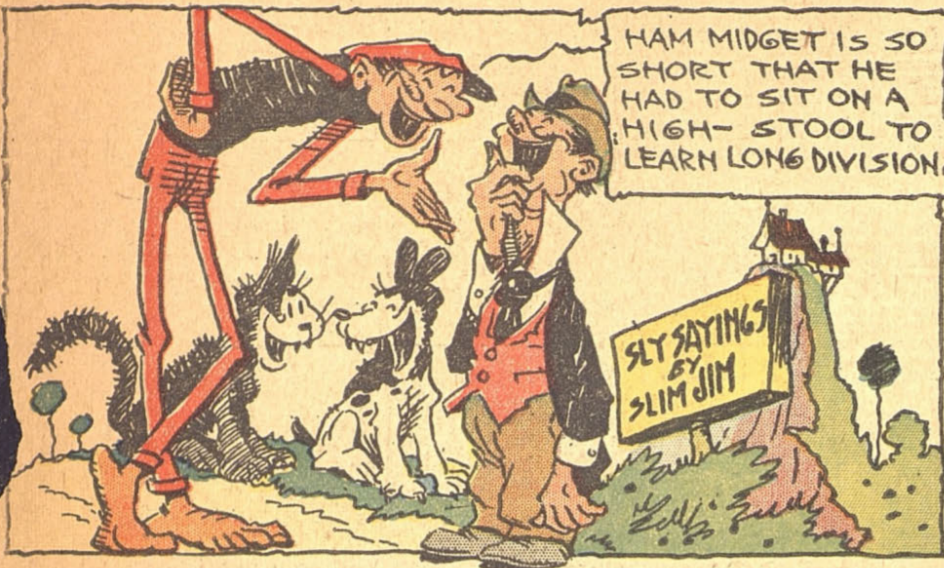
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