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MIRAGE OF CONQUEST

It is commonly reported that Mussolini is preparing for his African venture because of economic necessity—because Italy needs the markets, the raw materials and the room for expansion which conquest of Ethiopia would make possible.

A recent article in the Business Conditions Weekly of the Alexander Hamilton Institute, however, suggests that Italy does not have nearly as much to gain from this venture as is generally supposed.

Ethiopia, it is pointed out, is not a productive country. Except for coffee, it produces barely enough agricultural commodities for its own people. Not much is known about its mineral deposits, but due to lack of transportation facilities the cost of exploiting such deposits would be tremendous.

The country has such a low standard of living that it will be a woefully poor market for many years to come. Enormous amounts of capital—which Italy admittedly lacks—would be needed to make it a great cotton or rubber producer.

These facts suggest that the conquest of Ethiopia may well cost Italy a great deal more than it can possibly be worth.

Soviet government is going to make it harder to obtain a divorce. From now on, the departing man or woman probably will be required to wave goodbye.

Senator Tydings boasts he rescued Secretary of Interior Ickes from the claws of a crab. But what's one crab against so many the secretary has to meet daily in Washington?

New English Leader

Crossword puzzle with clues for words like 'New English Leader', 'Horizontal', and 'Vertical'. Includes a grid and a small portrait of a man.

Society and Clubs Bridge Breakfast Held Today

Mrs. Harvey Sloan and Mrs. Roy Parks Entertain with Twenty-Table Affair in Crystal Ballroom This Morning

Chief among recent social affairs was the bridge breakfast with which Mrs. Harvey Sloan and Mrs. Roy Parks entertained this morning in the Crystal Ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer.

Tall spikes of gladioli and other summer flowers filled floor baskets placed about the long ballroom. Attractively individualized appointments marked the party which stressed a white and green color scheme.

A two-course breakfast was served at 20 foursome tables. Table cuts in bridge games which followed were clear Postoria glass wares.

Awards in games went to Mrs. Hayden Miles for high score, to Mrs. O'Rourke for second high, and to Mrs. Clyde Cowden for low score.

The guest list included: Mmes. Geo. T. Abell, A. L. Ackers, John Adams, J. R. Ashley, Joe Ballantyne, W. L. Brown, Harvey Conger, John Cornwall, Sam T. Cummings, Joe Chambers, J. P. Cusack, Frank Cowden, Elliott Cowden, Dick Cowden, R. B. Cowden, Clyde Cowden, De Lo Douglas, John Dublin, Alden Donnelly, C. C. Duffy, I. E. Daniel, Geo. E. Farley, James Fitzgerald, James Fitzgerald Sr., of Tulsa, Okla., Thos. B. Flood, Chas. Goldsmith, David P. Goggins, Graham, J. L. Heath, Allan Hargrave, John Haygood, Martin Ulmer, W. T. Walsh, John West, Dorothy Williams of Douglas, Arizona, Fred Wilcox, F. F. Winger, Fred S. Wright, Joe Youngblood, Fred Turner, J. W. Jordan, O. E. Holt, Wheeler, Fred Fuhrman, Harry Johnson, J. P. Butler, John Perkins, Holt Jowell, John Nobles, D. C. Henson, A. N. Hendrickson, J. G. Harper, Geraldine Hill, H. C. Hamilton, L. G. Lewis, J. B. Leonard, G. D. Klingaman, Hayden Miles, C. A. Mix, L. C. Mackey, H. W. Matthews, Tom Nance, Paul D. Oles, E. O. Frame of San Antonio, A. J. O'Rourke, Hal Peck of Amarillo, Johnson, Phillips, R. R. Porterfield, Roy Proctor, J. W. Rettig, M. D. Self, E. B. Soper, D. C. Sivals, Clarence Scharbauer, J. M. Speed, R. C. Tucker, Allen Tolbert.

Catholic Women Hostesses to Union Missionary Meeting

Approximately 100 women attended the joint meeting of missionary societies of the town for which women of the Catholic church were hostesses at the Country Club Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Sam Cummings and Mrs. James Fitzgerald greeted guests at the door. Mrs. J. J. Kelly presided, opening the meeting by leading a repetition of the Lord's Prayer in unison.

Mrs. W. T. Walsh who was in charge of the program, read two poems from the pen of Mrs. Claude Duffey, "Guidance for the Day" and "Gossip."

A tap dance by Jean Walsh was the third number on the program. Mrs. Jack Cusack and Mrs. Allen Tolbert presented two piano duets, "Chiusi Animan" from Rossini's "Stabat Mater" and "Dark Eyes" by Percy.

Miss Dorothy Cummings sang "Ave Maria" by Luzzi and "The Wind Speaks" by Grant-Shafer. Following the program, a social hour was held and refreshments were served.

Announcements

Wednesday Chaparral troop, Girl Scouts, will meet at Pagoda Pool Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock for a swimming party and supper. Girls are asked to bring their swimming suits, fees, and lunches.

Thursday The Evangelical Sunday school class of the Baptist church will meet at Pagoda Pool Thursday morning for a swim at 8:30 o'clock to be followed by picnic lunch at 11:30 o'clock. All new members will be honor guests.

Friday Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Brown, 807 S. Big Spring Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The lesson will be taken from Luke 18.

The Anti club will meet with Miss Maedelee Roberts, 208 W. Ohio, Thursday evening.

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Melvin Price of Andrews was a business visitor here today.

PERSONALS

A. D. Gill has gone to Houston on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Alexander and daughter, Juliette, of Carlin, Nev., passed through Midland this morning enroute to New Mexico. They visited briefly with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Eiland and Kathleen Eiland.

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'Acute Indigestion'

Dallas man says Gordon's gave him immediate relief; "It's magical!" he says.

You suffer with that stomach for five or ten years, and nothing anyone tells you does any good. You try everything you hear of. No improvement. Then you find GORDON'S COMPOUND, and presto! No wonder it seems like magic. Read this: "For many years I suffered with indigestion, sometimes acute indigestion; suppose I have tried every remedy known to the medical profession without results. A short time ago, had an attack of acute indigestion, began taking GORDON'S COMPOUND, and it commenced giving relief immediately. Gradually improved, gained 12 pounds, never felt better in my life. Can't fully express my confidence in GORDON'S—it is magical."—L. G. Thompson, Dallas Natl. Bank Bldg., Dallas.

Don't let INDIGESTION or BLOATING, GAS ON STOMACH, HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA, ACID STOMACH, etc., take all the joy out of life. Try GORDON'S COMPOUND. Your money back on first bottle if you're not satisfied.

GORDON'S COMPOUND CITY DRUG STORE PETROLEUM PHARMACY Midland, Texas

FEMININE FANCIES

BY KATHLEEN EILAND

Some professor who is an expert at translating the letters of ancient Babylonians written on a clay tablet says that the letters written by women are the hardest to translate. We can just imagine most men chuckling over that statement.

But he who laughs last laughs best and the expert says that the women's letters are also more interesting when they are deciphered.

It somehow seems to bring ancient history a little nearer to us to know that almost 4000 years ago, women wrote letters to men and asked for money and suits—wrote to their sweethearts saying "I want to Babylon but did not see thee. I was greatly disappointed."

Also a woman's right to propose marriage seemed to be in effect then as there is now on record the letter of the Egyptian queen, widow of Tutankhamen, written to the king of the Hittites, proposing marriage to one of his sons. History doesn't say whether he accepted. It is only known that another man seized the Egyptian throne.

Merry Fairney, pretty 24-year-old heiress from Chicago must feel as if a humiliating anti-climax had been written to her madcap adventures. She has been in the headlines often enough, with her off-again-on-again loves, divorces, and marriages.

Now she has broken into print again. This time because Judge Joseph Sabath bawled her out for lighting a cigarette in his courtroom! More than that the Judge spoke right out in public with plenty of listeners. How poor Merry's pride must have suffered!

Whenever an animal is accorded significant consideration to be tried by a jury, the incident is worthy of note. Such a thing happened recently when "Prince," a five-ton elephant was found "not guilty" by a jury of circus men. Prince had killed Joe Reed, a circus trainer who was teaching him a new act. Owing to circumstances, there was a doubt as to whether the killing was intentional or accidental. A jury said it was accidental and Prince went back to the circus instead of the execution ground.

It was another instance of men showing more consideration for an animal than is often accorded to human offenders.

Jay-Walking Turtle Booked BOSTON. (UP)—A turtle was arrested for obstructing traffic in the Chinese district. It was booked as "one turtle, weight about 30 pounds, age and sex unknown, owner unknown."

Varied Routine Entertains Girls At Roswell Camp

One hundred Girl Scouts and leaders are attending Camp Mary White, the regional Girl Scout camp near Cloudford, New Mexico, in its second session, July 28th to August 11th. Girls enrolled from Midland are: Barbara Harper, Magie Hargie Jordan, Jean Lewis, Freda Fae Turner, and Paddy Sue Whitcomb.

The girls' camp is separate from the leaders' although both participate in general evening campfires, folk dancing, and programs held at Great Hall. Scouting activities as well as horseback riding, archery, swimming, trail cookery, dramatics, are enjoyed by every girl in camp.

Scouts live in four units, Kosbare Pueblo, Esccondido Ranch, Ferndust Ranch and Oaks Ranch, according to age and previous camp experience. Leaders live at Medina Ranch, Ferndust and Oaks campers who are older and experienced Scouts have their own pioneer outposts where they establish their own little camps and live away from the main camp for two or three days at a time.

This thrilling privilege always brings adventure. Leaders take pack trips, overnight hikes, and camping trips.

A colorful event of the first season was the Gold Rush in which the entire camp participated in costume. Gold hunters, prospectors, immigrants, and pioneer women gathered at Cheyenne, Wyoming upon news of the gold discovery. Dividing them into two bands for safety, Kit Carson and Buffalo Bill led the bands as they hit the trail from the sheriff's office. Through the Dakota country where the warning was to "hang on to yer scalp" and through California, the bands faced Indians and bold claim jumpers on the way to record their claims. After legal recording of claims held by the lucky ones, they dug up their gold which was oranges buried in "them thar hills."

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The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything).

Clarence Scharbauer, Elliott Cowden and John Dublin were "up in the air" yesterday, flying with Little George over Clarence's New Mexico ranches. They ate breakfast before they left, took their lunch with 'em and got back in time for supper, according to reports.

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instead of that he got married. A lot of my customers have done well on the publicity I gave them. And now the old yellow horse, Gold Dollar, has come into his own. As soon as he changed riders and paraded down the street, a well-to-do man from Oklahoma City saw him and bought him. Gold Dollar shipped out this morning in a freight car all to himself, to his new stable and paddock on silk-stocking row, Oklahoma City.

As many calories are furnished by one quart of ice cream as by 11 pounds of asparagus.

OUR NAME ON A CEREAL

The name "Kellogg's" has been on every package of cereal we have ever manufactured. There is no such thing as a cereal "made by the Kellogg Company" and sold under another brand.

The name "Kellogg's" means a great deal to us. Because it has always stood for highest quality, we see to it that every cereal we make is worthy to be sold as Kellogg's.

If you have enjoyed Kellogg's Rice Krispies or Kellogg's All-Bran or any of our other cereals, you know how good they are. And Kellogg's Corn Flakes are equally outstanding in their field.

We made the first Corn Flakes, and we have been making them constantly better for 29 years. If they weren't the crispest and most delicious Corn Flakes in the world, they would not outsell all others by millions of packages today.

For big value and matchless flavor, insist on Kellogg's. Look for the name on the red-and-green package.



For Pure MILK PHONE 9000 Scruggs Dairy

Kellogg OF BATTLE CREEK

Take me along I'm your best friend I am your Lucky Strike



TAKE ME ALONG. I'M YOUR BEST FRIEND, I AM YOUR LUCKY STRIKE. IT'S THE TOBACCO THAT COUNTS There are no finer tobaccos than those used in Luckies

Advertisement for a fan with the headline 'Why Sweeter? KEEP COOL!' and 'Your Electrical Dealer or TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY'.

Honeymooners Hitch-Hike

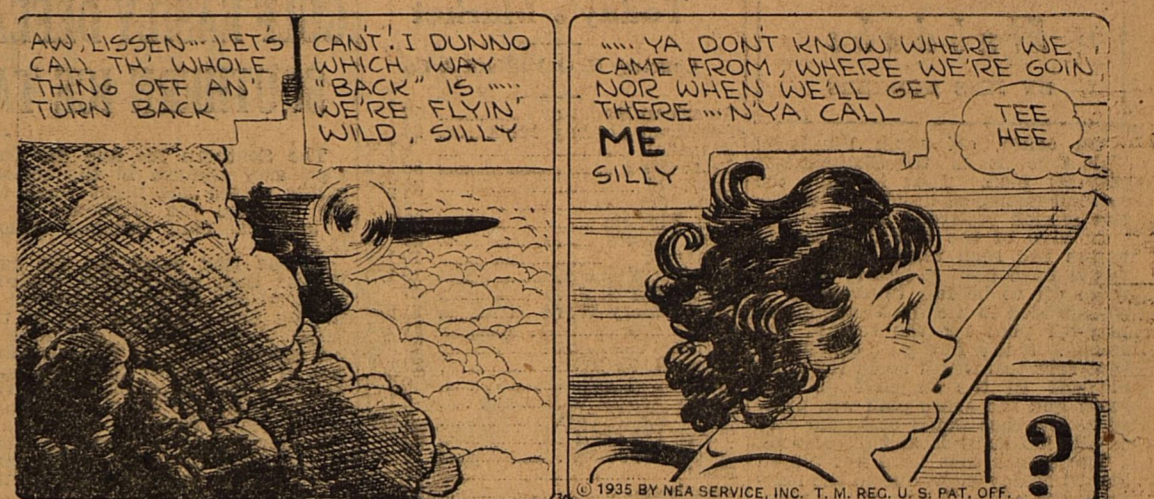
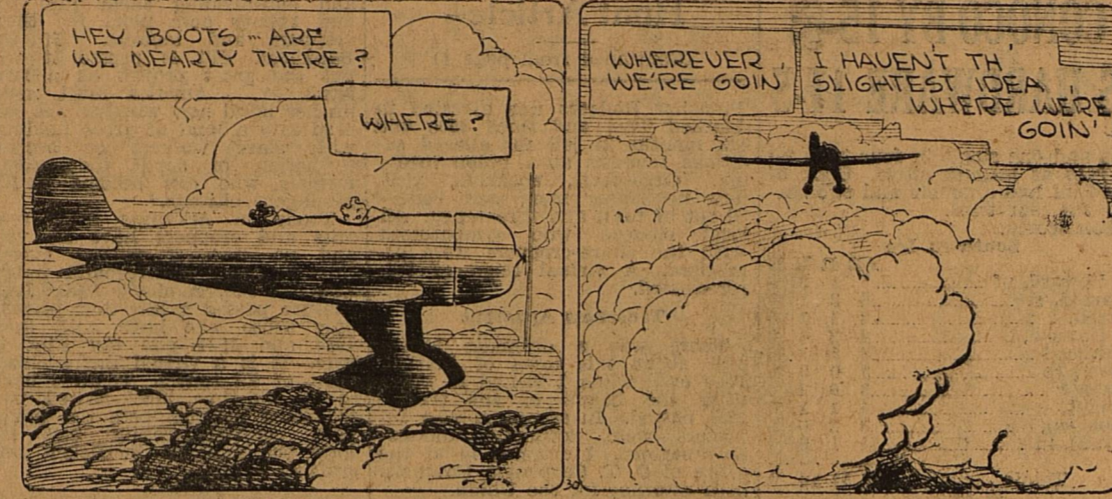
MURPHYSBORO, Ill. (U.P.)—Mr. and Mrs. Joel Webber, of Pittsburgh, have had a hitch-hike honeymoon lasting seven months. Married in Pittsburgh, they started out to hitch-hike with 15 cents between them. When they arrived here, they had been in 36 states and said they had walked only 100 miles.

Threshers Use Electricity

MOSCOW, (U.P.)—Electric threshing is being widely applied in the agriculture of the Soviet Union. This year, 4,130 electric threshing machines will be used, twice the number used last year.

The stomach of a hippopotamus will hold four or five bushels of food.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES AND INFORMATION

CASH must accompany all orders for classified ads, with a specified number of days for each to be inserted. CLASSIFIEDS will be accepted until 12 noon on week days and 6 p. m., Saturday for Sunday issues. PROPER classification of advertisements will be done in the office of The Reporter-Telegram. ERRORS appearing in classified ads will be corrected without charge by notice given immediately after the first insertion. RATES: 2¢ a word a day, 4¢ a word two days, 5¢ a word three days. MINIMUM charges: 1 day 25¢, 2 days 50¢, 3 days 60¢. FURTHER information will be given gladly by calling 77.

3—Furn. Apts.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment; private bath; garage; Electric; couple only. Phone 138-120-9

7—Houses for Sale

FOR SALE: Small home. Cowden addition, 1303 North Big Spring. 121-3

15—Miscellaneous

DAMP WASH, 4¢ pound. DeArmond's Laundry, phone 537. 118-6

WE BUY and sell men's second-hand shoes. Modern Shoe Shop, 118 South Main. 118-6

PUBLIC stenographer. 305 Petroleum Bldg. 121-3

Expert

Floor Work

Sanding—Refinishing Work Guaranteed

T. L. ROBERTSON, PHONE 445

Phone 451 for MATTRESS RENOVATING One-Day Service Complete stock of NEW AND USED FURNITURE UPHAM FURNITURE COMPANY (Formerly Furniture Hospital)

FURNITURE

Bring Your Furniture To SANDERS PAINT SHOP 106 North Weatherford Rebuilding and Refinishing Upholstering, Slip Covers MAKE HOME BEAUTIFUL Household Storage

BEER LOVERS WISE DRINK



"A Case of Good Judgment"

Since '52 the Favorite Brew



RUSSELL DIST. CO. Phone 52

2—For Sale—Trade

FOR SALE: Half-section farm; will consider residence property in Midland. E. E. Eiland. 122-3

GOOD milch cow for sale. B. C. Cook, mile east of Midland. 122-6

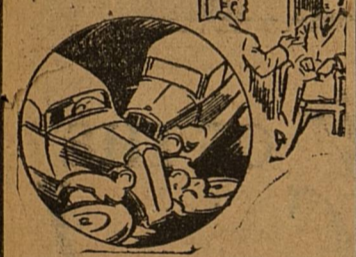
FOR SALE: Used washing machine. 306 South Peos. 123-3

Typewriter Ribbons

Sold by us are delivered and installed free in the business section of Midland. Call us for this added service.

West Texas Office Supply Phone 95

It may cost BOTH TIME and MONEY



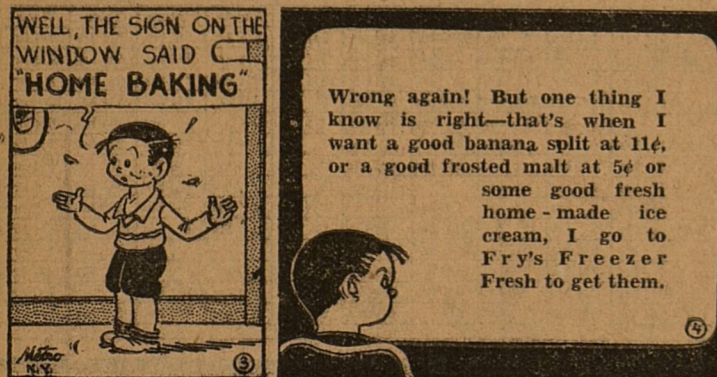
A slight accident—and a big law suit! Don't risk it—auto-insurance is an economical investment. May we advise you at once?

SPARKS & BARRON

General Insurance and Abstracts

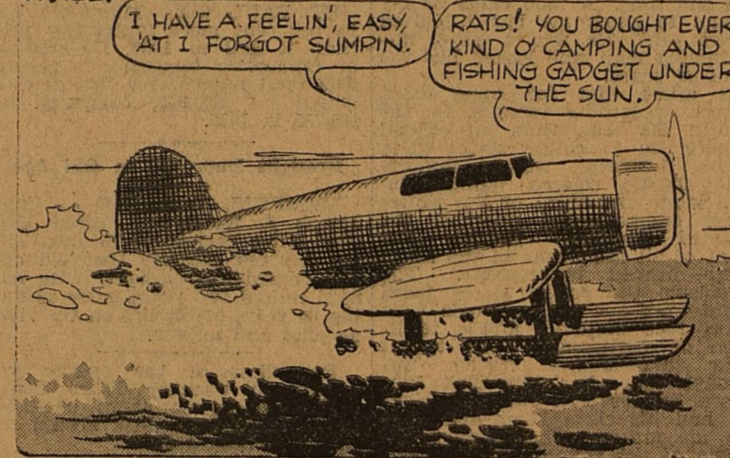
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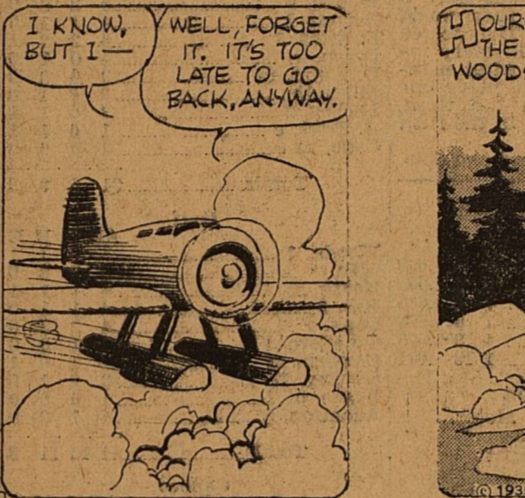


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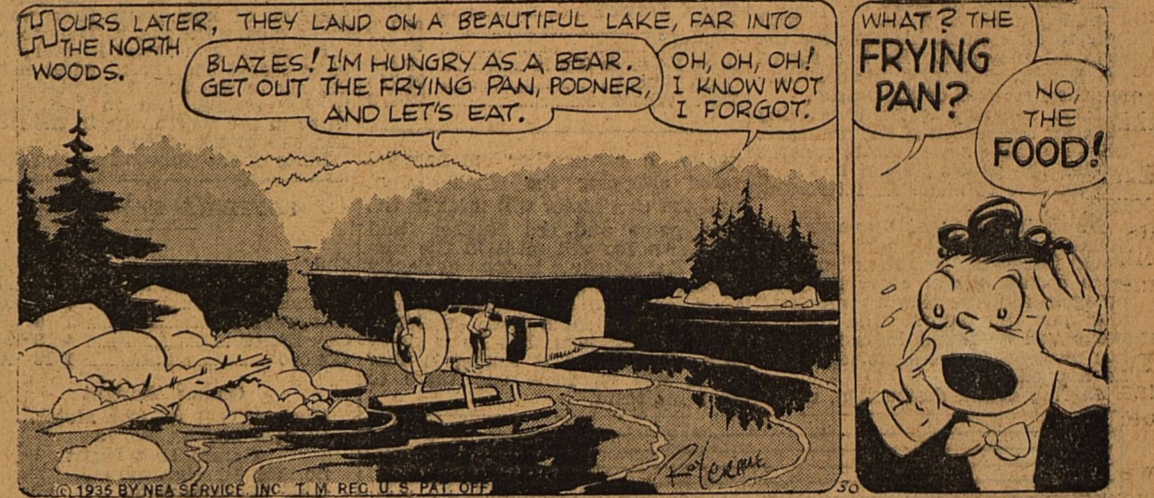
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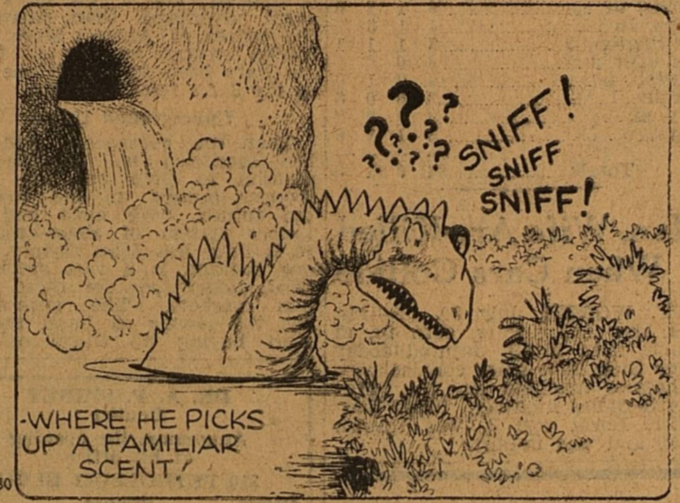


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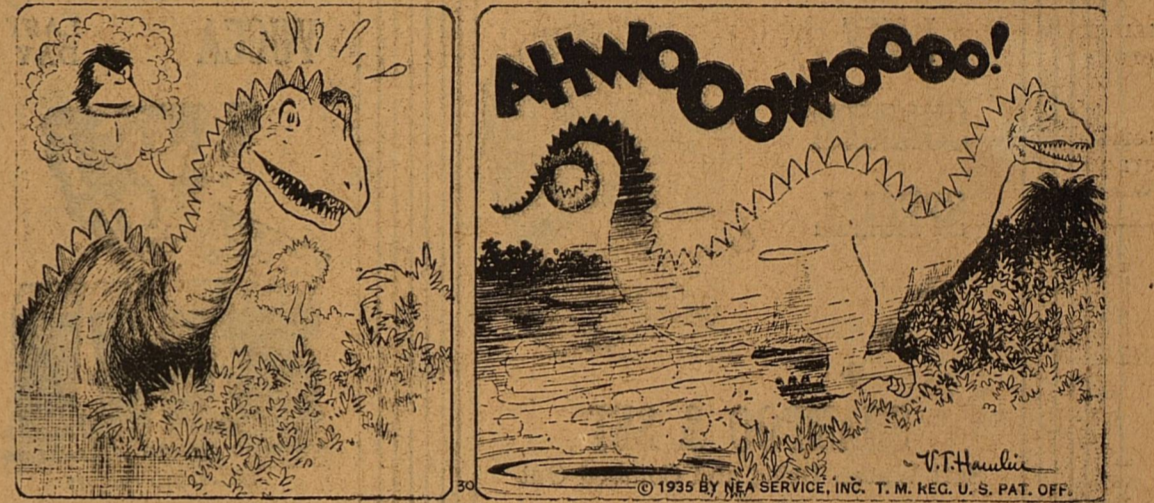


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MIRACULOUSLY DINNY SURVIVES HIS PLUNGE OVER THE FALLS

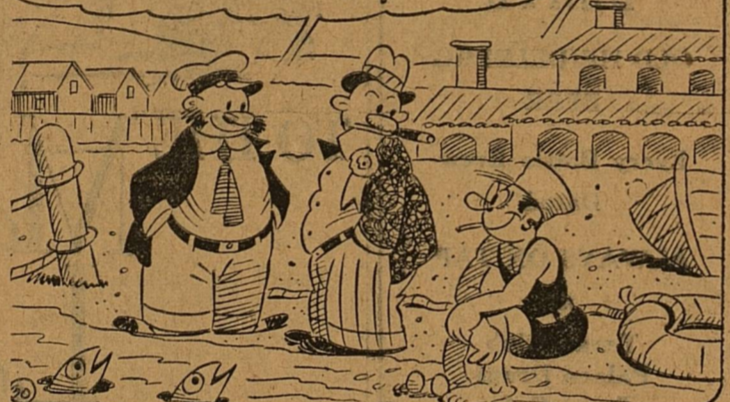


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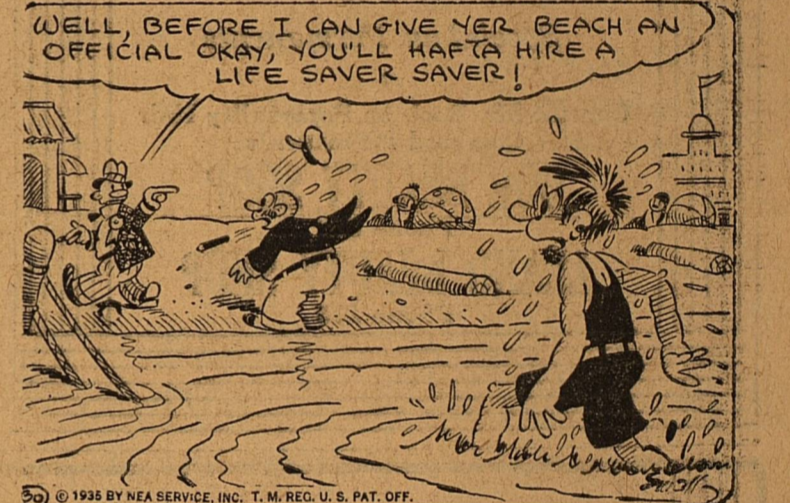


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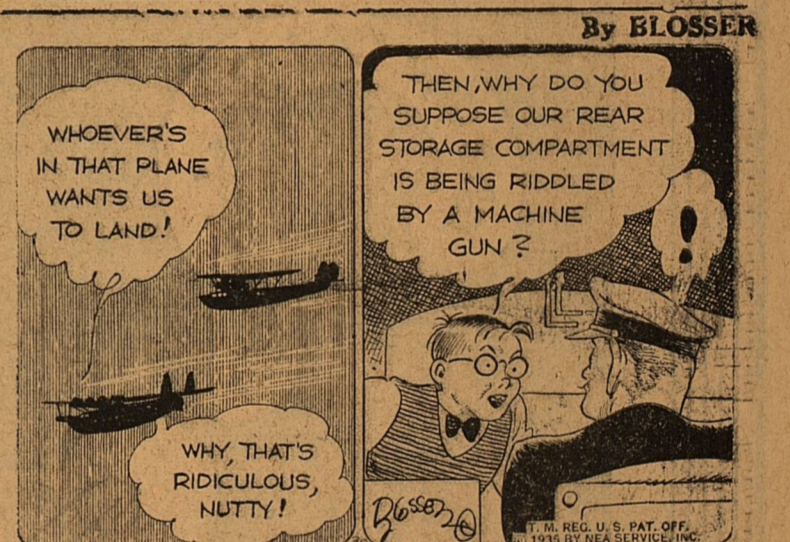
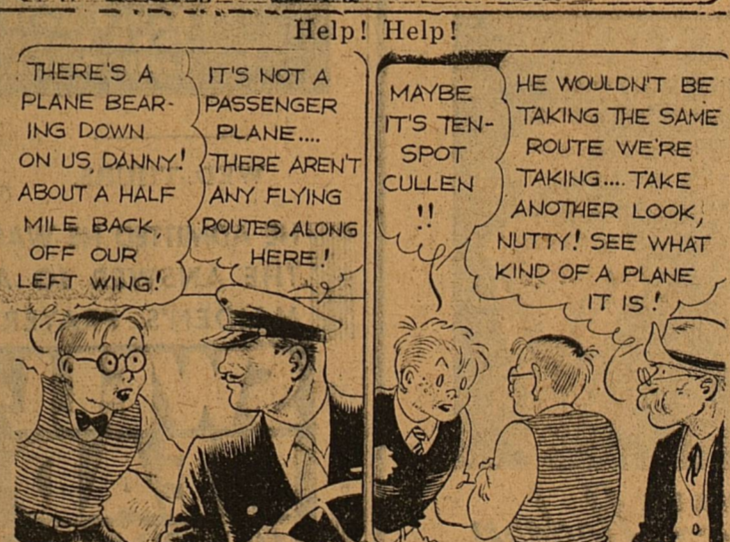
SAM, THIS GENT IS FROM TH' SAFETY FIRST COMMISSION, CHECKIN' UP ON TH' BEACHES! HOP IN AN' PUT ON A LITTLE EXHIBITION FER HIM!



Sam's Act Goes Flat

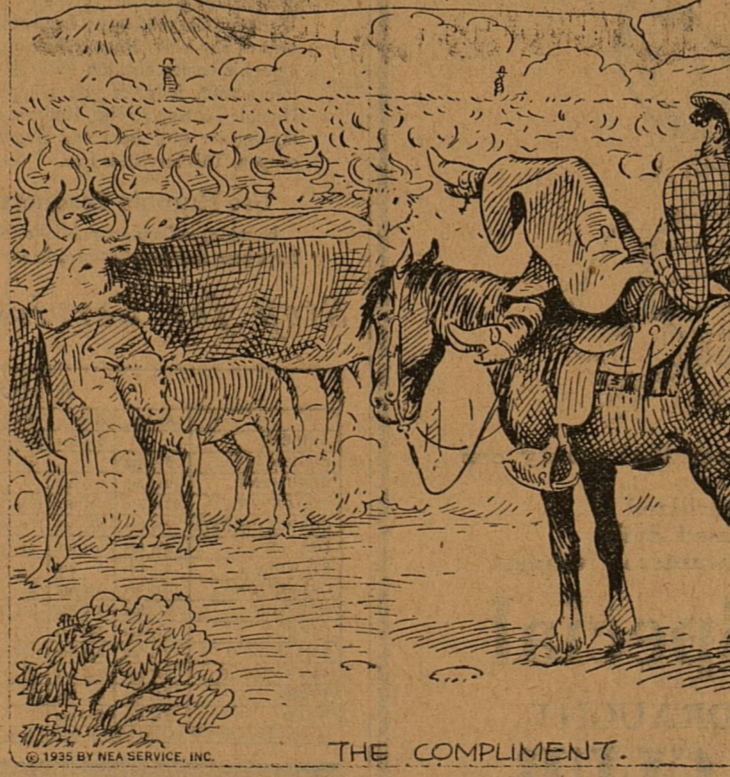


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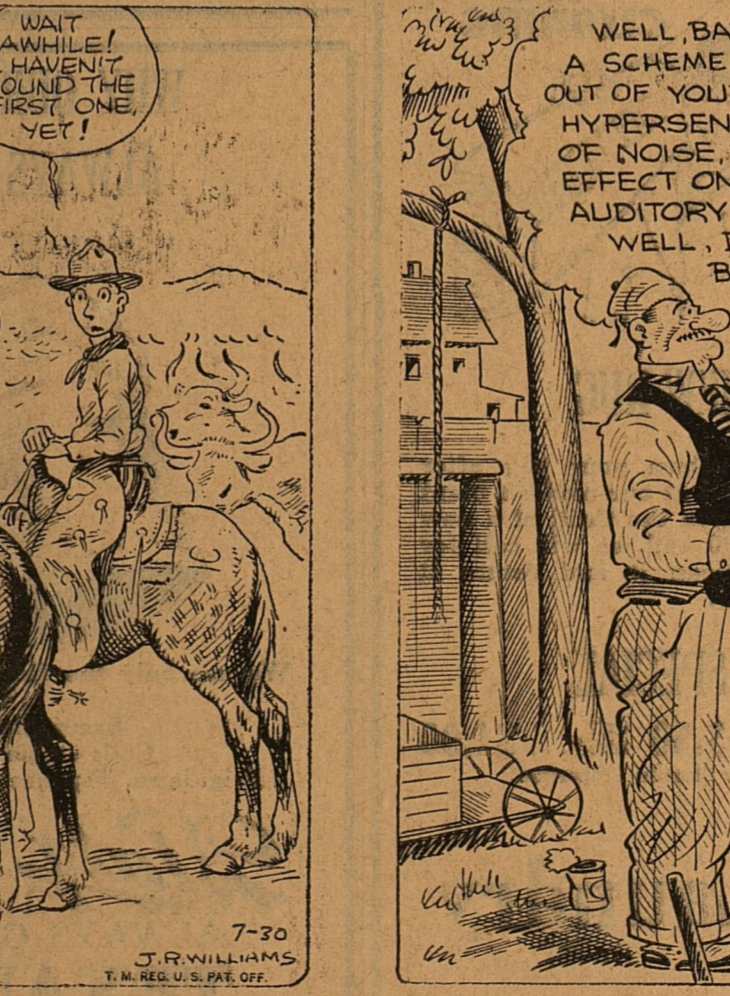


OUT OUR WAY

WES—DO YOU SEE THET NINE-YEAR-OLD COW, WITH A LITTLE DURHAM IN HER, AN' SOME HERFORD, AN' GUBERNSEY, AN' A TETCH O' ANGUS? WELL, SHE'S TH' MAMMY O' THET SIX-YEAR-OLD, THEET LOOKS ALMOST LIKE HER—AN' THET N' IS TH' MAMMY O' THET FOUR-YEAR-OLD THET LOOKS A LOT LIKE BOTH O' 'EM—AN' SHE'S TH' MAMMY O'—



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By AHERN



Flubdubs

On again, off again Finnigan! This time it is the Shaughnessy play-off plan. That is what the softball managers decided in executive session yesterday afternoon.

Today's Market

Table listing market prices for various commodities like American Radiator, American Rolling Mills, Bath Steel, etc.

GULF EASILY DEFEATS CONOCO BY 15-6; SOUTHERN ICE TAKES HARDWARE 11-5

The Southern Ice and the Gulf were easy winners in the softball games played last night when the Ice defeated the Hardware 11 to 5 and the Gulf drubbed Conoco 15 to 6.

bles and one single in four trips up to rate as leading hitter. Cook of the Gulf had a double and two singles for four trips.

SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Table showing softball standings for Gulf, Ice, Hughes, Hardware, Cox Motor, and Conoco.

Hunt Article--

Preacher Rodgers was arrested in Marked Tree and fined \$500 and six months in jail for alleged seditious remarks at a union meeting.

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Tense-ness Apparent

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Underground Union

Then this courageous man who has sacrificed his practice and position to help out the lowly cropper opened up the book of the future.

and sub-dividing them into ten and twenty acre plots for these croppers and tenants. If the Bankhead Bill is passed it will put the great project on a firm basis.

Minnesota Farms Increase

ST. PAUL, (UP)—Minnesota has 10 per cent more farms this year than it had in 1930, Department of Commerce tabulations indicate.

Eyesight Improved in Old Age

MEMPHIS, Tenn., (UP)—Capt. Joseph J. Wolverton, retired Mississippi River captain, is 75 years old. He declared recently that old age had "cured his eyesight."

Use the Classifieds

Regardless of the energy expended in washing dishes clean, a film of grease about one-millionth of an inch thick always remains on each dish.

Correction! The following item in our advertisement yesterday was incorrectly priced at 10¢ a yard. The correct price is 19¢.

GARDEN CLUB MEETS The garden club will hold its regular bi-weekly meeting in the children's library Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

RETURN TO JAL Mrs. Ben Allen, her daughter, Shirley, and Paralee Dickson Manly all of Abilene returned today to Jal, N. M.

FLORISS For All Occasions Buddy's Flowers

Use the Classifieds

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YUCCA LAST DAY MEN IN COOPERS GIGANTIC SPECTACLE CREATION

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