

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with showers in the southwest and north-west portions tonight and Tuesday.

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Prohibition is like a divorce case—both sides are right.—Mabel Walker Willebrandt.

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HEAT WAVE TOLL IS ENORMOUS

No Charges in Slaying of Midland Woman; Man in Jail

CIRCUMSTANCES OF DALLAS SHOOTING MYSTIFY POLICE

ROBBERY THOUGHT A CAUSE

Bodies Found a Half Mile Apart and Hidden

DALLAS, June 29, (UP)—Circumstances surrounding the killing of Pauline Corman, 17, and her escort, Schreiber, 19, of Galveston Sunday today occupied the attention of city and county officers.

The bullet-torn bodies of the two were found concealed in weeds more than a mile apart eight hours after they left the girl's home for a drive.

The rented automobile was found parked on a city street. The back seat was bloodstained.

Robbery seemed to be motive for the murder as Schreiber's pockets were empty. Friends said he had \$25 when he left the hotel to visit the girl.

The girl was shot twice in the right breast and Schreiber once in the left side of the chest.

FALL SESSION LEGISLATURE DEEMED LIKELY

BY GORDON K. SHEARER United Press Staff Correspondent AUSTIN, June 29, (UP).—Provided the situation of the oil industry does not force earlier action, a special session of the Texas legislature is generally looked for this fall—probably in September or October.

Gov. Ross Sterling is too well advised by those politically wise to defer a session until next year if he determines one is necessary at all. A session next year would be necessarily political. Members planning to run for offices in the summer primaries would be on the alert for publicity and other advantages for their prospective races. Also the anti-administration forces would most surely use it to embarrass the administration and the governor, if he seeks re-election.

A fall session is sufficiently ahead of the next political campaign to prevent these inconveniences. The prospect that the governor will direct the legislature to attempt congressional redistricting will give any session plenty of politics.

The belief that there will be a fall session is based on a number of things.

First, it is pretty generally agreed that whatever arrangements now are made regarding the East Texas oil field will be only temporary. When the situation there has been thoroughly thrashed out the state will probably adopt a permanent rule. By fall the legislature will have the advantage of a report from the oil states conference which meets in Denver Aug. 10.

Second, there will begin to be some definite idea of what the state income is going to be. It is admitted at this time that the estimates on income are highly speculative. By fall it will be reasonably apparent what the cigaret tax is going to yield.

Hole-in-one Made in Match Big Spring beat Lamesa Sunday in the Sand Belt Golf association, 27-24, and Dock Aiken shot a hole in one. The golfer rimmed his tee shot on the 14th hole, 90 yards, with a spade mashie.

15 Injured in Fort Worth Hotels in Gas Explosion

How Starr Foretold Death

Handwritten text: "I don't want to be maimed. I want oblivion. If there is an after-life it would be a dirty trick—but I'm sure I'll be without priests and wrong. That is one of those things one knows. Nothing makes any difference now... There is nothing I can do but what I am going to do. I shall never see you again. That is extraordinary. Although I can comprehend it any more than I can comprehend the words—'always'—or 'time'. They produce a very merciful numbness. Starr"

Here is the solution to the mystery of the death of Starr Faithfull, according to authorities who have become convinced that the New York beauty committed suicide. Reproduced above are parts of a letter dated June 4, the day before she disappeared, and received by Dr. G. Jameson-Carr, a ship's surgeon with whom she was acquainted.

REG ROBBINS TO HOP FOR SEATTLE AND OCEAN HOP

FORT WORTH, June 29, (UP).—After dedication ceremonies of Meacham field here this afternoon, Reg Robbins, endurance flyer, and H. S. Jones, oil man, will give their Lockheed plane the last priming before hopping early Tuesday to attempt a non-stop flight from Seattle to Tokio.

Etex Warned by Geologist Today

AUSTIN, June 29, (UP).—Conditions that caused 80 wells in the east Joiner area to cease flowing may spread through the East Texas fields unless operators reduce their takings and cooperatively fight the water encroachment, E. V. Foran, Fort Worth geologist, told the railroad commission here today.

FIVE DIE IN RED RIVER AS LOG OVERTURNS

DEKALE, June 29, (UP).—Five persons were drowned in the Red river north of here Saturday when a log on which they were paddling overturned in 15 feet of water. The dead are: J. S. Simer, 38; Tom Roberts, 26; Mrs. Gladys Roberts, 20; Myrtle Proctor, 20; Joe Bailey Roman, 9.

Fire Destroys Home Today

Fire partially destroyed the stucco residence at 700 West Louisiana owned by Grafa-Garlington this morning at 3 o'clock, the estimated damage being \$4,000.

FORT WORTH, June 29, (UP).—Fifteen persons were injured here early this morning when a gas blast wrecked the Lewallen and Carleton hotels. Every plate glass window in the block was shattered. A pool room, drug store, restaurant and pawn shop were destroyed by fire following the explosion.

MAN SAYS HE KNOWS MURDERER

Sheriff Returns Man Sunday From Jail In Aspermont

Mystery which followed the shooting Friday night of Mrs. Lillie May Buckelew, 25, at her parents' apartment at 111A East Washington had not lifted today. It was said by officers that a Midland man is held in jail but that no charges had been filed against him.

MINISTER IN LAST SERMON; BIG CROWD OUT

Four church congregations united Sunday night to make a large audience to bid farewell to the Rev. George F. Brown as pastor of the First Baptist church. The minister himself preached the sermon.

Capone Given 30-Day Stay

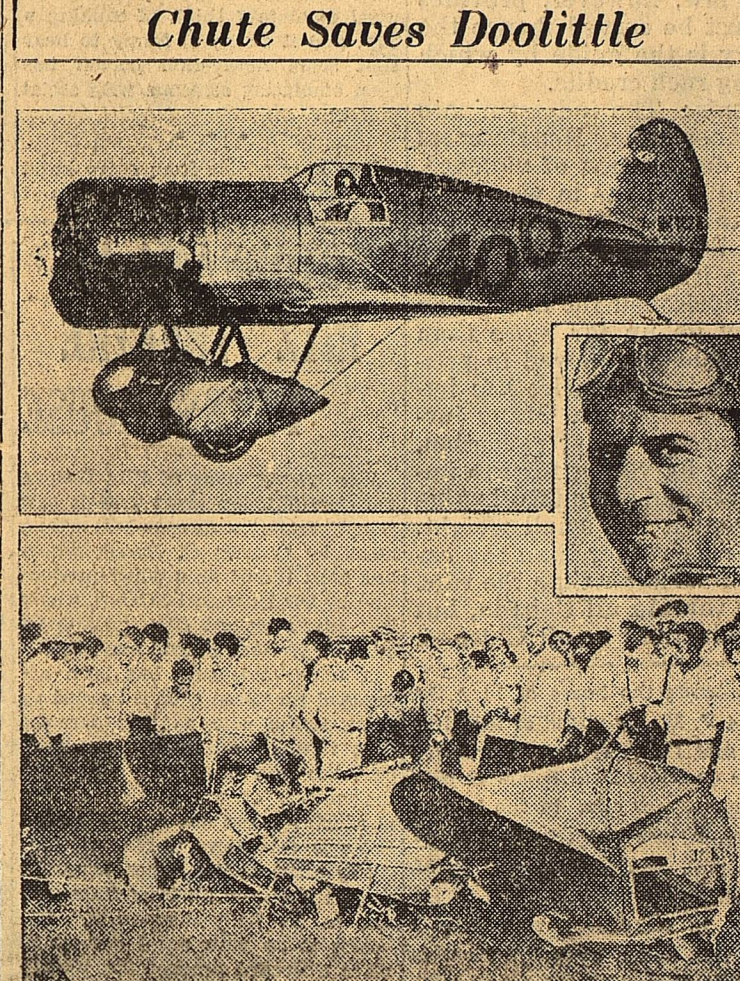
CHICAGO, June 29, (UP).—Scarface Al Capone's attorneys today went before Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson and gained a 30-day delay in sentencing the gang leader to prison on charges of evading tax payment and violating the prohibition law.

Globe Girdlers Off for Alaska

KHABAROVSK, Siberia, June 29, (UP).—Wiley Post and Harold Gatty left here at 6 p. m. (three a. m. Central Standard time) today for Nome, Alaska, 2,300 miles distant, in their monoplane Winnie Mae.

Chute Saves Doolittle

Hair-trigger thinking and a parachute are the only two reasons why Major James H. Doolittle, inset, is alive today. The former ace stunt flyer of the army was roaring along at 235 miles per hour in his new plane, as shown above, at an altitude of 100 over the East St. Louis, Ill., airport when fabric tore loose from the wings. He nosed the ship up sharply to 300 feet, rolled it over onto its back and "bailed out," landing safely while the speedy new plane in which he hoped to set new records, crashed. Wreckage of the ship is shown below surrounded by spectators. Doolittle saved his life once before by leaping, when the wings came off an army plane he was stunting at the national air races in Cleveland in 1929.



There will be a minimum of delay when the horse races are held at Cowboy park July 3 and 4, following a plan agreed upon at a conference of race horse men and Veterans of Foreign Wars officials this morning. Only twenty minutes between races will be allowed and all who are not there with their horses when the race is called will be left out.

Delays Eliminated; Horses Must Be Ready or Not Race

Grantham in Talk To WTCC Board

L. A. Grantham, Midland insurance man with Mims & Crane, addressed the group insurance committee of the West Texas chamber of commerce at Stamford Saturday. He explained the various phases of group insurance. He was accompanied by Mrs. Grantham. Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers also made the trip and Vickers attended a meeting of the advisory board of the West Texas chamber of commerce, of which he is a member representing District 6. John Hendricks, secretary of the board of city development at Sweetwater, who was operating a loud speaker set-up at the Cowboy reunion at Sweetwater, made a complimentary announcement of Midland's July 4 celebration to about 3,000 people.

Mrs. W. A. Hyatt To Open Pagoda

The long hot afternoons will be cooler now, with the announcement of Mrs. W. A. Hyatt that she will open Pagoda pool this week. Grownups and kiddies may splash about in the modern swimming place, lunches may be spread under the cool trees on the soft grass in the adjoining park space, and special rates will be given to morning parties.

Odessa Health Club Progresses

Reporting on the activities of the Ector County Health association, at its regular monthly meeting held in the offices of the chamber of commerce at Odessa, Friday, June 26, Dr. J. K. Wood, chairman of the organization, said that a letter received from Dr. H. N. Barnett of the state health department, indicated the organization as being one of the most active in Texas.

HOTTEST JUNE IN HISTORY

More Than 200 Have Died; Harvest At Night

CHICAGO, June 28, (UP).—The nation's hottest June yet the mercury sizzling in thermometers again today, adding hourly to the toll of more than 200 deaths, thousands of dollars of crop damage and countless prostrations.

Forecasters promised no relief. Heat deaths in the Chicago area alone totaled more than 60. Indiana reported 22, and other states showed a proportionate number of victims.

Oats and other grain crops shriveled under the sun with farmers harvesting by moonlight to escape the heat.

Agricultural experts said corn and other crops were doomed unless rain fell.

Scores of horses died from heat in the mid-west fields. Moisture less than enough required to register fell in Midland Sunday night. Temperature today was much cooler than it has been, a maximum of 80 noted before noon.

Cattle Exchange Fails to Open

Offices of thirteen Midland men were idle today but nothing alarming could be discovered in the shut down. The thirteen cattlemen officing in the First National bank annex on Wall street, with Miss Mary Rameau and office manager, came down to find that the office was closed.

Miss Rameau, unable to find a quorum to announce a business trip to Temple, went on to Temple, exercising her authority as office manager. One by one the cattlemen learned of the shut down. Elliott Cowden was telling a friend of the fact that the office closed and Bill Bryant, one of the men officing there, overheard the conversation, this being his first knowledge of it.

A local business man said he visited the office today but could find no one there with authority. What a slump when the cattlemen's exchange failed to open on time.

McCAMEY, June 29.—Superintendent C. V. Compton of the McCamey schools and Mrs. Compton are in California. They will attend the National Educational association in Los Angeles before returning.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Marry in haste and you may not have any leisure.

Want Ads

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 at noon on week days and 6 p. m. Saturday for Sunday issues.

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WILL trade for light closed car, late model. Apply Reporter-Telegram. 95-3P

SOVIET CIGARETTES

MOSCOW—Individual in everything else, Soviet Russia now comes out with a "Red" cigarette. The smokes are about two inches long and thicker than ordinary cigarettes. They have long mouthpieces of cardboard attached and are to be exported to various countries.

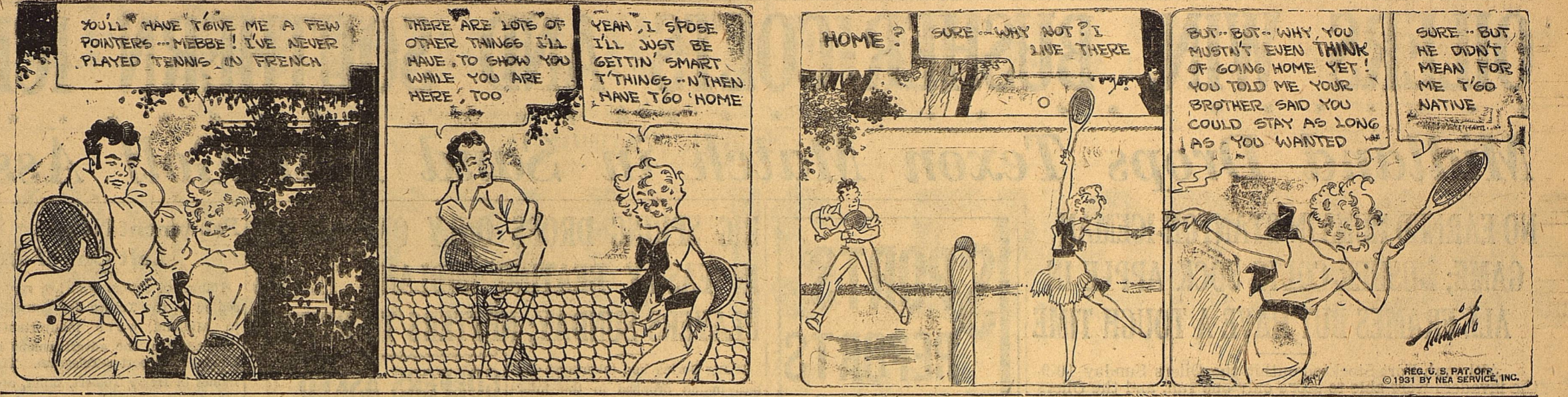
NEW SUGAR PLANT

PARIS.—A new source of sugar has been discovered by French scientists of the French Academy of Science in the "kaabee" plant of Paraguay. It is said this plant contains 300 times more sugar per gram than sugar cane, now the world's chief source of sugar.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Sad, but True!

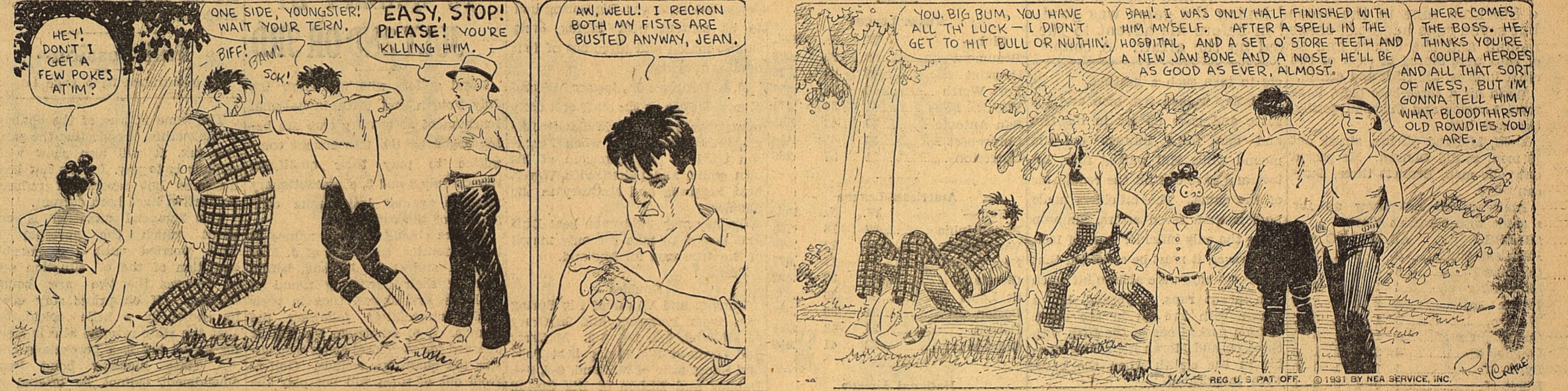
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WASH TUBBS

After the Battle!

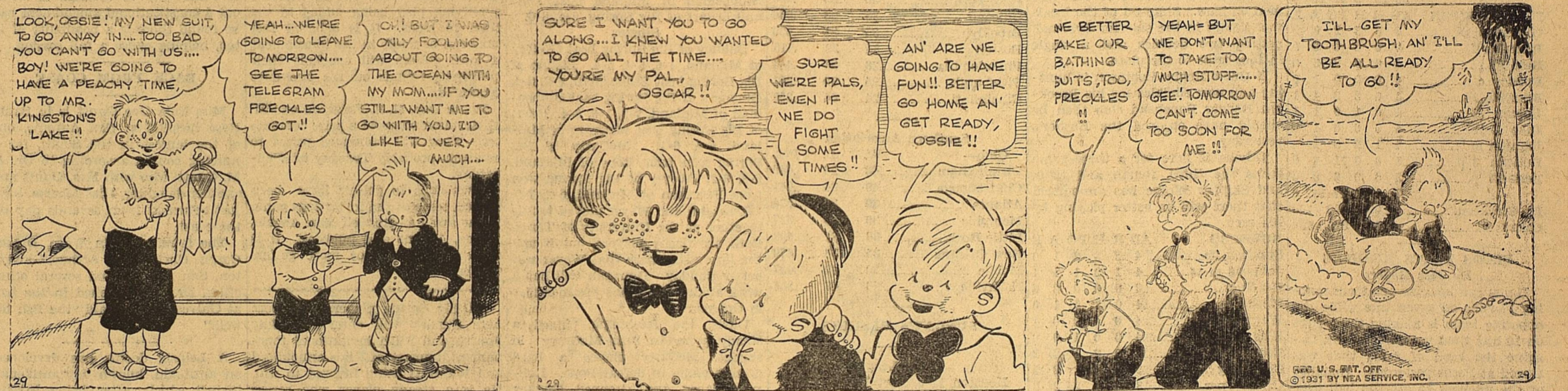
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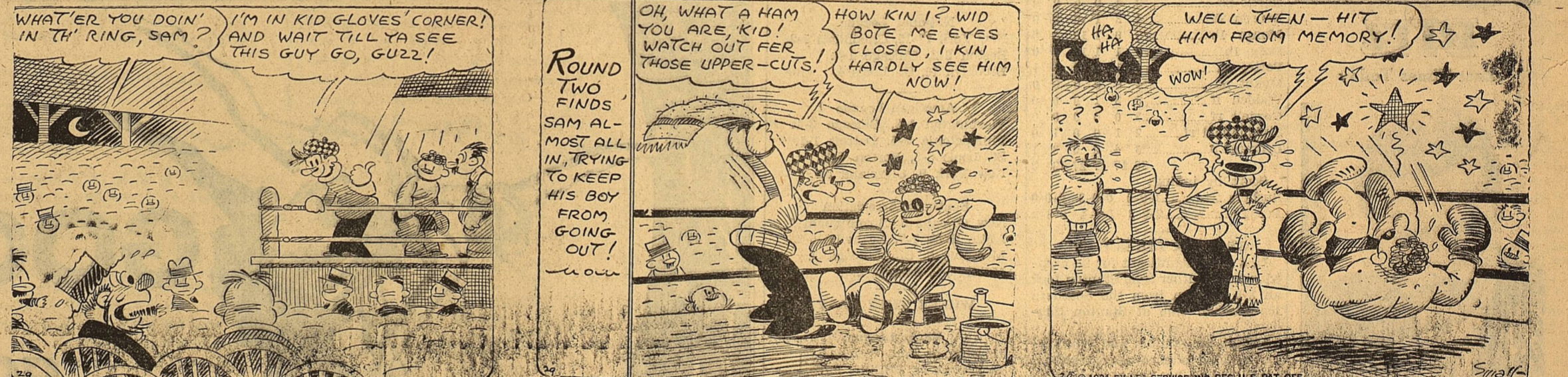
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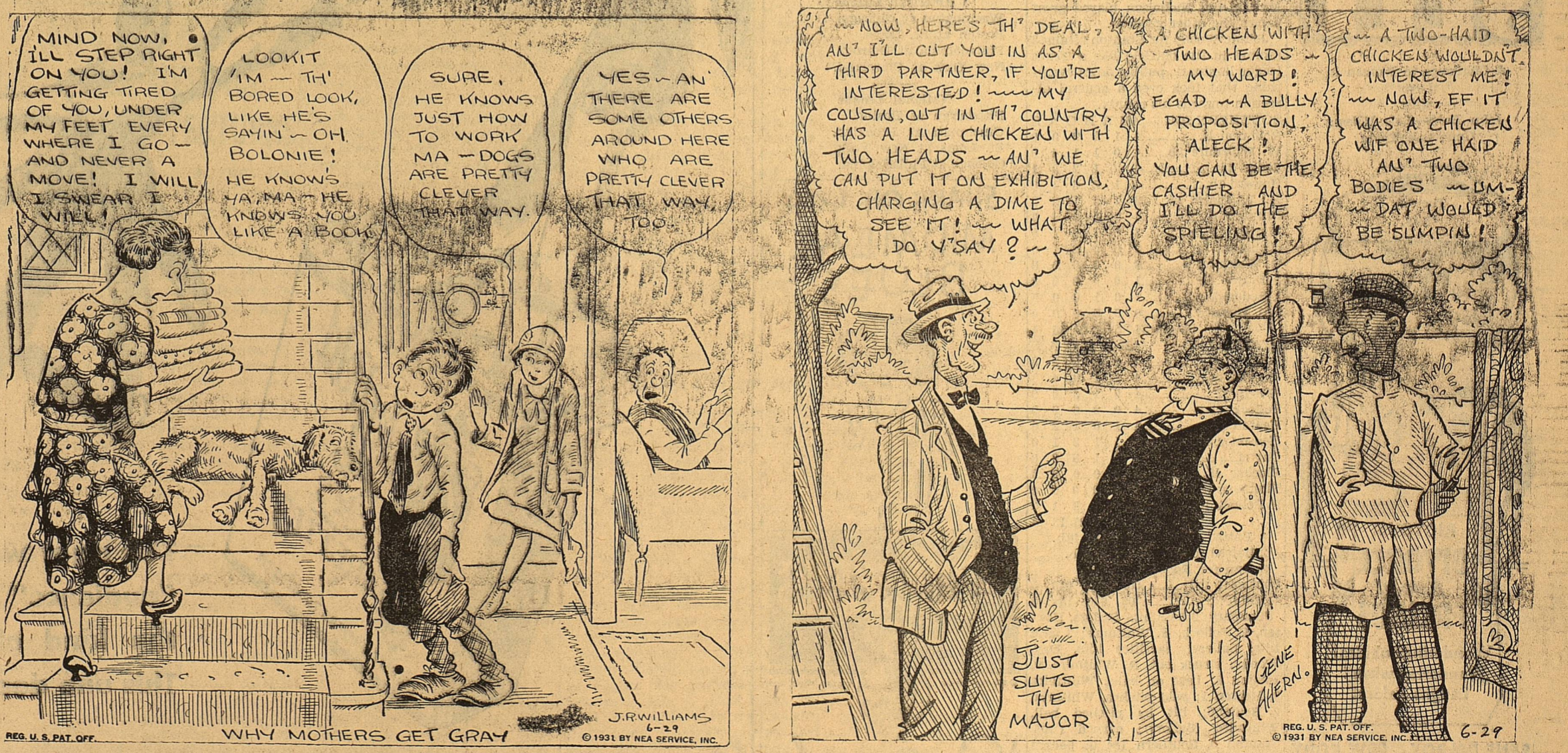
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OUT OUR WAY

By Williams OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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It has startled

THREE continents

TEXAS WILL HAVE IT SOON!

...NOW, HERE'S TH' DEAL, AN' I'LL CUT YOU IN AS A THIRD PARTNER, IF YOU'RE INTERESTED! MY COUSIN, OUT IN TH' COUNTRY, HAS A LIVE CHICKEN WITH TWO HEADS—AN' WE CAN PUT IT ON EXHIBITION, CHARGING A DIME TO SEE IT! WHAT DO Y' SAY?

A CHICKEN WITH TWO HEADS—MY WORD! EGAD—A BULLY PROPOSITION, ALECK! YOU CAN BE THE CASHIER AND I'LL DO THE SPIELING!

A TWO-HEAD CHICKEN WOULDN'T INTEREST ME! NOW, EF IT WAS A CHICKEN WIF ONE HAID AN' TWO BODIES—UM—DAT WOULD BE SUMPIN!

JUST SUITS THE MAJOR

GENE AHERN

