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What Will The Harvest Be—Grain or Men?

The moon gets big and yellow these August nights, and as it drifts above the silent fields it shines down as a token of a new harvest—a sign that once again man has pitted his strength against the stubborn earth and forced it to give him of its plenty.

But the harvest moon has looked down on other things than ripening grain and burdened fruit trees. The human race reaped another kind of harvest, some 22 years ago, and almost died of it; and we never again can come to this month of August without remembering it as the most fateful of anniversaries.

The World War began 22 years ago this month. It was a war to enthrone democracy, and it left us a new kind of autocracy; it was a war to end war, and it left us wondering just how and where the next war will begin.

We cannot let the anniversary pass without considering anew this greatest of all the race's curses.

It was proper that the World War should begin in August. That is the month when men reap what they have sown; and if ever there was a harvest that came directly and logically from what had been planted, it was the harvest of August, 1914.

For the world before 1914 was the kind of world which, in the last analysis, always puts its trust in force. Beneath its fine phrases about civilization, friendship, and harmony, there was always the assumption that in the end the man, the group, or the nation with the most muscle would come out on top.

The plain lesson of modern science, triumphant over distance—that the human race is a unit which must act as a unit to survive—was blandly ignored.

And so the harvest moon of 1914 looked down upon an earth which shook with the thud of guns and the rolling tramp of moving armies. The blind savagery of the dark ages returned to warfare. What we know as civilization built from the blood and toil and dreams of endless centuries came close to utter collapse.

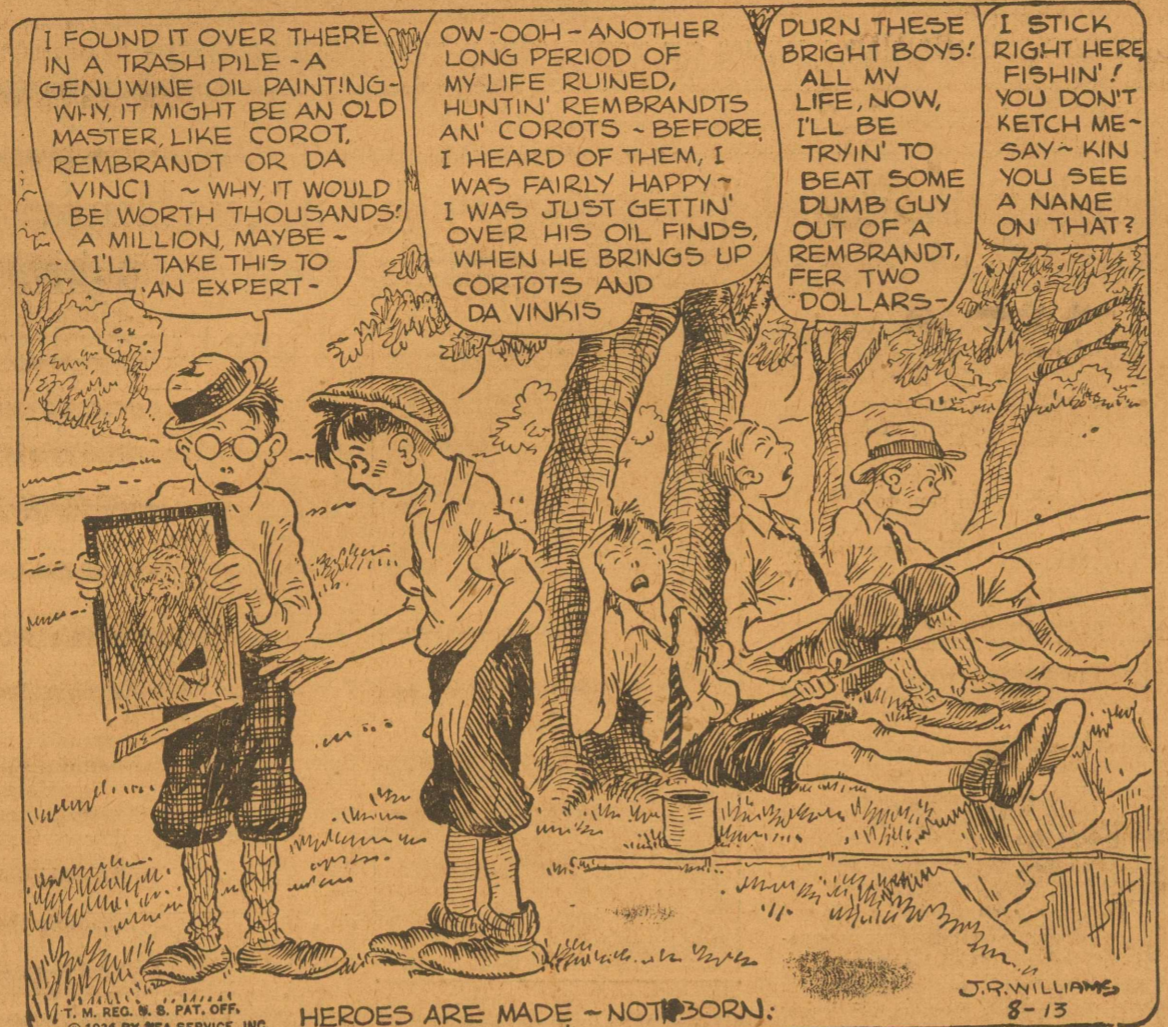
Now we are in a new August, and what is our prospect? We are sowing the same seed that was sown before 1914. Unless we immediately find a new kind, can we possibly hope for a different sort of harvest? Unless we take the pains to build the kind of society in which war is unlikely, can we be surprised if war comes?

We have not long to decide. It may be too late even now—for the fires in Spain may at any moment light a torch that will not be put out. But can any thinking man fail to demand, with all the strength that is in him, that the civilized world make one final, desperate effort to find the way to peace and harmony, regardless of the cost?

There will be a harvest moon next year, and the next, and the next; and what will they look down upon? A quiet and drowsy earth, with swelling fields, lying silent, waiting for the sickle—or an earth made hideous with the sight and sound of brothers at one another's throats?

"OUT OUR WAY"

By Williams



No Weary Mothers On Western Trains

CHICAGO—A whole family, even one of quintuplets, may now tour the North American continent without a sign of a tired mother. More than any other group of travelers, perhaps, women and children are benefitting by the remarkable progress which the Western Railroads are celebrating in their annual observance of "Railroad Week" from July 13th to 18th.

The regulated even temperature of air-conditioned cars, now used on all the principal trains of the western roads, makes a vacation trip cool and comfortable instead of the nightmare it once was for mothers of young children. From midwestern heat and dust, the family may step at once into fresh mountain atmosphere aboard a train, and the relief to fretful children and tired mothers is immediate.

Less Luggage "On our last trip to the coast, three years ago," said one recent passenger, "I changed Jean's dresses at least five times a day. And in spite of that, she looked as if she had just come up from the coal mines, most of the time."

On the same trip this year, both Jean and her younger brother can romp in spotless aisles, press their noses against dustless windows, and manage to stay cleaner than they do at home. The end of an air-conditioned railroad trip finds mother with a much smaller heap of clothes for the laundry, and none of them begrimed by soot.

In planning more comfortable family travel the Western Railroads have added many features to the prime feature of air-conditioning. Special cars on many trains for women passengers. Stewardesses and trained nurses are in attendance on many vacation trains to aid in the care of child travelers. Thus, the mother traveling alone with her children has that precious chance of occasional relief when she can turn her charges over to an experienced nurse.

Many Innovations Large, airy lounges and wash-rooms on Pullmans and coach cars are especially appreciated by mothers who can now wash Johnny's face, comb Mary's hair and change the baby's clothes without having anyone trampled underfoot in the rush.

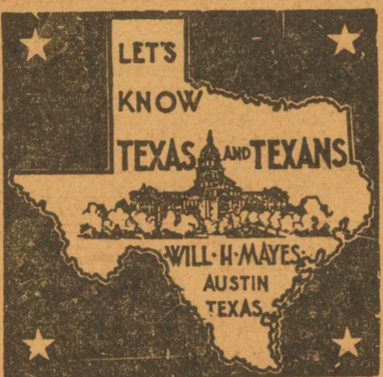
Scientific indirect lighting on both new and rejuvenated old cars makes it possible for Junior to read his absorbing book or to work on his puzzles without a trace of eyestrain.

A special dark blue light is used in coaches at night, so that restful sleep is assured, while the stay-awakes may read under bright individual lights without disturbing any other passenger. Rest lounges in day coaches give mothers an opportunity to arrange an afternoon nap for the younger children, while the older ones play safely in the main car.

At very slight extra cost in Pullmans, a small family group may travel in an airy section with a curtain or Venetian shutters to afford privacy. New built-in steps upper berths make the ascent and descent safe and easy for the tiniest or friskiest young traveler.

New Economics Reduced costs of compartments and drawing-rooms, and the new low-priced bedroom cars make it possible for a whole family to travel in luxurious seclusion at the lowest rates in railroad history. A single bedroom to accommodate an adult and child may be turned into a suite for the larger family by opening the doors which separate connecting bedrooms.

To families traveling on limited budget, the daily meals are an important consideration. Prices here, too, have been drastically cut on the western roads. Restaurant cars attached to tourist Pullmans and



In this column, answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. As evidence of good faith inquirers must give their names and addresses, but only their initials will be printed. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. How did the village of Praha, Fayette county, get its name? E. W. West.

A. The thrifty Czech community first known as Mulberry, received a large contingent of Czechoslovakians between 1950 and 1860 and through their influence the place became known as Praha, for Praha, Bohemia.

Q. Who was the first negro to reach Texas? A. H. Ladonia.

A. "Estebanico," a black Moor, who was shipwrecked with Cabeza de Vaca in 1528.

Q. Were the towns of Texarkana, Texas, and Texarkana, Ark., established at the same time? F. F. Camden, Ark.

A. The first sale of town lots in Texarkana, Texas, was on Dec. 8, 1873, which both cities now recognize as the date of founding. A town lot sale was held in January, 1874. The Texas city was incorporated in 1874, the Arkansas city in 1880.

Q. Was the building we call the Alamo the main part of the old Spanish mission or was it just the church of the Mission? G. B., Edinburg.

A. The fort, where the main battle was fought, was inside the walls of the church structure, that is now generally recognized as the Alamo. An effort is now being made, led by Miss Adina de Zavala—grand-daughter of the first vice president of the Republic of Texas, to restore the walls of the old fort.

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BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE Standing of the Teams Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct. Includes teams like Dallas, Houston, Oklahoma City, etc.

Yesterday's Results Table with columns for Team, Score, Location. Includes results for Fort Worth 2-3, Beaumont 0-6, etc.

Today's Schedule Table with columns for Team, Location. Includes Fort Worth at Beaumont, Dallas at San Antonio, etc.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Standing of the Teams Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct. Includes teams like St. Louis, Chicago, New York, etc.

Yesterday's Results Table with columns for Team, Score, Location. Includes results for St. Louis 5, Chicago 3, etc.

Today's Schedule Table with columns for Team, Location. Includes Philadelphia at New York, Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, etc.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Standing of the Teams Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct. Includes teams like New York, Cleveland, Chicago, etc.

Yesterday's Results Table with columns for Team, Score, Location. Includes results for Boston 6-0, Philadelphia 4-6, etc.

Today's Schedule Table with columns for Team, Location. Includes Detroit at Cleveland, New York at Philadelphia, etc.

Life of the Saint Of the Day

By REV. S. E. BYRNE

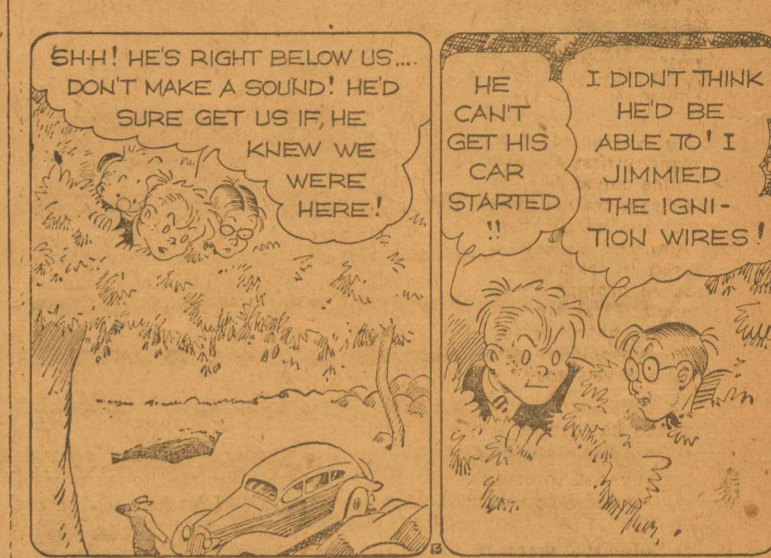
St. Radegundes was the daughter of a king of Thuringia who was assassinated by his brother. A war ensuing, Radegundes, at the age of twelve, was made prisoner and carried captive by Clotaire, King of Soissons, who had her instructed in the Christian religion and baptized. The great mysteries of our Faith made such an impression on her tender soul that she gave herself to God with her whole heart, and desired to consecrate to Him her virginity. She was obliged at last, however, to yield to the king's wish that she should become his wife. As a great queen, she continued no less an enemy to sloth and vanity than she was before, and divided her time chiefly between her oratory, the Church, and the care of the poor. Clotaire was at first pleased with her devotions and allowed her full liberty in them, but afterwards used frequently to reproach her for her pious exercises. See-

MARKETS

By United Press Closing Selected New York

Stocks Table listing various companies and their prices, including Allied Stores, Am Can, Am P & L, etc.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS-By Blosser



Amateur Astronomer Makes His Telescope

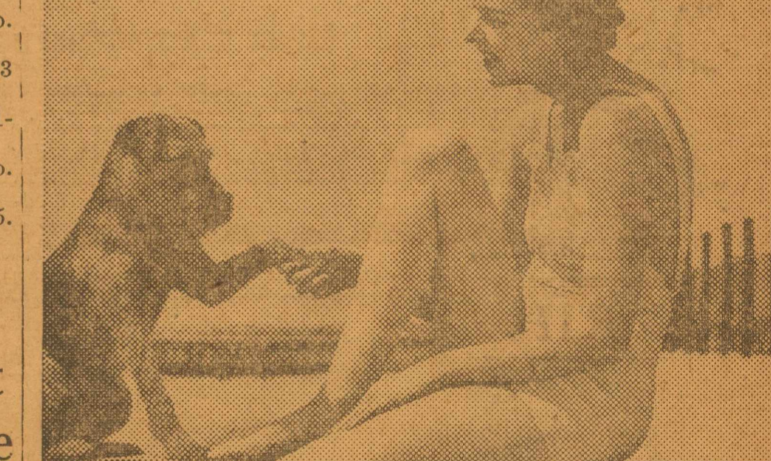
FLORENCE, Colo.—Severino Cornella, this town's only astronomer, has constructed a 58-inch focal length telescope from automobile parts through which ridges and craters in the moon are plainly visible. Cornella built the telescope in his spare time. When the barrel is horizontal, the instrument stands five feet high.

sold at least 20 carloads more mules, mares and horses than were offered.

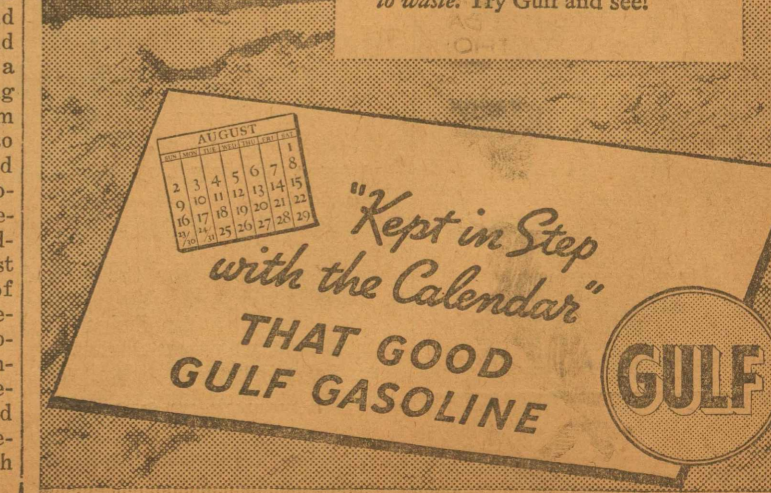
All buyers are being notified that the regular sale will be held next Saturday and the commission company expects no trouble in disposing of all stock brought to this week's sale. Brisk business in all branches and grades is reported.

At the homes of certain acquaintances, it does no good to bring the conversation around to the drought situation. They never take the hint.

Why Gulf is the Gas for August



WHY NOT BEAT AUGUST HEAT by driving someplace for a swim? And if you want to keep your gas bills down, don't forget you need a fuel with a formula that fits hot weather. Otherwise your gas doesn't burn completely—part of it escapes through the exhaust unburned, wasted. Stick to that Good Gulf in August—it's "Kept in Step with the Calendar"—specially refined for summer driving. All of it goes to work, none of it goes to waste. Try Gulf and see!



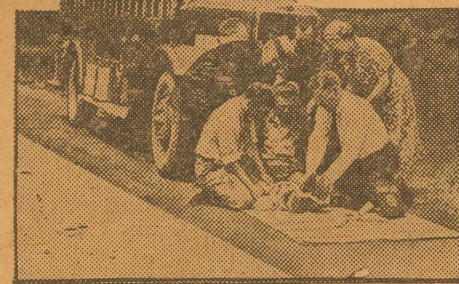
Old Amphitheater

Word puzzle section including a crossword grid and a list of clues for both horizontal and vertical words.

### Motorized Units and Highway Posts Give Red Cross First Aid to Injured



ABOVE LEFT: Passing motorists report highway accident to nearby emergency first aid station. Note police car at left, its driver a Red Cross trained first aider—one of the mobile first aid units organized to enable persons injured in traffic accidents to receive prompt emergency treatment. First aid stations and highway patrol bridge the gap between accident and arrival of a physician.



ABOVE RIGHT: Trained personnel of highway first aid stations know what to do when an emergency arises. A quick call for ambulance or doctor is made possible by an up-to-date list of nearby hospitals and physicians. LEFT: Many first aid posts are established at rural fire stations, whose trucks serve as mobile first aid units when a crash occurs some distance from the station.

THE Red Cross has forged a new link in its chain of highway first aid stations established to bring immediate emergency care to roadside crash victims. Thirty-two Delaware state highway maintenance trucks comprise the first unit of the Red Cross motorized highway patrol, organized to complement the organization's emergency highway first aid stations. It is planned to equip and give first aid training to the crews of several thousand trucks of state highway and public utility groups, since these vehicles are constantly on

duty on the nation's traffic arteries. Numerous groups in a number of states are now prepared to launch similar highway patrols under Red Cross jurisdiction, and the highway police of eight states have finished Red Cross first aid training and will soon augment these mobile units. National Safety Council figures show that last year motor accidents claimed 37,000 lives. This appalling total would have been less if more of the victims had received emergency treatment at the scene of accident while the doctor was on the way.

The Red Cross has already established 900 highway emergency first aid stations on through routes in rural areas, and an additional 3,500 will soon be in operation. The well-meaning but helpless bystander at the scene of accident will be replaced by the first aider, trained to splint fractures, stop bleeding and treat for shock. The American Red Cross dedicates its first aid posts and mobile units to the motorist of today and tomorrow who may be injured at a point where medical attention can not be immediately secured.

### Floral Wreath Of Incas Found

By United Press  
BERKELEY, Cal.—Machu Picchu, the only city of the ancient Incas that was not destroyed by Pizarro, still yields rare botanical findings, according to Dr. T. H. Goodspeed, director of the Botanical Gardens of the University of California.

As the result of a trip made to the Andes last year, some members of which have still remained behind and revisited the ruins of Machu Picchu over 5,000 specimens of floral growth and tobacco plant have been obtained and sent to the University of California.

Some of these already are growing in the botanical gardens of the university and samples of nearly all have been sent to Harvard Uni-

versity for further assistance in identification. Machu Picchu, the ancient Incas city from which many of these plants and flora came, is situated near the summit of the Peruvian mountain on which the Incas believed the sun remained chained during the day time.

It was discovered in 1912 by a Yae expedition under Hiram Bingham. With the exception of the missing thatch roofs, the ruins were in a state of perfect preservation. Its isolation is supposed to have been due to the fact that the Incas regarded the city as a place of refuge, and it is presumed a number of them assembled there to avoid Pizarro's flaming progress.

Members of the present botanical expedition found the city almost as rich in botanical findings as the first expedition did in historical remains.

Near the city were found specimens of the famous caecolaria,

growing to a height of 9 feet, with enormous flowers and leaves. In its known garden forms, the plant rarely attains a height of more than 2 feet.

A rare orchid specimen also was found growing in an exposed position on the bare, granite slopes of the city, where usually the orchid is a parasitic growth on another plant.

Efforts will be made to cultivate both in California.

### MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief Of Pain

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are one of Nature's chief ways of taking the acids and waste out of the blood. If they don't pass 3 pints a day and so get rid of more than 3 pounds of waste matter, your 15 miles of kidney tubes may need flushing.

If you have trouble with frequent bladder passages with scanty amount which often smart and burn, the 15 miles of kidney tubes may need flushing out. This danger signal may be the beginning of nagging backache, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness.

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### WHEAT CRISIS FACED

By United Press  
CAPE TOWN—A collapse of the wheat industry in South Africa before the end of the year is feared by millers and growers unless the government intervenes. The Union has a wheat surplus of 1,500,000 bags.

### ABORIGINAL TWINS BORN

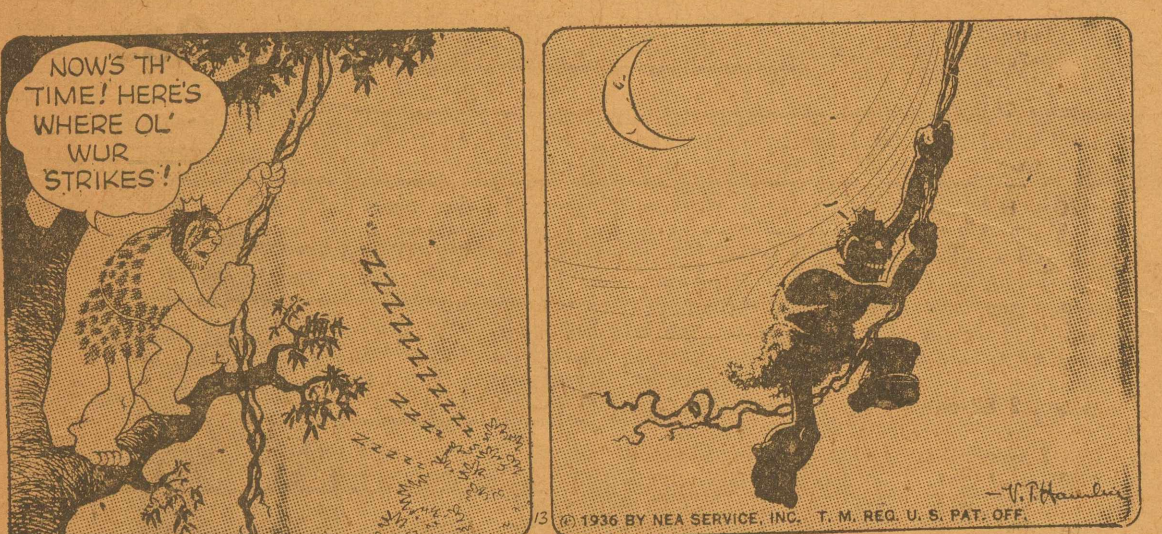
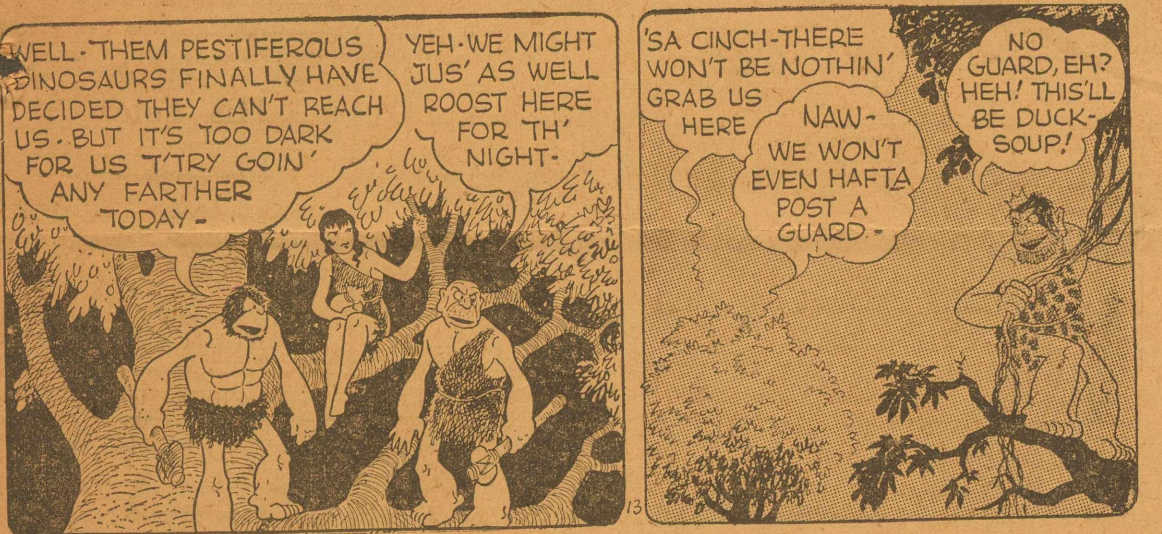
By United Press  
BRISBANE—The pride of the Weipa Mission Station, on the Gulf of Carpentaria, are the "Coconut twins." These two black babies are the first full-blooded aboriginal twins to be born in Australia in many years.

### YANKEE TRADING NOT DEAD

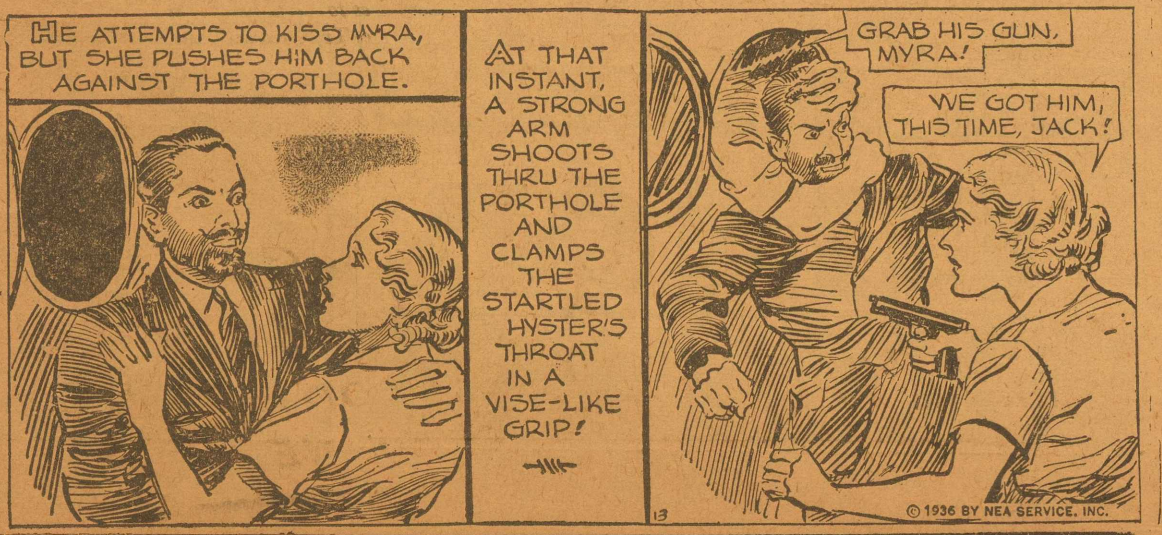
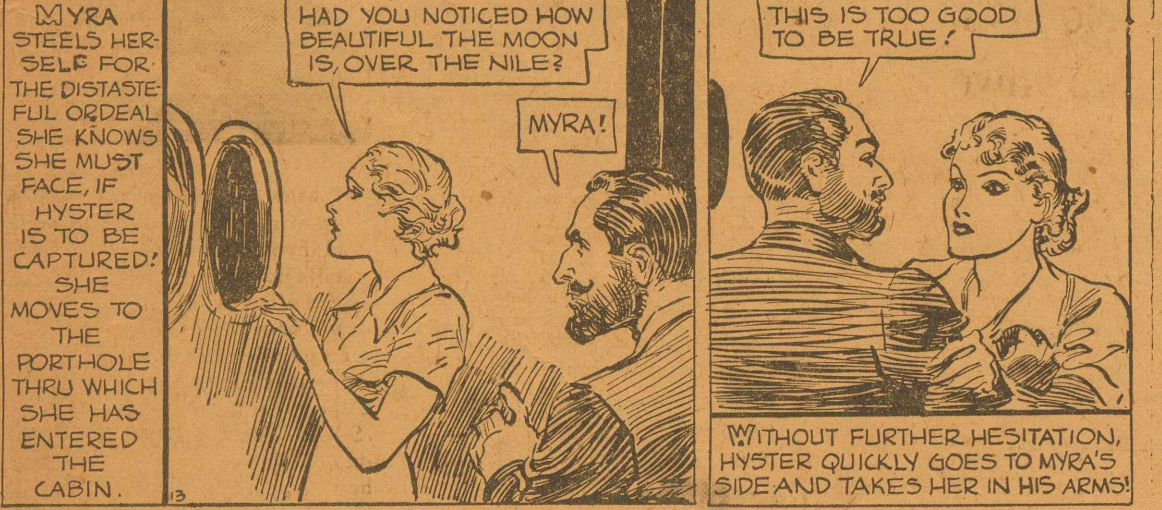
By United Press  
NEW BRITAIN, Conn.—The park department had two horses but needed a truck. Through a bit of "Yankee trading," a swap was arranged with a resident and the department got its truck without paying anything to boot.

### ALLEY OOP

By HAMLIN



### MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll



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