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GOD SOMETIMES OVERRULES MAN'S MADNESS; PRAY FOR PEACE IN THE HEARTS OF ALL MEN: Except those days should be shortened, there should be no flesh saved but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.—Matt. 24:22.

Official "Good Humor Month" In Germany



Let's Not Wait Too Long

The demand for a second front against Germany, on the European continent, is mounting constantly throughout the United Nations.
There are millions, literally, who agree heartily with Lord Beaverbrook's passionate exhortation: "Strike out to help Russia. Strike out violently. Strike even recklessly."

Sugar Ration Card Use Explained; How It Affects Families, Others

Beginning May 5, Tuesday, a consumer who has a sugar ration book may purchase 1 pound of sugar with the first stamp that he has, between and including the dates May 5 to 16. The next stamp will entitle him to 1 pound, between and including the dates May 17 and May 30; others will follow at the same intervals.

Mayor Proclaims Employment Week

Mayor M. C. Ulmer has issued a proclamation for National Employment Week, which ends Saturday. The American Legion has designated this week National Employment Week.
The proclamation follows: "Whereas, the week of May 3 to 9, inclusive, has been designated by the American Legion as National Employment Week, in an effort to call the attention of the public to the need of training older workers, so that they may be able to take their proper places in war industries, and

Camel Caravan Will Present Program At Bombardier College

"The Camels are coming, hurry, hurry!" That's the time you'll hear when the Camel Caravan Grand Ole Opry unit, rolls into Midland Army Flying School Saturday.
Bearing a bus-load of gags, girls, fun and frolic, the Camel Caravan will present a show designed expressly for the entertainment of service men.

Bath Tubs--

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of wholesalers, distributors, jobbers, retailers and their employes.
The consuming public was warned against receiving articles known to have been produced in violation of the order. Violation was made a crime, punishable by fine or imprisonment.
Durable Goods Hit
The order was regarded as a knockout blow to the durable goods industry. Any plant that cannot shift to the manufacture of war materials must shut down. There were some exceptions, such as the making of certain articles needed for repair or maintenance work, hospital equipment, etc., but the over-all effect was to ban the manufacture of such common products as bath tubs, cash registers, cigarette lighters, mail boxes, fountain pens, pie plates, waste baskets, tea pots, swivel chairs, slide fasteners, voting machines, and all novelties and souvenirs and Christmas tree ornaments.

Crude Output Down Heavily For Week

TULSA (AP)—Daily crude oil production in the United States declined 246,310 barrels to 3,345,835 for the week ended May 2, the lowest level since the first week in December, 1939, the Oil and Gas Journal said Tuesday.
Texas production was down 222,050 to 896,500; East Texas 79,450; California, 23,500 to 621,750; Illinois, 3,040 to 294,935; Eastern Fields 2,450 to 177,300; and Louisiana, 3,190 to 314,346.
Rocky Mountain States production increased 3,140 to 122,540; Michigan, 2,400 to 63,200; Oklahoma, 3,900 to 404,650, and Kansas, 2,100 to 255,300.

Perhaps the experts are right. Nevertheless, there are major arguments strongly in favor of the more daring course.
The decision must rest upon whether the best-informed strategians conclude that our striking power—and our ability to transport that strength to where it is needed—can be expanded by further delay more than Hitler's defensive resources will be increased in the meanwhile.
In all probability the United States today can equip as many well-trained troops as there will be shipping to carry to Europe for a long time to come.
If we intend to take the war to Germany, we mustn't wait too long.
We can't win by slapping the Axis wrist.
—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Remember Corregidor

After more than 250 Japanese air raids, Old Glory still flies over Corregidor, and the little brown men are deprived of the use of Manila harbor against us.
Some of the drama went out of the Philippine epic when Bataan fell. But over there, on an island rock, Americans still defy the Japs to do their worst. While we remember Pearl Harbor and Bataan, let's not forget the heroes of Corregidor.

WAR QUIZ

- 1. This flag, blue stripe, white stripe, blue stripe, with a wreath in the white stripe, is that of a Latin American country which has recently granted the United States an air base. Name the country?
2. Is John Curtin prime minister of Canada, Australia, or South Africa?
3. Why has the great self-governing Dominion of Canada declined to send any troops to hard-pressed Australia?
Answers on Classified Page
The Palace of the Governors in Santa Fe, now a museum, was built in 1610 and served as a seat of government nearly 300 years.
of our total manpower to the end that all who have skills will be properly registered with the United States Employment Service for assignment to war industries, and those who lack skills can receive proper training.
"M. C. ULMER."

Protest Moving Oil When Refinery Need Is Not Satisfied

KILGORE (AP)—The Independent Oil Refining Company of Arp is protesting granting of any oil tenders to move oil out of East Texas until demands of refineries for crude are met.
The protest was under provisions of a nine-year-old order of the Texas Railroad Commission providing "that no oil shall be permitted to be transported out of any field or pool in Texas unless and until local refinery consumptive demands shall have been supplied out of local production of field or pool if said local production is sufficient to satisfy local consumptive demand."
The Tender Board approved tender applications for approximately 750,000 barrels of crude for several firms, including major companies, at Monday's special hearing. The Arp refinery made its first protest last Saturday.

Selective Service Men Should Adjust Business

AUSTIN (AP)—Selective service registrants should await actual induction into the Army before making final disposition of financial and personal affairs.
That's the advice of General J. Watt Page, state selective service director, who assures registrants they will be permitted ample time to return home and adjust such affairs shortly after induction.



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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

At the new Carolina Piedmont Tournament at Greensboro, N. C., Mrs. A. M. Sobel of New York and Capus Waynick of High Point, N. C., won the mixed pair event. Mrs. Capus Waynick, playing with Peter A. Leventritt of New York, finished a mere one and one-half points behind them. Mrs. Waynick was gratified, however, with the result on

Leventritt	♠A973	♥A5	♦8	♣K107542
Mrs. Waynick	♠K2	♥KQJ108743	♦K7	♣A
South	1♥	2♠	3♦	4N.T. Pass
North	1♠	2♥	3♣	5♣
West	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
East	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠Q.

one hand in which she and Leventritt reached a small slam. On checking the scores later, she discovered they were the only pair in the room to play the hand at no trump rather than at the indicated heart contract.

The four no trump by Mrs. Waynick was a blackwood bid, asking for an ace-showing response, and the five-heart bid indicated two aces. In deciding to bid six no trump, Mrs. Waynick took account of the free bid by Leventritt, which ought to show the king of clubs at least, besides the two aces. Hence, even if the heart ace was held adversely, North and South had double stoppers in every other suit and would be able to clear the hearts in time.

Midland Police Recover Stolen Automobile

Midland Police recovered a stolen automobile and arrested the driver here Monday shortly after police radio broadcast listed the car as stolen.

The car, a 1940 model Pontiac, was stolen in Corpus Christi Sunday. The driver is held in the city jail here, awaiting transfer to Corpus Christi to face charges of automobile theft.

Two Piece Fashion



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Madagascar--

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fect it from attack by any one of the Axis powers, any warlike act permitted by the French government against the government of Great Britain or the government of the United States would, of necessity, have to be regarded by the government of the United States as an act upon the United Nations as a whole.

The occupation was in line with President Roosevelt's warning April 28 that the United Nations would take whatever measures necessary to prevent the Axis from using Vichy territory as bases.

It demonstrated the hardening of Washington's attitude since Laval's appointment as chief of government on April 14.

VICHY (AP)—Jules Brevie, secretary of state for colonies in the Laval government, declared Tuesday that the Vichy forces on Madagascar were resolved to defend the island against the British occupation expedition and saluted the "valiant troops guarding the honor of the flag" there.

Brevie's statement was the first official Vichy reaction to the British-American announcements that British forces had been landed on the strategic French island in the Indian Ocean.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"So my neighbor's chickens can admire my victory garden without coming over!"

SIDE GLANCES



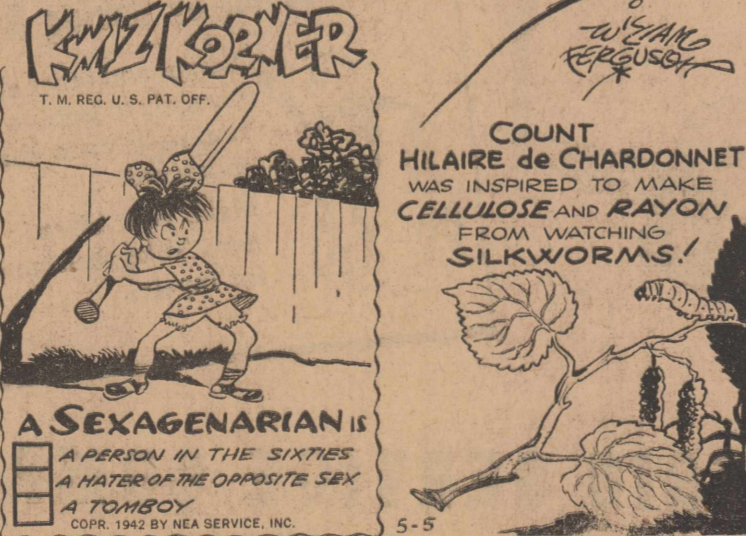
"That new kid across the street was bragging about how tough his father was, but he certainly shut up when I told him you used to be a wild man in the circus!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



... AND OUR LITTLE TOES, BEING ALMOST USELESS, ARE GETTING SMALLER!



ANSWER: A person in the sixties. NEXT: Can you see a vitamin?

Our Boarding House

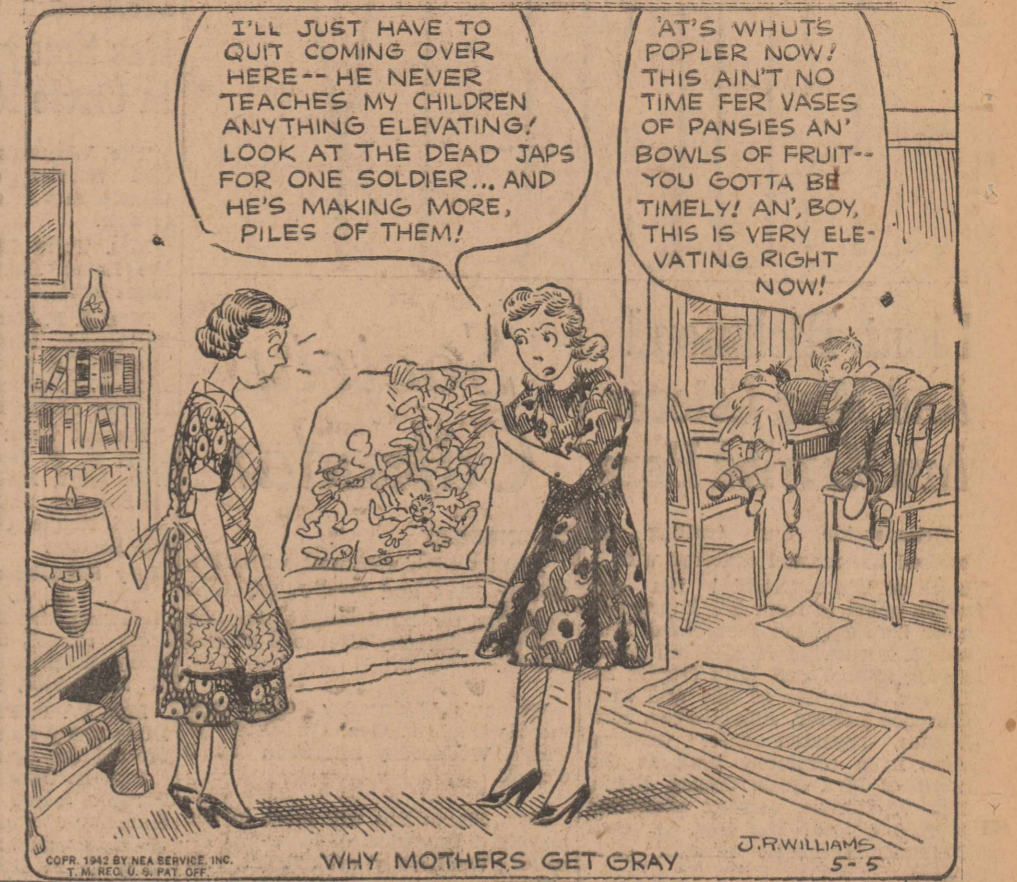
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Out Our Way

By J. R. Williams

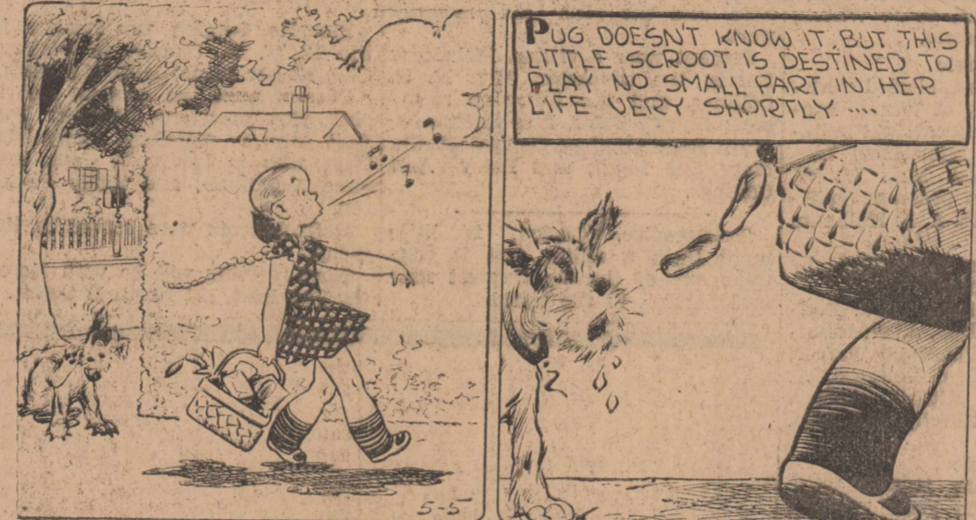


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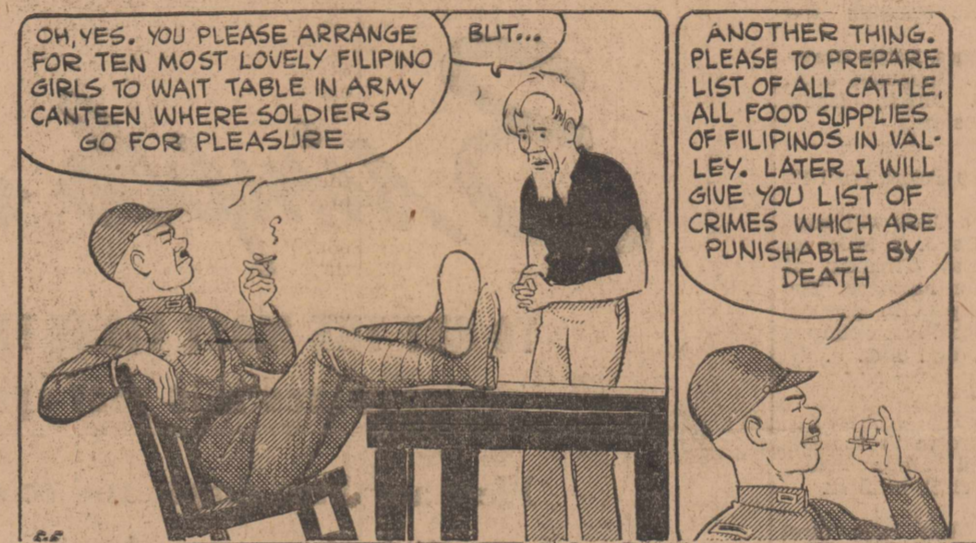


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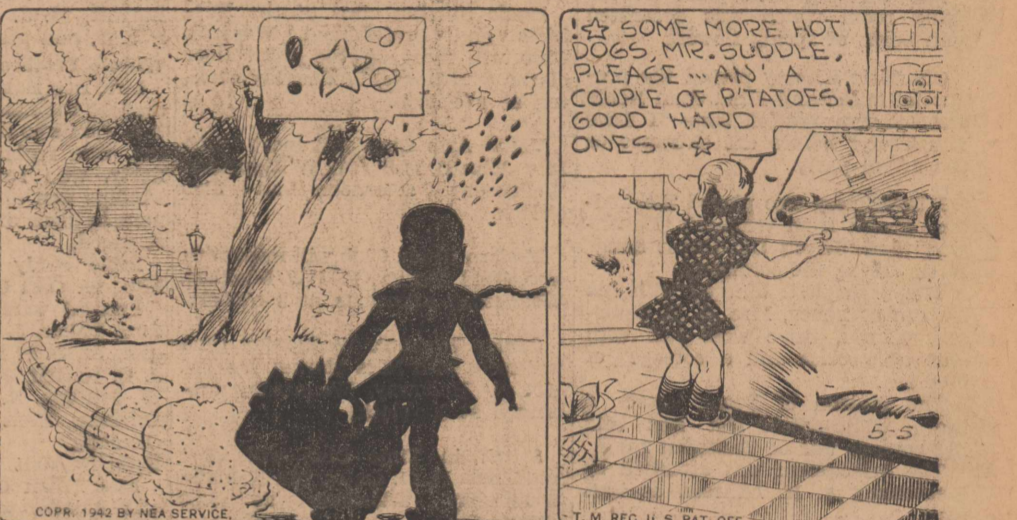
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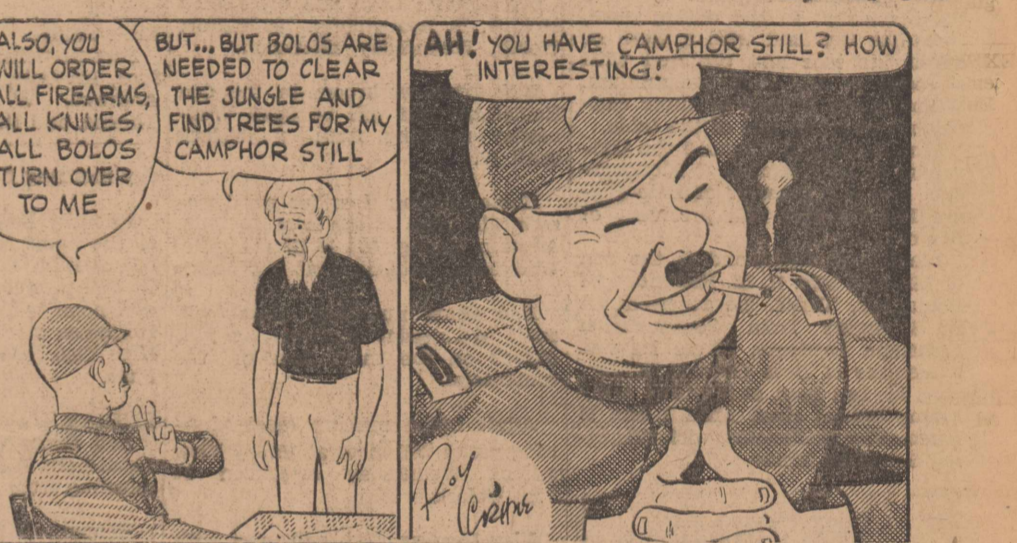
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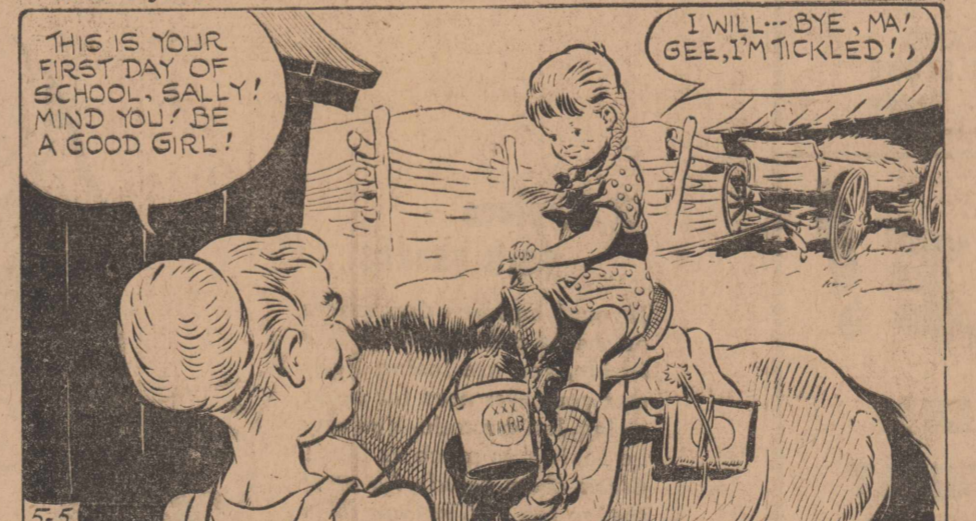


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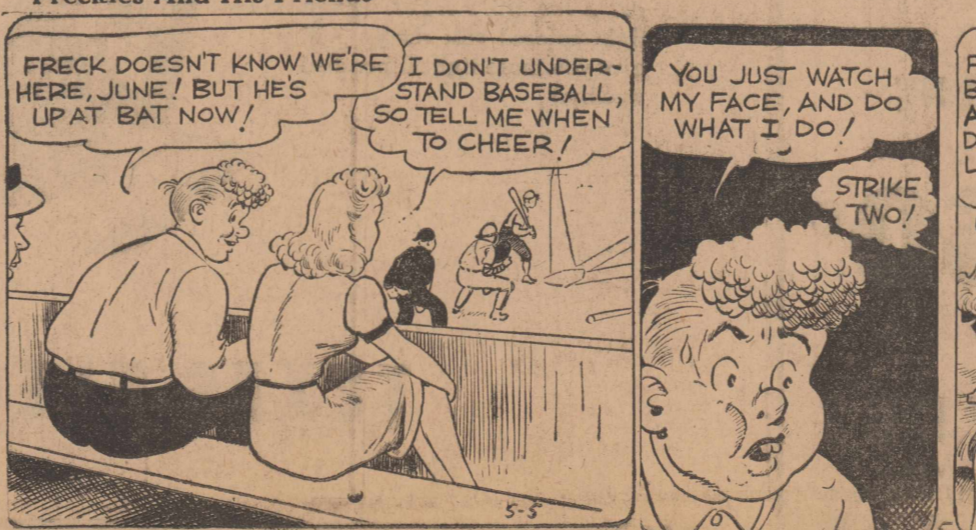
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Red Ryder



Freckles And His Friends



By Fred Harman



By Merrill Blosser

