





**Rationing Of Food Giving Departments Grievous Worries**

By Ovid A. Martin  
WASHINGTON (AP)—To ration or not to ration. That is the question government food officials are afraid may stir up a debate more heated than that being waged over limitations on gasoline.

For weeks the Department of Agriculture and its spokesmen have been warning that the nation faces shortages in many important foods. Some of those shortages, they say, are beginning to show up now.

Yet only sugar and coffee have been rationed.

The War Production Board has instructed the office of Price Administration, the government's civilian rationing agency, to work out plans for meat rationing.

But even more critical shortages are said by the Agriculture Department to be developing in the case of butter, cheese, fluid and evaporated milk, and other classes of dairy products. Supplies of cooking fats and vegetable oils are said by the same agency to be insufficient to provide civilians with all they would buy.

Further, the department is not so sure that farmers will be able to meet civilian demands for potatoes, fresh and canned vegetables, and fruits.

The question of rationing is raised as farmers complete the harvest of the largest production of crops on record. The output of milk will top all previous marks. So will livestock slaughter.

Why, then, should there be shortages? The answer is this: The demand for food has outstripped production, the Agriculture Department says. Requirements of the Nation's Armed Forces and its Allies receiving lend-lease aid took about 13 per cent of this year's food supply. Next year those requirements may take from 20 to 25 per cent.

The demand of civilians has been increasing, too. The Agriculture De-

**MIND Your MANNERS**

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below.

1. Should you hang up your own clothes when you are a guest in a hotel, or strew them all over the room and expect the maid to hang them up?

2. If you stop at a small hotel and fine the service is not as good as in the large hotels, should you complain about it?

3. If you are stopping in a hotel, should you use a typewriter late at night?

4. When you leave a hotel, should you take all the writing paper from the desk?

5. If a clerk in a store offers to wait on you and you do not want anything should you say, "No thank you?"

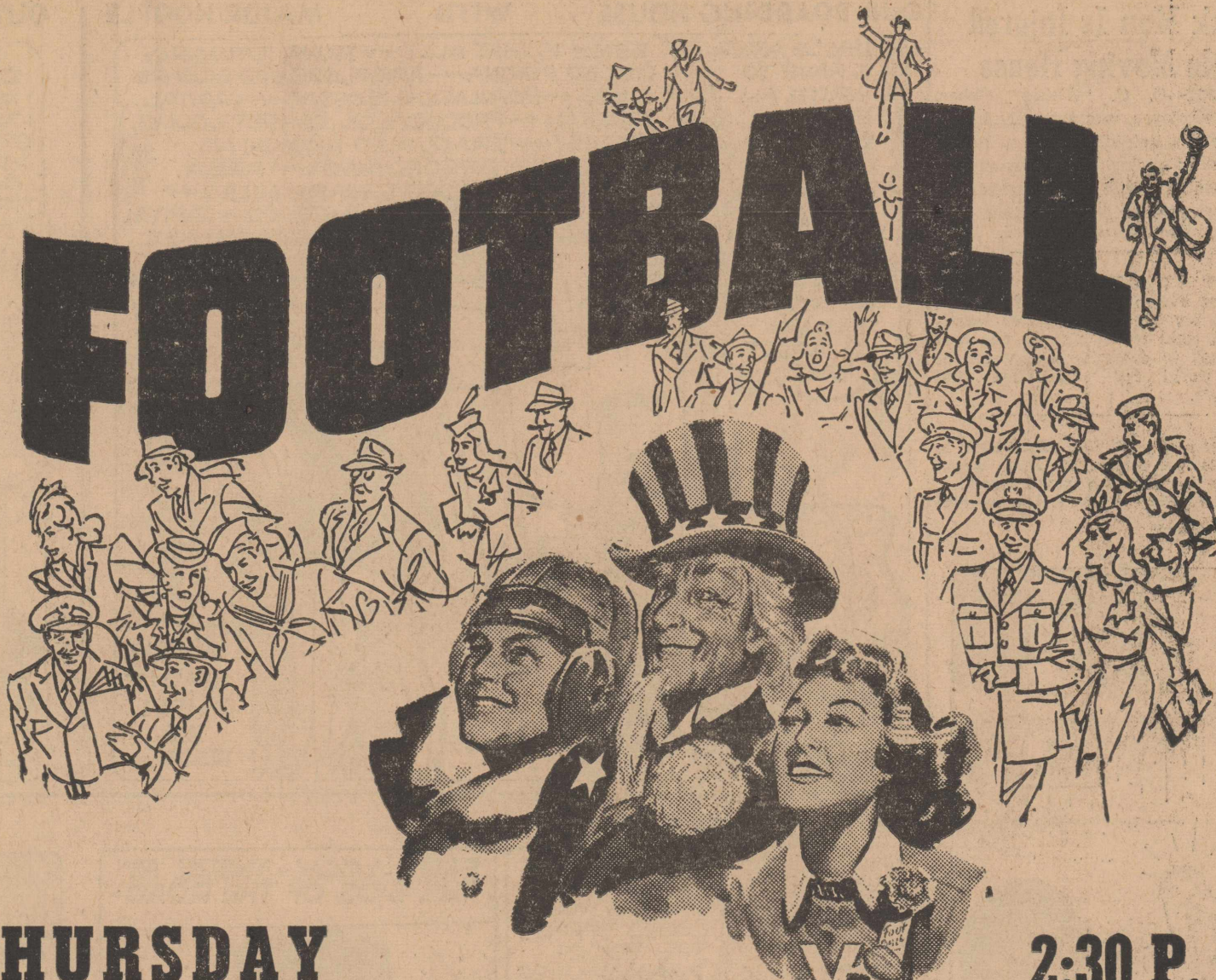
What would you do if—  
You are going to do a quick errand in your car—  
(a) Take a neighbor's child along with you without asking his mother's permission?  
(b) Don't take the child unless you are sure his mother doesn't object to his riding with anyone—and then be sure to ask her permission?

Answers  
1. You should hang up your own clothes.  
2. No.  
3. Not unless it is really noiseless.  
4. No. Use it while you are there—but don't carry it away.  
5. Yes.

Better "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

partment estimates that consumers had 20 per cent more spendable income this year than last. It expects a further increase next year.

Population of the United States proper is about 400 times as dense as that of Alaska.



**THURSDAY 2:30 P. M.**  
**ODESSA (BRONCHOS) VS MIDLAND (BULLDOGS)**  
**LACKEY FIELD**

**SCHEDULE**

- Sept. 18, Brownfield 13, Midland 0
- Sept. 25, Austin High (El Paso) 0, Midland 12
- Oct. 2, San Angelo 33, Midland 7
- Oct. 9 Sweetwater 40, Midland 0
- Oct. 23, Big Spring 19, Midland 14
- Oct. 30, Abilene 14, Midland 12
- Nov. 11, Lamesa 7, Midland 13
- Nov. 20, Colorado City 6, Midland 64
- Nov. 26, Odessa at Midland

Midland Bulldogs			Odessa Bronchos		
No.	Name	Pos.	No.	Name	
17	Taylor	Center	10	Babb	
1	Vertrees	Guard	12	Stirman	
12	Banks	Guard	20	Anderson	
7	Robinson	Guard	37	Frame	
			30	Owen	
6	McMillian	Guard	40	Pool	
20	Kelly	End	13	Cook	
5	Watson	End	31	Williams	
30	Daugherty	End	38	Stevenson	
28	Filler	End	50	Fly	
2	Richards	Back	15	Clark	
8	Hall	Back	16	McKelvy	
18	Stickney	Back	17	Wilkinson	
14	Bird	Back	21	Lewis	
10	Neatherlin	Back	22	Elmore	
			29	Pharries	
33	Dyson	Back	39	Thomas	
28	Kidwell	Tackle	23	Brown	
25	Alexander	Tackle	24	Gray	
16	Davidson	Tackle	28	Stanford	
			33	Inabnet	
			25	Marcell	
			27	Everest	
			51	Thompson	
			52	Evans	
				Clark	
				Frame	
				Reynolds	
				Anderson	
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9	Moore	Tackle			
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By William E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority

Mrs. A. M. Sobel of New York, who is rated as the world's outstanding woman bridge player, may soon be rated the world's outstanding player if she continues her grand march of championships. Her recent phenomenal achievement in winning three out of four championships in the Metropolitan Tournament in New York places her well ahead of any other player for the title of the outstanding player for 1942.

When we asked her why only a few women achieve top honors in championship bridge, she gave us

♥KJ	♠A87532	♣Q64	♦AK
♥K753	♠A	♣AJ94	♦KQ82
♥J10	♠974	♣AK	♦AK
♥Q1074	♠2		
♥109	♠Q1086		
♥A653	♠865		
♥865			

Duplicate—E. and W. vul.  
South West North East  
Pass Pass 1 1 Double  
Pass 2 2 3 3  
Pass 4 Pass Pass  
Opening—♦9. 25

one reason that most women are too timid. In the hand shown today, Mrs. Sobel started off with a psychic, and had the nerve to continue it, driving her opponents, with all of the good cards, into an unmakeable contract.

Mrs. Sobel sat North, and her spade bids deterred both East and West from bidding no trump. The heart contract went down one, while at most other tables East and West bid three no trump without interference and made five odd.

**TWO ARMY FLIERS BAIL OUT: ONE KILLED**  
CROCKETT, Texas.—(AP)—Everett Hilliard, 21 of Texarkana, one of two Ellington Field Army fliers who bailed out when their plane developed motor trouble, was killed Monday night.

Sidney Lawrence of Los Angeles, Calif., landed safely. The plane crashed three miles north of Crockett.

Searchers found Hilliard's body after an all-night hunt. His parachute apparently failed to open.

**FOUND SANTA CLAUS BUT NOT SUPPOSED TO**  
READING, PA.—(AP)—Santa Claus came early for Albert Penning, 5, and slipped Komodi, 4. They disappeared. Police searched the city for five hours—and finally found them in the Penning attic playing with toys that Albert wasn't supposed to discover until Christmas.

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## American Fortresses Raid Nazi Sub Base

LONDON—(AP)—Flying Fortresses and Liberators of the U. S. Army Air Forces raided the German submarine base at St. Nazaire, France, Monday, touching off a lively air battle in which 15 German fighters were destroyed and four bombers were lost.

Despite the obviously heavy aerial opposition to the daylight stroke at the important U-boat nest near the mouth of the Loire River, the joint U. S.-British communique reported "many bursts were seen on the target."

RAF fighters made supporting and diversionary raids.

A one-man collapsible parachute-boat has been developed for American military pilots.

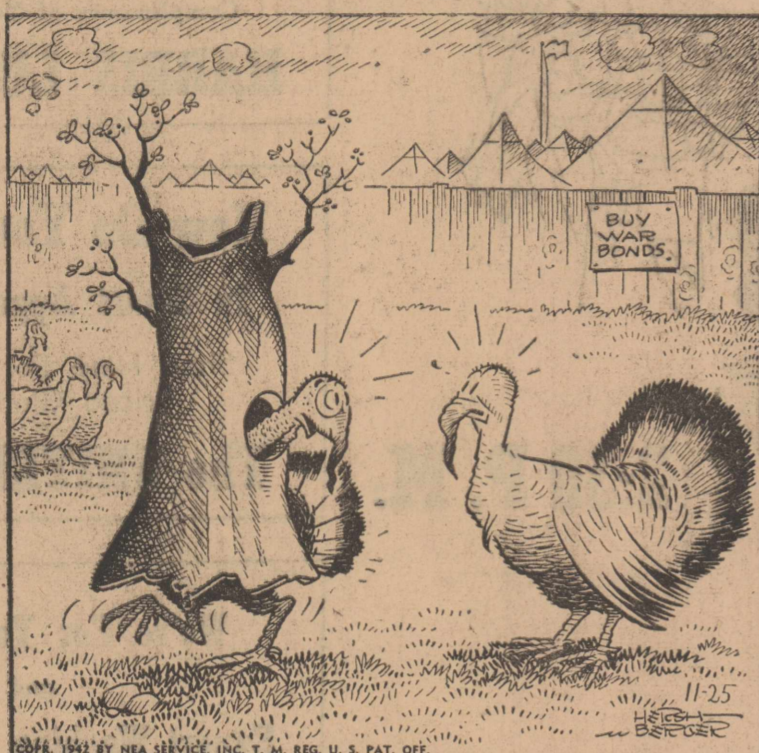
## Wink Man Is Injured While Moving House

WINK—C. C. "Whitie" Guber, Gulf employee, was seriously injured, while helping move a house. The skids under the house slipped and Guber's face was crushed. He was reported in a very serious condition in an Odessa hospital.

**FIRST WINE JUDGING**  
King Philip Augustus of France, noted for his patronage of learning, is said to have made the first attempt to assemble the wines of the world for comparison and judging.

There are 176,000 physicians in the United States, of whom about 25,000 are with the armed forces.

## FUNNY BUSINESS



"I swiped this from the camouflage corps—it's safer during the holiday season!"

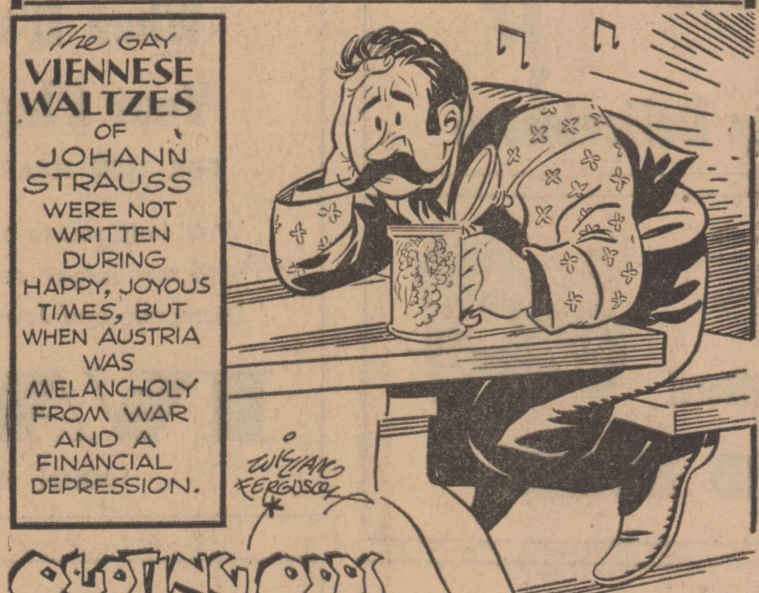
## SIDE GLANCES



"Now don't go telling the guide not to shoot if we jump a buck—remember we need meat this year, and our wives are fed up anyhow on our stories of how we just missed one!"

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

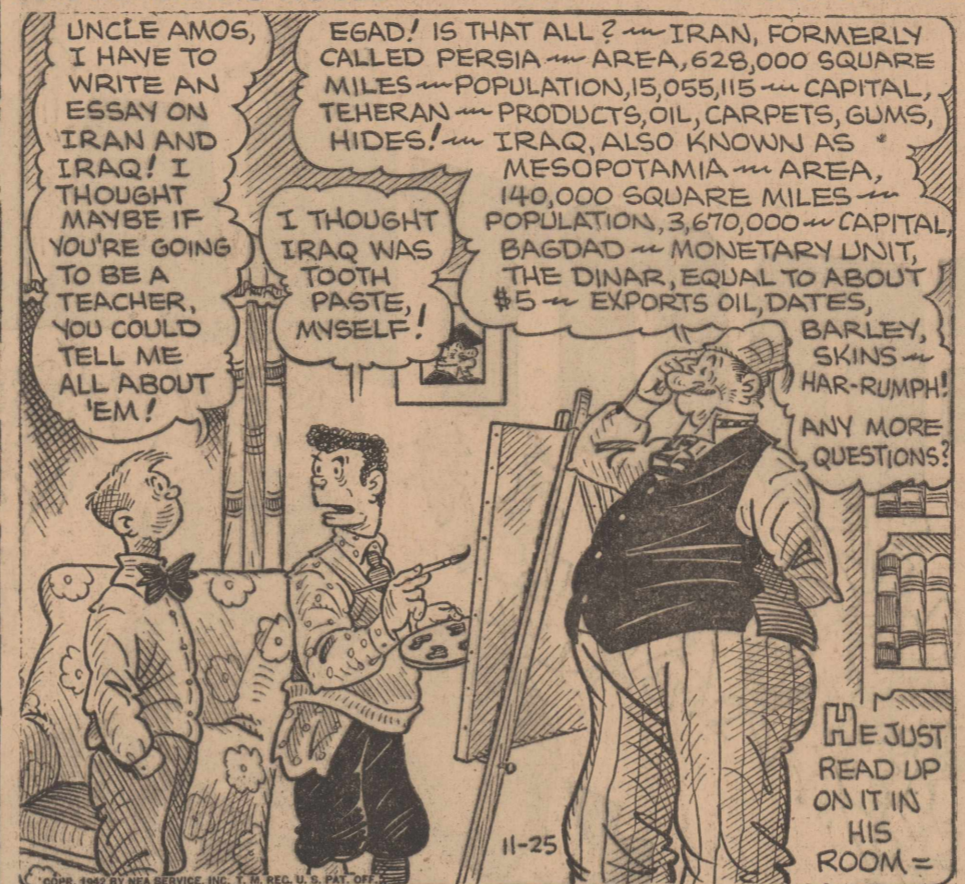


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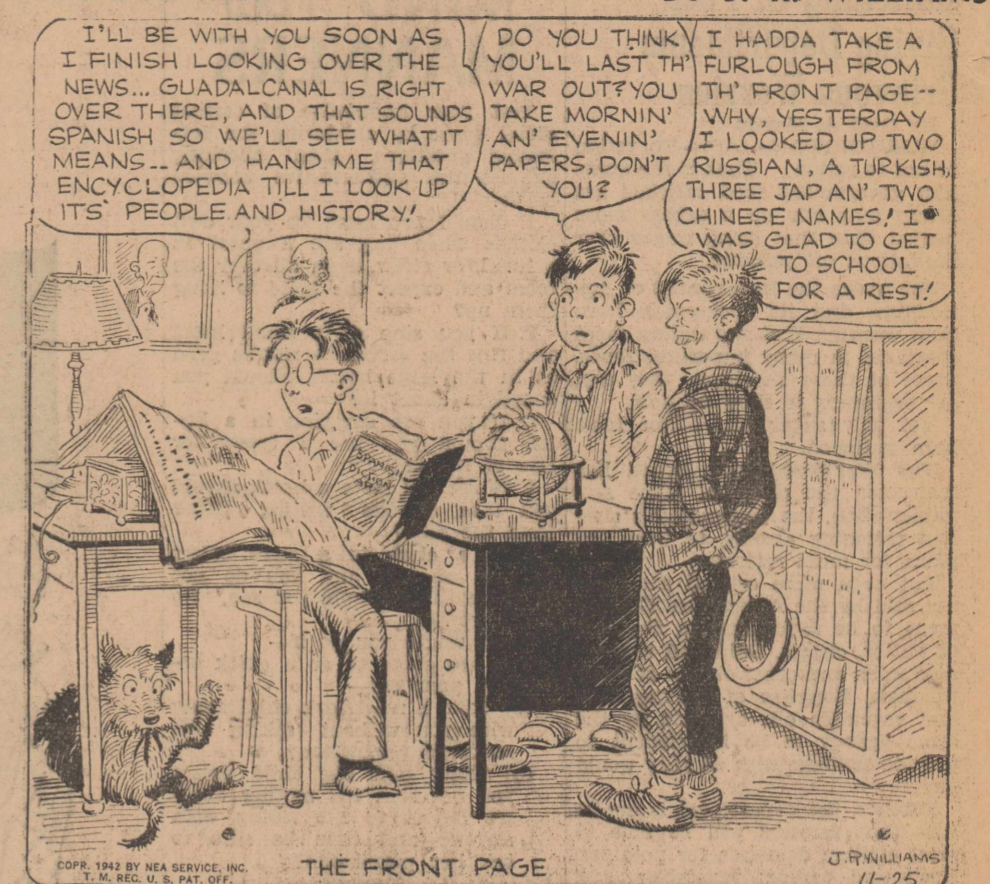
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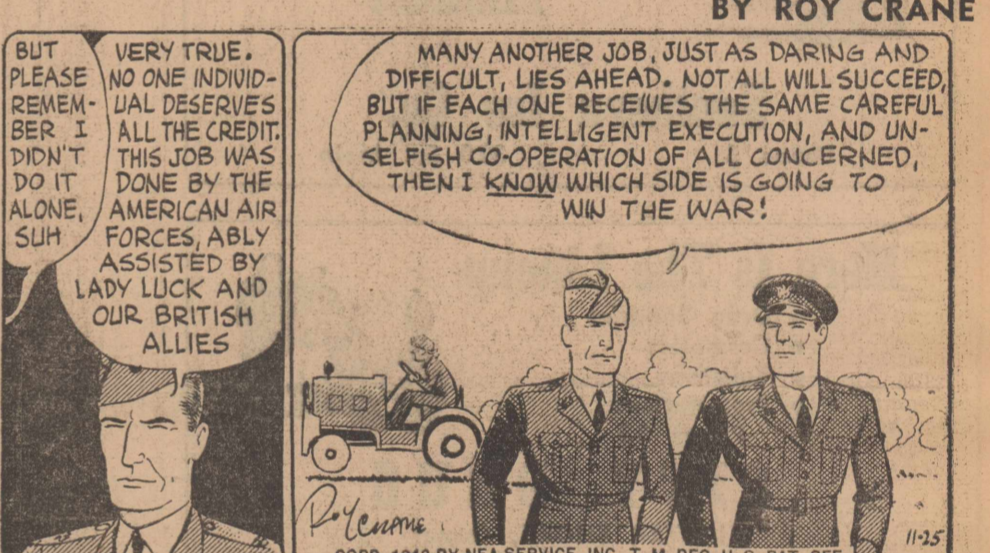
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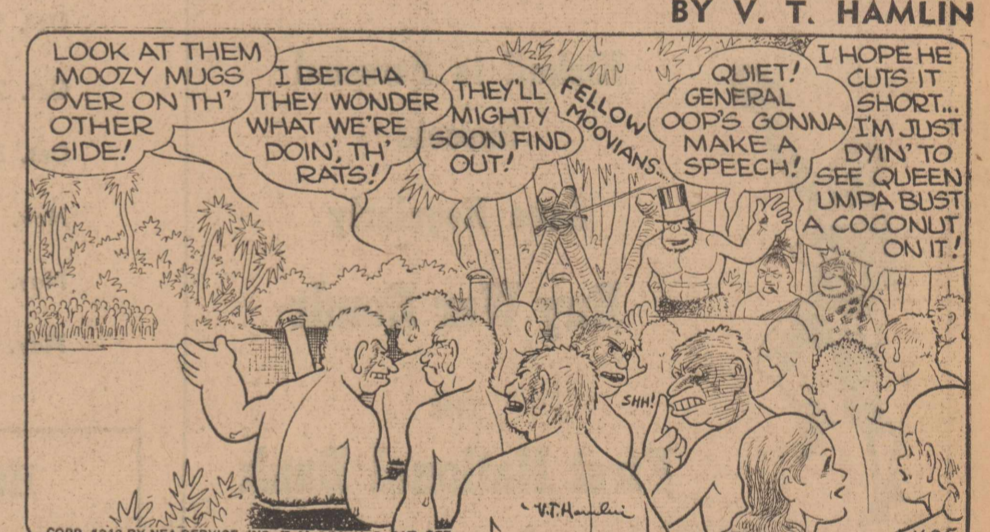
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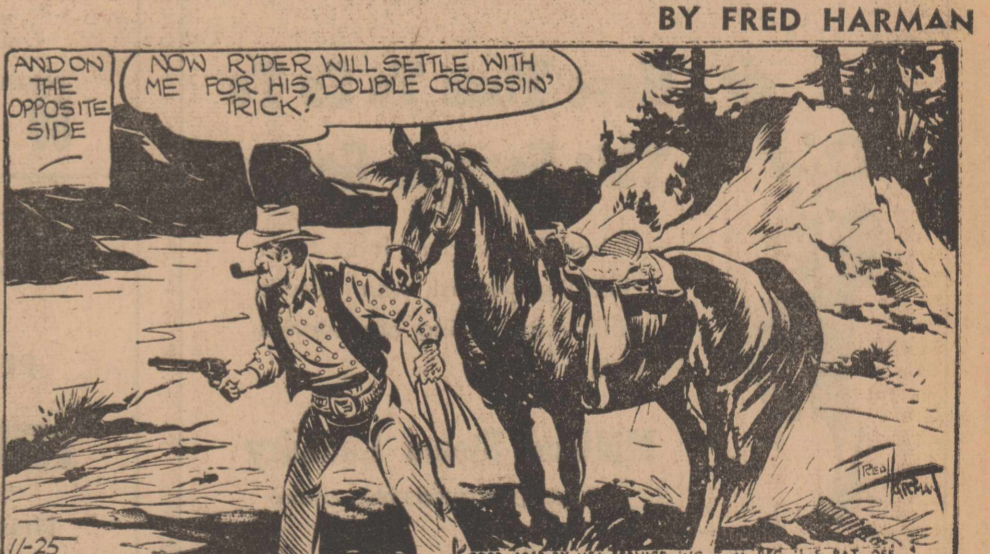
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