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# SEA FIGHT WITH RUNNERS

## SCORE INJURED IN BIG REFINING PLANT FIRE AT PITTSBURGH

### GRASSHOPPERS AT IOWA PARK TO BE PUT ON DEFENSIVE

### FARMERS OF THAT SECTION DECLARE WAR ON DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS.

### POISON AND TRAPS TO BE USED IN CAMPAIGN

### Grasshoppers Destroy 15-Acre Field of Cotton in Just One Day.

War was declared on the grasshoppers in the Iowa Park district at a meeting of farmers held at the Chamber of Commerce room Friday afternoon. A united effort on the part of crop growers will be put forth to eradicate these destructive insects, which have exacted an incalculable toll of vegetation.

The meeting was held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon and was attended by 25 farmers. County Agent Guy R. Jones and members of the Chamber of Commerce also met with them and a discussion was had on the plan to be used to exterminate the hoppers.

It was decided that poison mink will be fed to the insects, while the trap plan was also favored. Both these routes will be taken to rid the community of this scourge.

The trap which will be used and found to be very effective. A trough 16 or 15 feet long is placed on runners and the trough filled with kerosene. A canvas stretched behind the trough slanted sufficiently so that when the grasshoppers fly against it they will drop down into the kerosene. The trough is pulled through the fields where the grasshoppers are at work destroying crops.

Several farmers told of a 15-acre field of cotton which offered bright prospects for a good crop, which was literally destroyed by grasshoppers in just one day's time. This field was located in the Valley View district.

Grasshopper stories of all kinds were told at the Friday afternoon meeting.

One farmer, whose feelings were slightly hurt because someone doubted the story to some extent, related that grasshoppers had grown so large on a patch of his land that they had developed spurs and were indulging in the recreational act of using smaller ones for carriers and were using their newly acquired spurs to good advantage.

## John McParland President Union Of Printers Dies

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 14 (AP)—John McParland, president of the International Typographical Union and a well known labor leader, died here today of heart trouble, brought on by a severe attack of influenza. He was 55 years old and his home was in New York City.

Mr. McParland was born in Tallbot, Australia, January 6, 1858, and served his apprenticeship to the printing trade in Ballarat, joining the typographical union at New Castle, Wales, in 1886.

He came to the United States in 1912 and later located in Chicago where he first gained prominence as a union leader. He became a citizen of the United States in 1918. The typographical union at New Castle, Wales, in 1886.

He was elected president of the International Typographical Union, serving two terms. In 1902 he went to New York and had a prominent part in the campaign for the eight hour day in the printing trade. He returned to Australia in 1908 and remained for six years, finally returning to this country after a brief stay in England. He has been serving his second term as president of the International union.

Death came due to heart trouble following an attack of influenza.

## Let's Swap!

I swear! Never know what I can do. Joshua, that boy of mine, swapped Got a lot of fancy books, says (All) you're pretty good. When he comes, I'll swap, reading when he comes. Think this is as myself, kinda feel I should.

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## HE PICKED THE WRONG GUIDE



## Developments Come Thick and Fast Preceding the Capture and Killing Of Former Premier of Bulgaria

PARIS, June 16 (AP)—Alexander Stamboullisky was completely unaware of the plot against him, telegraphs the Sofia correspondent of Le Journal. The late premier of Bulgaria had retired to his native village of Slavovitsa, because of Macedonian threats against his person. He was accompanied by his chauffeur and a driver. He was in the capital from June 14 to 15, when he was captured by the pursuers. He was taken to a farm near Panaguritsa. When the peasants showed some hesitation but they were non-plussed to see troops arrive. He was taken to a farm near Panaguritsa. When the peasants showed some hesitation but they were non-plussed to see troops arrive. He was taken to a farm near Panaguritsa. When the peasants showed some hesitation but they were non-plussed to see troops arrive.

## Actress Wife of Confessed Broker Declares Gambling Caused Downfall Of Fuller and Company in New York

By BASHIL WOOD. Universal Service Staff Correspondent. PARIS, June 14.—"Frank and I are broke. Any one who says I have come to Europe with the millions from the Fuller brokerage booty is talking through his hat." Louise Groody, actress and wife of W. Frank McGee, confessed buckshotter and jail partner of Edward M. Fuller, broker, in New York, told me, in unimpaired words tonight her version of the doings of the Fuller firm in Wall Street.

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## SHIP BOOZE RULE LONG DRY FINGER TOWARD ENGLAND

### BRINGS PROHIBITION RIGHT UP TO DOORSTEP OF ENGLISHMAN.

### DELIBERATE ASSURANCE OF WHAT IS TO FOLLOW

Situation is Serious and Disquieting, According to Mark Sullivan.

By MARK SULLIVAN. Political Correspondent of the New York Tribune and Wichita Daily Times. Copyright, 1923, by the New York Tribune.

LONDON, June 15.—In the midst of the seriousness, and in some quarters the excitement, with which the dry ship ruling is being discussed here, in American circles occasionally see it in a light which provides a smile. The new rule really brings prohibition right up to the Englishman's doorstep—actually a little beyond it.

Under the ruling, every east-bound voyage of a trans-Atlantic liner is a long dry finger that slowly elongates itself across the ocean, and for a brief moment before it is severed, settles at the Englishman's door-step—actually a little beyond it. The Englishman, who under British tradition and British law gives more concern to the sanctity of his home than we do in America, the thing is serious and disquieting. If, in addition to his feeling about the sanctity of his home, the particular Englishman happens to be a sincere believer in and consistent practitioner of the theory that every man has a right to take a drink when he wants it, you can imagine his emotional when this attenuated, impious American finger intrudes itself between his lip and cup.

## Fraud Order For Ten Subsidiaries of Revere Oil Co.

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP)—Ten subsidiaries of the Revere Oil Company operating from Fort Worth, Texas, were named in a fraud order issued today by the post office inspectors. The order charges that the company has been involved in a merger plan which has resulted in the consolidation of more than 100 defunct and failing companies.

## TWELVE THOUSAND MEXICANS STRIKE OTHERS THREATEN

MEXICO CITY, June 14 (AP)—Twelve thousand workers in the Orizaba district are on strike because of differences with their employers over the Vera Cruz workmen's compensation law. Cotton mill workers and bakers are affected. The cities of Vera Cruz, Cordoba, Puebla and Orizaba face lightless nights because the employees of the Panco Electric Power Plant threaten to take similar strike action. Several minor disturbances have been recorded.

## THE VILLAIN IS A MAN WHO "UNDERSTANDS WOMEN."

AND THE VAMP IS A GIRL WHO LOVES LUXURIOUS THINGS BUT NEEDS A WEALTHY HUSBAND TO GET THEM.

Mrs. Paramor by Louis Joseph Vance. START THIS BLUE RIBBON SERIAL. Sunday's Times.

## RUNNING FIGHT IS STAGED OFF COAST OF NEW JERSEY AND SHOTS FLY OVER BOARDWALK CROWDS

### ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 16 (AP)—A running fight in which several volleys of shots were exchanged, occurred early today between run runners and government boats. Many bullets whizzed over the boardwalk driving night owls to cover.

Shortly before midnight two government boats from Barnegat were trolling the inlet waters, watching several runners about 100 feet from shore, attempting to make a landing. The government craft, calling on the smugglers to stop, attempted to surround them. The runners escaped in the fog after putting out full speed, sweeping in close to the shore that they almost touched bottom, and then making a sharp file out to sea. Both sides exchanged shots freely.

## COLLEGE SYSTEM WRONG DECLARES THOMAS EDISON

NEW YORK, June 16 (AP)—Although denying that he opposes colleges, Thomas A. Edison declared today that he is convinced there is something wrong with the college system in a statement today the New York Tribune in which he discusses the recent graduation of his youngest son, Theodore, from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

## ARKANSAS RIVER IS SLOWLY RISING AT LITTLE ROCK

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 16 (AP)—Recurrent rains in Oklahoma, Missouri and Kansas, joined with the heavy rains in Arkansas, have created some uncertainty in official predictions of critical stages in the swollen Arkansas river along the valley in this state, but a rise is expected at Fort Smith today while a stage of 21 feet is expected at Little Rock.

## Ford's Chances Are Improving Couzens States

By Universal Service. WASHINGTON, June 16.—Senator James Couzens of Michigan, who was associated with Henry Ford in the early days of the automobile industry, said here that Ford's chances for the presidency are steadily improving in commercial circles. "If the Democrats will nominate Ford he will be elected," Senator Couzens said.

## ANNOUNCE FAILURE NEW YORK MEMBER OF STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 14 (AP)—Keanth Nauch and Kuhne, member of the New York stock exchange, failed today to announce the failure of the exchange. Nauch and Kuhne, who had a large business between this country and Germany, it also engaged extensively in commercial investments and foreign currency. An involuntary bankruptcy petition in federal court estimated liabilities at \$11,000,000 with assets in securities of about the same amount. M. S. Bogdanoff was appointed receiver under \$500,000 bond.

## SEVEN ARMY AIRPLANES LAND AT PITTSBURG, KAN. TO TAKE ON GASOLINE

PITTSBURG, KAN., June 14 (AP)—The seven army planes in flight from Pittsburg, Kan., to take on gasoline, landed here at 10:30 this morning and were to take on gasoline and oil.

## STRIKE OF SHOPMEN ON DENVER AND RIO GRANDE POSTPONED TO TUESDAY

DENVER, June 16 (AP)—A strike of shopmen on the Denver and Rio Grande Western and the Rio Grande Southern, a subsidiary, to have gone into effect at 10 o'clock this morning, has been postponed until next Tuesday, according to advice received here from Pueblo. It was asserted that Governor Sweet has interceded and that a postponement was decided upon until, he ascertained what can be done to bring about an agreement between employer and employees.

## JURY AWARDS MRS. MATTIE COBB \$7,500 IN ALENATION SUIT

Answers made by the jury to the special case in the case of Mrs. Mattie Cobb against Tom L. Burnett Saturday morning were said to be favorable to the plaintiff and in answer to the issue on the amount of damages which would recognize her for her loss the jury agreed on \$7,500.

The case went into the hands of the jury at 4 o'clock Friday evening, but they were excused at 6 o'clock. Returning Saturday morning, the jury remained in closed session until just before the noon hour when it reported a verdict had been arrived at. Mrs. Cobb had sued for \$10,000 damages, contending that Mrs. Louise Mulhall Burnett, wife of the defendant, had alienated the affections of Jake Cobb, plaintiff's husband.

According to court attaches, all answers made by the jury to the special case were in favor of the plaintiff. It is understood that the case will be appealed.

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY IN W. W. WOODSON CASE ON TRIAL AT HILLSBORO. WACO, June 14 (AP)—A verdict of not guilty was returned by a Hill county jury this morning in the case of W. W. Woodson of Waco, tried on a grand jury indictment charging perjury in connection with his testimony before the grand jury as to the affairs of the First State Bank of Malone, closed by the state department of banking and insurance.

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A chartered training school offers splendid opportunity to the young woman who wishes to make nursing her profession. She can receive her training here under the most pleasant and auspicious conditions and a number are receiving this advantage.  
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**SMALL JOB PRESS GROWS INTO BIG PRINTING PLANT**  
More than thirty years ago in the little shop where the Wichita Times, weekly, was published, the owner installed a small job printing press to take care of the printing of business cards, hand bills, programs and other commercial printing for the citizens of the village of Wichita Falls.  
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**DIDN'T NEED AN ALARM CLOCK**  
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# THE TIMES' DAILY PAGE OF LEADING COMIC FEATURES

## BUGHOUSE FABLES



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## Why, Sure!



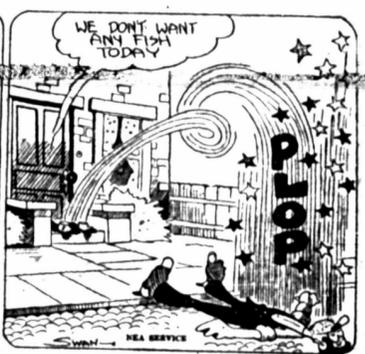
## By BLOSSER



## SALESMAN SAM



## Just a Fish Story



## By SWAN

## TAKEN FROM LIFE

In Dad's Footsteps



## HIS JOB



## His Gentle Reminder



## By R. WINSOR M'CAJ JR.



## By R. WINSOR M'CAJ JR.



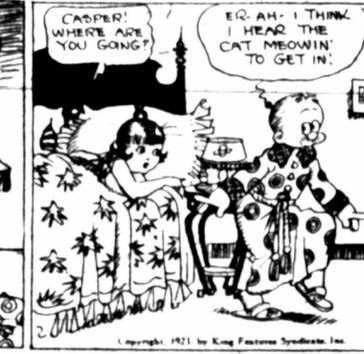
## TOUTS AND CASPER



## A Cat Makes a Good Alibi



## By J. E. MURPHY



## By J. E. MURPHY



## JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

THE BAD GIANT



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



## By AHERN

## THE OLD HOME TOWN



## By STANLEY

After Cucumber had disappeared Triste told Jack she would like to take his picture, "I've got a big camera that stands on that tripod over there, I'll go to the house and get it." As she entered her home Jack walked over to the tripod. Then he heard a loud roar. (Continued.)



# SPUDDERS BATTER SAN ANTONIO PITCHING FOR 15 TO 12 WIN

## Heavy Attack of Salms Makes Up For Deficiency of Spud Hurling; Grigsby Clouts Brace of Homers

SAN ANTONIO, June 14.—Five pitchers were marched to the hill in the second game of the series Friday and each was accorded the same treatment by the Spudders and Bear managers. The Spudders handled a pair of Bear hurlers a bit worse than did the Bears a trio of Wichita Falls chinkers and made it over straight games 15 to 12.

### CRABS 1, CATS 0

GALVESTON, TEXAS, June 14.—Allegation played crooked ball Friday and with the breaks, defeated the Cats, 1 to 0. Johns and Graham pitched in a snafu game, the Crab hurler proving more effective in the pinches. Brown made a perfect throw from deep center in the seventh and cut down a Panther runner at the plate. Score:

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## HIS TWO HOMERS ARE WINNING MARGIN FOR SPUDDERS IN SECOND



Denver Gilloby

## WINNER OF ENGLISH DERBY



George Pappas who won the English Derby, says he was not in a swoon after being lifted from poverty to affluence by his victory. Steve Decker three successive years and five times in all.

## The Lookout

By AL PARKER

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## STEAERS 8, EXPORTERS 2

BEAUMONT, June 14.—Dallas County Steamer 8, Exporters 2. When Swartz proved invincible in the pinches Jacobus was nicked for eight runs in four innings and gave away a hit on a runner who reached the visitors at will. Score:

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## DEMPSEY-GIBBONS BOUT IS ASSURED AFTER ALL NIGHT CONFERENCE NETS RESULTS

By Associated Press

GREAT FALLS, MONT., June 14.—Goldfield had it. Dempsey and Gibbons will have it. The fight between the two heavyweights is assured after an all-night conference of the promoters.

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# FLOWING GOLD

(Continued from Friday.)

Gray had a very good idea of himself, but it is not easy to subdue thought, and he could feel those strong, smooth, velvet arms encircling him. Buddy without and chaos within this house! The heavens rumbled like a mighty drumhead, the light slugs made useless the feeble talk in his hand. It was the place, the hour of impulse. Gray swore savagely at himself, then he stumbled into his room and dressed himself fully.

"Well, there doesn't seem to be much change," he said, cheerfully. "The fire don't seem to be spreading." She was sitting where he had left her, she had not moved. "Anything new on this side?"

Allie shrugged, slowly she turned, exposing a face tragic as a storm. "I guess you don't think much of me," she said.

"Indeed," he declared, heartily. "This is enough to frighten anybody. I don't mind saying it has upset me. But the worst is over." He laid a reassuring hand upon her shoulder.

**CHAPTER XXVII**  
Introduced to a Lady

Buddy Brickow had difficulty in getting out of the valley on his way for a doctor, for never had the roads been like this. He drove recklessly; where necessary he disregarded fences and pushed across pastures that were hump deep; he even burst through occasional thickets in defiance and push. He drove his motor finally in for a rocky stream and abandoned the car.

He came into Ranger that afternoon on the back of a truck horse that he had borrowed—without the owner's consent. For a time he assumed that if he got a doctor at all he would have to follow a similar procedure, but the Brickow name was powerful, and Buddy talked in big figures, so eventually he set out on the return journey—this time in a springless freight wagon drawn by the stoutest team in town. A medical man was on the seat beside him.

It was after midnight when Buddy and his miserable companion gained the comparatively easy going of the "last ridge" that flinty range beyond which lay the Brickow farm.

Buddy stopped at a drilling camp where lights showed the occupants to be astir, and there he received confirmation of his fears. The flats beyond were inundated to a depth rendering travel impossible, although some of the men stationed out there had managed to work their way back to the valley for the time being, hopefully out of it.

"I guess I can swim, if I try. Father can do most anything if he has his gun. How about you, Doc?" Buddy turned to the traveling companion. The latter shook his head positively. "You're a crazy. Buddy, we've probably drowned. If we didn't hold our breath when that loose all catches affire."

Buddy cursed furiously and lurched toward the door. It took force to restrain him from going.

The rain came with the passing of the electrical storm, but the late hours of the night were thick and the fires continued to burn. It seemed as if morning would never come.

With the first light Buddy mounted one of the horses, and regardless of admonitions, set out. In reality he had no great distance to go; however, the less, it was midway before he came in sight of his father's unpalated farmhouse, and when he dismounted at the front porch he fell rather than walked through the door.

Even after he had been helped into the kitchen and his wet clothes had been stripped from him, he could tell little about his trip, but he food and drink brought him around and then, indeed, his story was one that deeply touched the older man.

Already the waters had ceased to flow, but Buddy's difficulty in getting through proved the folly of attempting to escape for the time being; his horse had been forced to swim with him in more than one place; in others he had waded waist deep, stumbling through thickets, hauling the animal after him by main force. There was nothing to do, it seemed, but wait a subsidence of the flood. Then, too, the boy was half dead for sleep. Late that evening, after Allie had gone to bed, Gray had a long talk with his young friend, during which he told him more about his affairs than he had made known even to Howell, the banker.

Buddy listened with the closest attention. He drew a deep breath at last and said: "I knew you was in deep, but I thought it was just your way. Now I know it's Nelson's crew that fired our gasser."

Gray continued the conversation. "Do you think your father would trust me? Do you think he'd go if I killed on my way?"

"If he won't, I will. I got money, son Allie."

Gray declined this offer with a positive shake of his head. "It must appeal to him on its merits. I wouldn't permit you to go contrary to his judgment."

"Judgment? What's Pa's judgment worth? He knows it's no good, an' so do we. Everybody's tryin' to do him up but you; you're the only one he trusts. An' the same here. There's my bank roll— you can shoot the whole place, don't care if it never comes back. You'll get you killed! An' sp'ite a well on me!"

"Thank you, Buddy! You—make no slow to trust my own judgment. I seem to be developing a conscience. But I'm sure this is the thing to do, for you and your father as well as for me. People can't stand still; they must go forward. The Brickow fortune must grow or it will crumble."

"I guess if we've got as much in us as you seem to think," the boy said, doubtfully.

Gray smiled. "You have common sense, at least, and that's something you can't get in school. Men wear smooth from contact with one



It took force to restrain him from going.

Gray's name in print affected the banker almost as disastrously as did a sight of the man himself; therefore it was with intense resentment that he read the article in which it appeared. It was a vividly written account of the former's experience during the flood, and due no doubt to Gray's personal touch, it read a good deal like fiction.

The next time Tom Parker came into the bank Henry called him into his private office and had a talk with him.

Old Tom listened silently; nevertheless, it was plain that he was deeply shocked.

"I hope you ain't lyin'," he said, coldly, when the banker had finished.

"It's a matter of record, Tom. He can't deny it."

"What was it he did?"

"Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. I took six bottles without paying. I could not do my work except a little."

"I see. I do all of my own work and would do more. I can truly say that 'now Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound gave me my health.'"

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cut deep and quickly. Tar and feathers are too good for them.

"Trouble is," Tom repeated, with a reluctant sigh, "I like him and I ain't suppin'."

"The trouble is you're a weakling!" Howler snapped. "You are sentimental. You lack my stern, undomesticated moral fiber. Like him? Pah! What has that to do with it? I have no weakness, no bowels of compassion. I am a Spartan. I am—"

"You're a damned old fool—if you think you can run him. He's liable to run you."

If Calvin Gray's affairs were in a precarious condition, he showed no signs of it when he returned to Wichita Falls. On the contrary, he was in an exultant mood, and even on the train young Brickow, who accompanied him, was amazed at the change that had come over his friend. With every mile they traveled Gray's buoyancy increased and upon his arrival he trod the street to his office like a conqueror. McWade and Stoner, who came in for conference with him, found an occupied and faces grave, left with a smile and a jest.

(Continued in Monday's Issue.)

**LODGE NO. 635 A. F. & A. M. ELECTS OFFICERS FRIDAY**

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., at its annual meeting held Friday evening in the lodge room, Masonic building, elected officers for the coming year. Reports of the treasurer and secretary covering the activities of the past year were enthusiastically received.

W. J. Wiest was elected Worshipful Master to succeed John A. Elder, who has completed a most successful year. Other officers elected were: Senior Warden, J. W. Lyle; Junior Warden, W. A. Alderson; Treasurer, N. M. Clifford; Secretary, W. J. Webb; and Tyler, J. A. Bussey.

The appointive officers will be selected before the next regular meeting night.

Several important matters which will be taken up during the year by this Masonic body were discussed.

**WILL ATTEMPT TO BREAK PARACHUTE JUMP RECORD**

KANSAS CITY, June 15.—An attempt to break the parachute jump record of 24,888 feet made by Captain A. W. Stephens at Dayton, Ohio, a year ago, will be made by Cecil Chambers, former army record holder, at a two day air meet to begin at Richards Field here this afternoon. The meet, under the supervision of the army air service, will comprise two days of maneuvers of both army and commercial planes.

A squadron of 12 planes arrived Wednesday from Kelly Field, San Antonio, to take part in the meet. Army planes from Fort Hill and Fort Field, Chanute Field, Illinois, Fort Riley, Kansas, and from the air mail station are to arrive this afternoon.

The army dirigible A-1 is expected to arrive from Scott Field, Belleville, Ill., about noon.

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Enamel paint at Decorators—adv.

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