

# THE BROADLANDS NEWS

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## JOHN RAYL, 85, IS SUMMONED

Mr. John Rayl, "Uncle John" as he was familiarly called by his many friends and acquaintances, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lillie Bowman in Broadlands, on Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1938, at 4:30 o'clock a. m., apoplexy being the cause of his death.

Short funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lillie Bowman, with whom he had made his home the past few years, with Mesdames Kenneth Dicks and Fred Messman singing "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," followed by services at the local U. B. Church, with the Rev. J. F. Turner, the pastor, officiating. A quartet composed of Mesdames Fred Messman and Kenneth Dicks, and Messrs. Charles A. Smith and O. P. Witt, sang, "In The Garden," "We Are Going Down The Valley," and "Sometime We'll Understand," with Mrs. O. P. Witt at the piano.

Casket bearers were Messrs. D. P. Brewer, Thomas Bergfield, Roy Bergfield, George H. Cook, Edward Nohren and O. P. Witt.

The remains of the deceased were laid to rest beside those of his wife in the family lot in the St. John's Evangelical cemetery, 1 3/4 miles northwest of Broadlands, with Dicks Bros., local morticians in charge.

John Lindsey Rayl, the son of Jessie and Dinah Rayl, was born on June 29, 1853, near Annapolis, Ind. He spent his boyhood there, grew to manhood, after attending country school.

He was married to Mary Melissa Downs at Danville, Ill., on April 19, 1876.

After spending a few years in Indiana they moved to Broadlands where they raised their family. They lived in Broadlands after that except for a few years away, first in Spring Garden, then in Peoria, Charleston and Danville, all in Illinois, and then back to Broadlands, having lived here for the past 13 years.

The wife, Mary M. Rayl, was called to her reward on Jan. 8, 1938. From that time on he has gradually failed in health.

The Angel of Death called him on Dec. 20, 1938, at the age of 85 years, 5 months and 21 days. The immediate cause of his death was apoplexy.

To mourn his passing he leaves five children, as follows: P. O. Rayl, M. Alice Struck, Jennie M. Nohren, Lillie M. Bowman, all of Broadlands, and Edward Harry Rayl of Chicago, Ill.; two sons, Jessie and Freddie, died in infancy; five grandchildren, Etta Struck, Harry and Marcelle Nohren, John Paul and Wanda Joan Rayl; one brother, Lewis L. Rayl, of Kenosha, Wis.; and one sister, Sarah Holaday, of Cayuga, Ind.

Four sisters and three brothers preceded him to the Great Beyond.

A host of other relatives and friends mourn his passing.

He was a member of the Friends Church and of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

He was a faithful, devoted and loving husband, father and brother, a kind and considerate neighbor and a friend to all. Everyone will remember his patient cheerful disposition. May his soul forever rest in peace.

The News is \$1.50 a year.

## Red Cross Enrolls Fifty Members

The roll call workers of Ayers Township Unit of the National Red Cross have enrolled a total of 50 members for the year 1939, states C. T. Henson, chairman of the county drive. Fifty members means \$50.

Local roll call workers are Mrs. Roy Bergfield, Mrs. Albert Telling, Mrs. George Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henson.

Members enrolled are as follows:

Carl Dicks  
Ray L. Bowman  
Rev. W. Earl Ballew  
Eckerty Cafe  
O. E. Gore  
A. A. Cable  
Mrs. Geo. Walker  
Dr. T. A. Dicks  
Roy Bergfield  
Harold Anderson  
Geo. H. Cook  
A. B. Telling  
Mrs. Eva Brewer  
Mrs. Arch Walker  
Kenneth Dicks  
Jess Ward  
Chas. Messman  
E. B. Maxwell  
Walter Pogendorf  
Chris Seider  
Mrs. Leanna Miller  
Fred Mohr  
Miss Anna Clem  
Mrs. Lillie Bowman  
Howard Clem  
P. J. Limp  
J. F. Darnall  
Robert Smith  
Fred Messman  
C. M. Johnson  
Geo. Rothermel  
I. R. Holt  
O. P. Witt  
Hugo Dewitt  
Mrs. Irene Witt  
Geo. Dohme  
Ira Laverick  
Leon Struck  
Bus Baldwin  
Thos. Bergfield  
Miss Lena Todd  
L. A. Wenzell, Decatur  
Hans Biesterfelt  
H. A. Wiese  
Mrs. A. S. Maxwell  
Alvin Zenke  
John Jordan  
Walter Rothermel  
Bud Struck  
Clark Henson

## Sidney F. B. Wins "Most Ideal" Award

(Sidney Times)

The members of the Sidney unit of the Champaign County Farm Bureau are rejoicing over winning the award of the "most ideal unit" of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

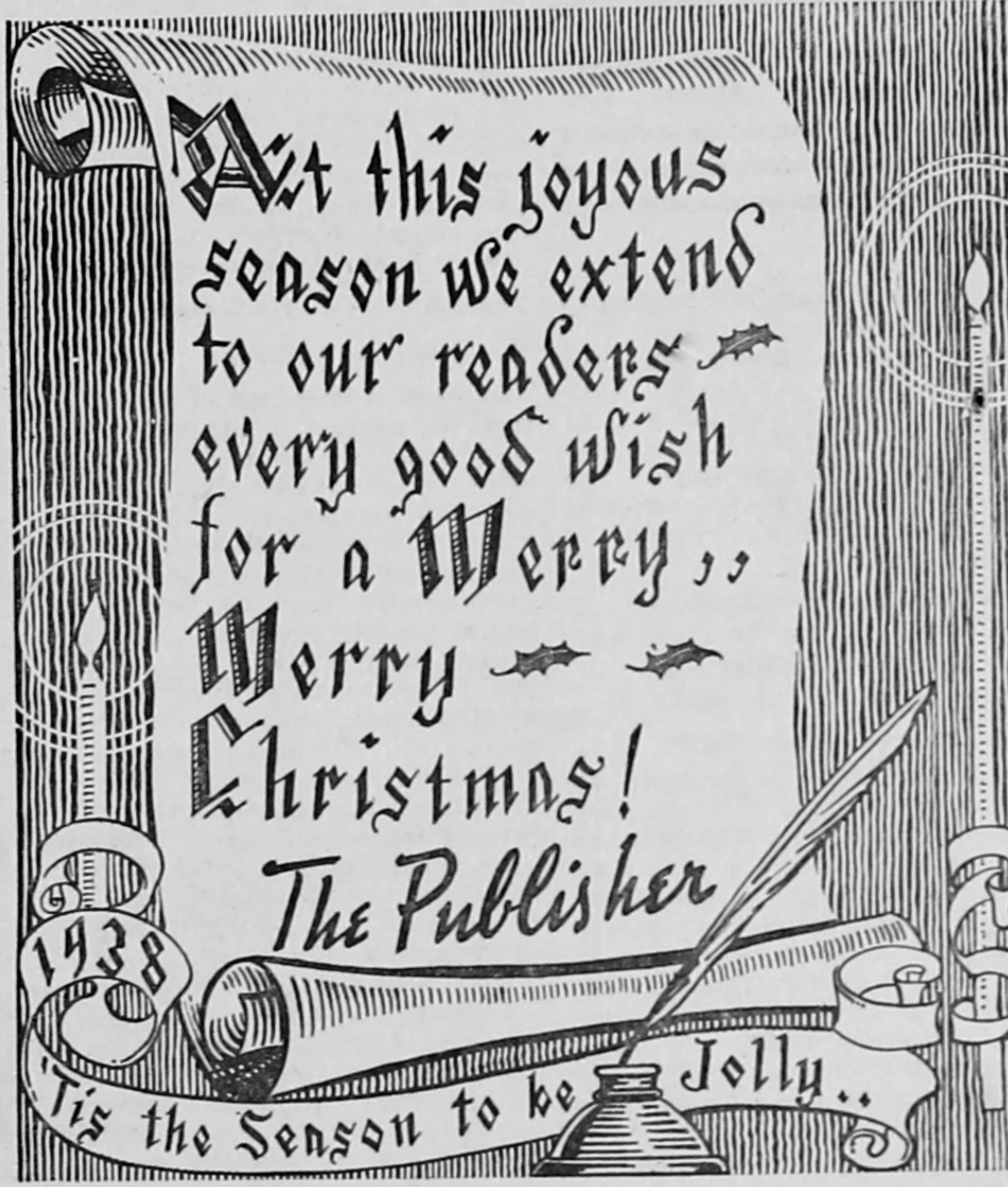
The award is based on the attendance at the meetings of the units. In reporting the award, J. E. Harris, county farm adviser, reported that the Sidney unit had an average attendance of 101 at the meetings during the year.

As a reward the Sidney unit chairman, C. L. Busey, was a guest of the American Farm Bureau Federation annual meeting held in New Orleans where the award was made.

## No Paper Next Week

The News office will not publish a paper next week—holiday week.

Evelyn Venable in "My Old Kentucky Home" is the title of the movie to be shown at the Broadlands Theater this Saturday night.



## Services Held at Philo Sunday for Fred Stearns

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m., Sunday, for Fred Stearns, who died Dec. 14, at Tucson, Ariz.

Reverend W. Earl Ballew, pastor of the local M. E. Church officiated at the services, held at the home of a brother, Willard Stearns, of near Philo. Music was furnished by a male quartette from Philo. Interment was in the Philo cemetery, with Dicks Bros., of Broadlands in charge.

Stearns was born Feb. 16, 1895 on a farm near Philo. He had been away from Philo for nine years.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Minnie Stearns, of Indianapolis, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Roy Bergfield, Broadlands; Mrs. Mark Moore, Indianapolis, Ind.; three brothers, Willard, of Philo; Earl, of Tucson; and Raymond, Kalamazoo, Mich.

## Food Sale

The U. B. Ladies Aid will hold a food sale at Bergfield Bros. store on Saturday, Dec. 31. If you have an order, telephone Mrs. Ruth Henson.

Don't forget U. B. Ladies Aid cook books in your gift selections.

## Mrs. Olive Rayl is Hostess to Bridge Club

The Friday Afternoon Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Olive Rayl.

Mrs. Minnie Limp received lucky prize; Mrs. Gladys McClelland, traveling prize; and Mrs. Bertha Cook, guest prize.

A gift exchange was enjoyed following which refreshments were served.

Guests present were Mrs. Bertha Cook and Mrs. Lillie Bowman.

Members present were Mesdames Zermah Witt, Neva Frick, Jennie Nohren, Anna Struck, Delia Nohren, Minnie Limp, Edna Telling, Gladys McClelland, Margaret Anderson, Merle Block and Olive Rayl.

## M. E. CHURCH NOTES

W. Earl Ballew, Pastor

The Sunday School program will be given in the church Saturday night. All are welcome.

The Sunday School meets at 10:00 o'clock, on Christmas morning.

The Preaching Service is at 11:00. The message will be the Christmas sermon.

You have a double reason for coming to Sunday School and Church this Sunday—Christmas falls on Sunday.

## Rites For Mrs. O'Briant Held at Pleasant Ridge

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Margaret Boltinghouse O'Briant, of southeast of Allerton, were held in the Pleasant Ridge Methodist Church, Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with Rev. W. Earl Ballew, pastor of the Broadlands Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Pleasant Ridge cemetery, with Dicks Bros. in charge.

Mary Margaret Boltinghouse O'Briant, daughter of Isaac and Zelpha Boltinghouse, was born December 20, 1846, near Bloomington, Ind. She was married to James Stephens in 1870. To this union were born two sons, Isaac and Edward. In later years she married Mr. Green O'Briant, and lived at the homestead southeast of Allerton, almost 60 years. Failing in health the last few years she was cared for in a hospital, where she passed away Dec. 17, 1938. Had she lived just three days longer, she would have been 92 years of age.

She was commonly known to her neighbors and friends as "Aunt Mary," and was ever ready to assist her neighbors in any way.

Her husband, Green O'Briant, and two sons, preceded her in death several years ago. She reared her grandchildren as long as her health permitted. Mrs. Thelma Patton, a granddaughter was reared in her home until her marriage to Mr. Andy Patton.

She leaves to mourn her loss the following grandchildren: Mrs. Thelma Patton, Champaign; Elmer Stephens, Grape Creek; Harley and Ray Stephens, Effingham; Isaac, Jr., and Belle Stephens. Several great grandchildren survive her, also nieces and nephews, and many friends.

## Broadlands Grade School Team Defeats Homer

Prof. Ray Holt and his grade school team journeyed to Homer on Wednesday evening and defeated the grade school of that place by a score of 35-10.

Box score:	B	FT	TP
Broadlands (35)	2	0	4
Loyde McCormick	2	0	4
Jim Crain	4	1	9
Bob Gallion	4	0	8
Alvin Luth	2	0	4
Wallace Dicks	0	0	0
Oliver Sy	2	0	4
Francis Eckerty	3	0	6

Box score:	B	FT	TP
Homer (10)	1	0	2
Bogan	1	0	2
Tyler	1	0	2
Smith	0	0	0
Shoaf	0	0	0
Barnes	0	0	0
Evans	1	0	2
Bradley	0	0	0
Lloyd	2	0	4

## Connie Williams Celebrates 4th Birthday With Party

Mrs. Floyd Williams entertained a number of little folks at a party last Friday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Connie, on her 4th birthday anniversary.

Games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were Barbara Ann and Mary Jo Monroe, Doris Jane McCormick, Betty Jackson, Joan Baker, Edyth Beryl and Connie Eileen Williams.

Place your news items in our mail box at foot of stairway.

## FRED ALBERS DIES AT 90

Fred Albers, 90, retired farmer and highly respected citizen of Broadlands, died at Jarman hospital, Tuscola, on Friday afternoon, Dec. 16, 1938, following an illness of more than a year.

Mr. Albers fell at his home about a year ago and had been ill since.

Mr. Albers was born Jan. 29, 1848, at Hanover, Germany. He came to this country in 1867, settling on a farm between Broadlands and Sidney, where he resided for many years, later moving to his farm one mile east of Broadlands where he resided until about thirty years ago, when he moved to town.

He was married to Miss Anna Smith of Broadlands, who died about 46 years ago. Prior to his illness Mr. Albers resided alone at his home here. After the fall in which he was injured, Mr. Albers was cared for by a trained nurse, who was assisted by his nieces, Mrs. Henry Seider, Mrs. Martin Sy, and Miss Dora Albers.

The deceased was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from the late residence, with Rev. Wm. E. Klautsch officiating. Interment was in the Immanuel Lutheran cemetery, three miles northwest of Broadlands, with Dicks Bros., local undertakers in charge.

## Former Broadlands Citizen Dies at Oakland, Monday

Mrs. Anna Edens Wiese, a former Broadlands citizen, passed away at her home in Oakland at 2 p. m., Monday, Dec. 19, 1938.

Mrs. Wiese was born near Sidney, July 28, 1868, a daughter of Henry and Anna Edens.

Surviving are the husband, Fred Wiese; two sons, George of Filson; Emil of Homer; two daughters, Mrs. Cora Ogden of Hobart, Ind.; and Bessie Wiese, Champaign; four sisters, Mrs. Ida Hagerman, Champaign; Mrs. Marie Tremain, Marshfield, Ind.; Mrs. Minnie Boyd and Mrs. Bertha Block, Broadlands; and one brother, George Edens, of Antwerp, Ohio.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock at the residence at Oakland, then the body was brought to St. John's Evangelical Church near Broadlands, where services were held, with Rev. Karl Albers officiating. Burial was in St. John's cemetery.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends for their acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown following the death of our beloved son and brother, Fred Stearns. Such kindness is much appreciated and will long be remembered.

Mrs. Minnie G. Stearns and Children.

## Market Report

Following are the prices offered for grain on Thursday in the local market:

No. 2 new hard wheat	57c
No. 2 white corn	45c
No. 2 yellow corn	43c
No. 3 new white oats	25c
No. 2 new beans	70c









Your friendship makes our business all the more pleasant. With appreciation of your patronage during the past, we extend cordial wishes for a Merry Christmas.

**Block's Standard Service Station**



Wishing you every joy and pleasure this holiday season—and happiness in the days to come.

Margaret Anderson



Thanking all for their patronage and kindness during the past year, we extend best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Oscar Gallion



We wish for you and yours the very merriest of Merry Christmases. We hope that the Yuletide will bring new pleasures and joys to you all.

Pleasure Parlor



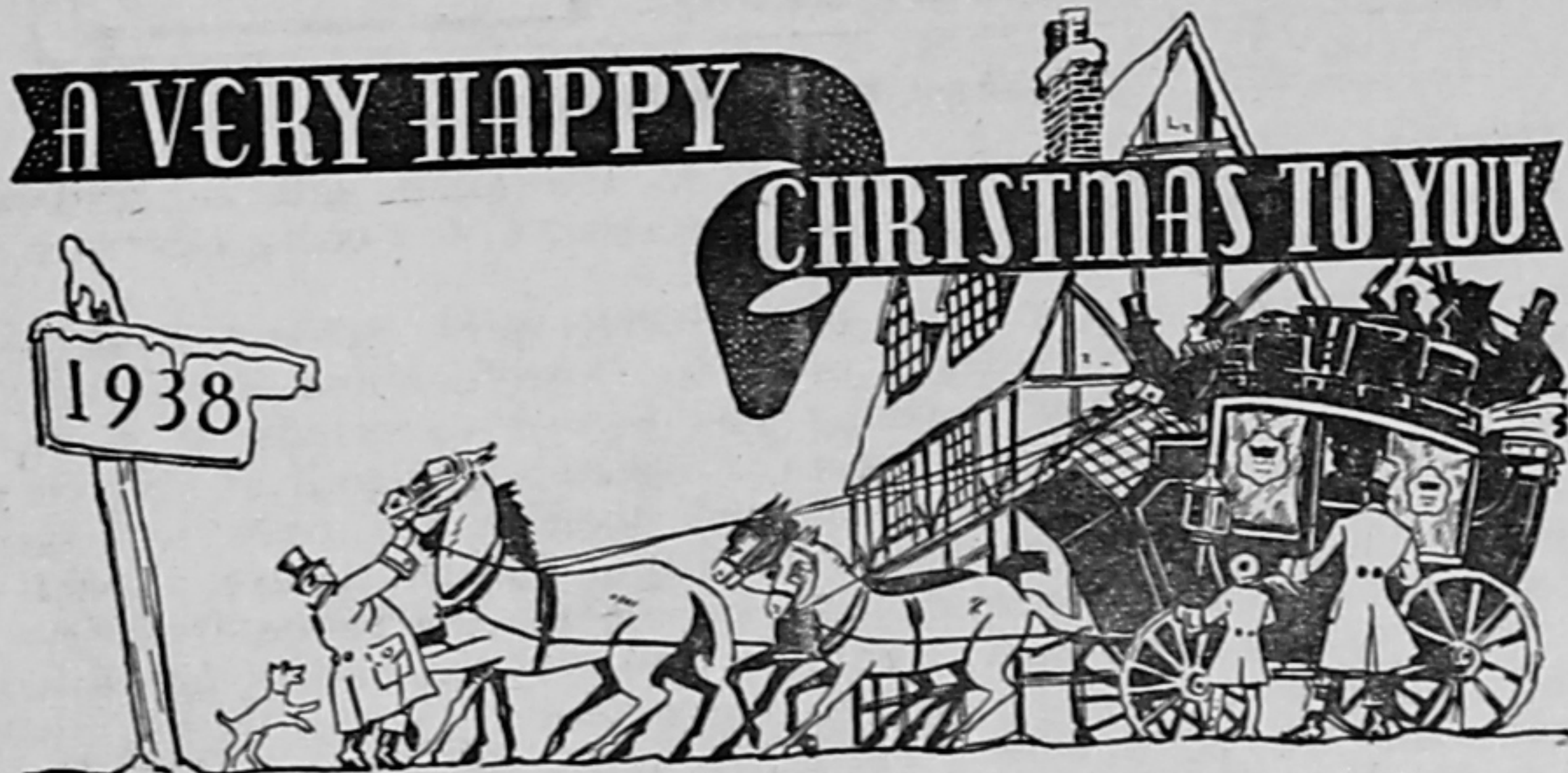
One of the pleasures of the Yuletide is to lay aside the routine of every day business and in real sincerity wish our friends a Merry Christmas.

Harold O. Anderson



At this Yuletide Season we extend best wishes to all for a Pleasant Christmas and a full measure of prosperity during the coming year.

**Bus Baldwin Garage**



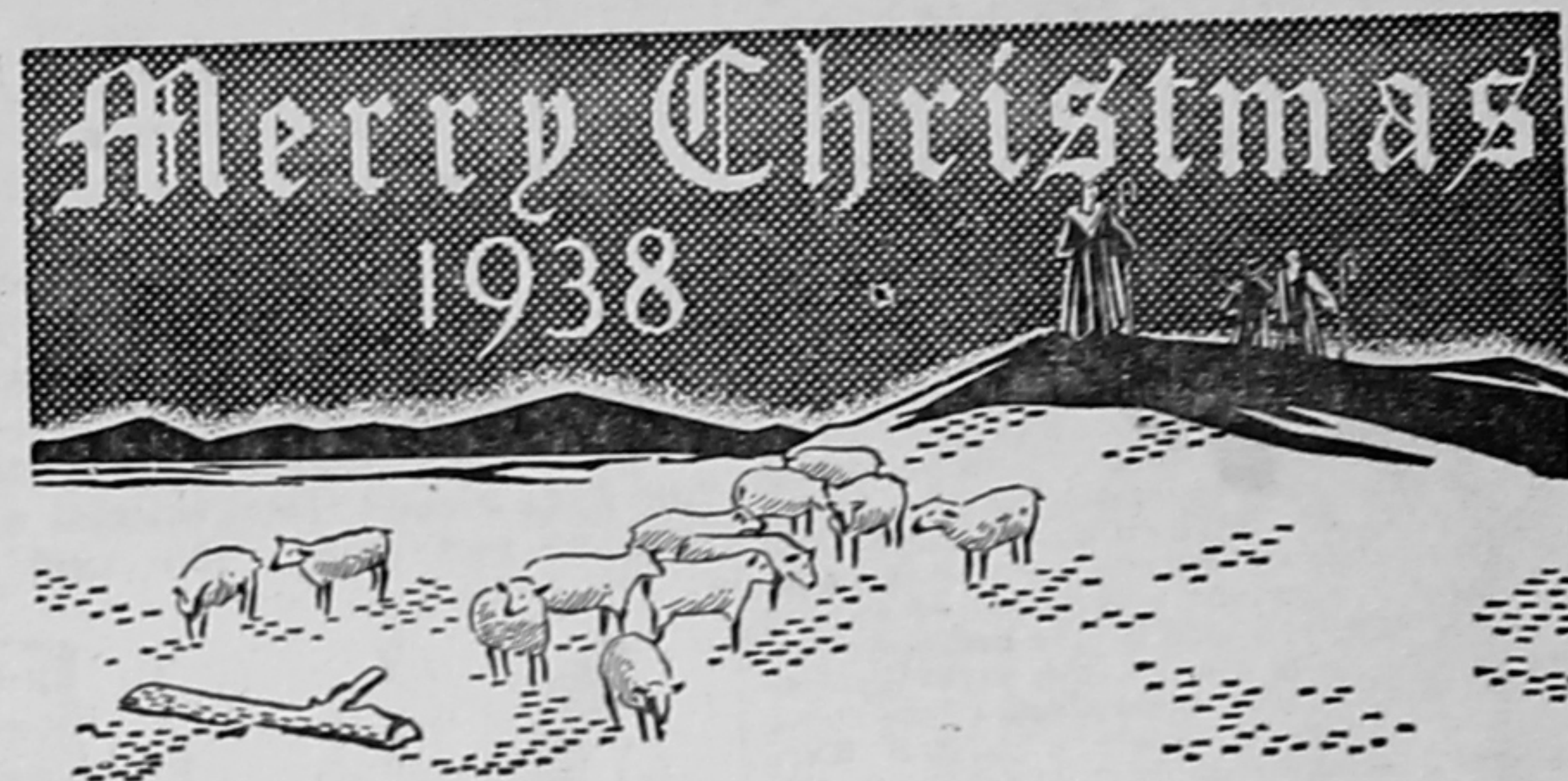
To each customer we'd like to give our Christmas greetings in person—but since we can't we do our best in this way.

Hugo Dewitt's Hardware



In the universal spirit of friendliness at this glad season, we extend our wishes for a delightfully happy holiday.

Eckerty's Cafe



To those whom we have served, we extend our sincere thanks and every good wish for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Struck Bros.



Christmas would be incomplete unless we expressed our deep appreciation for your patronage, and wished you and yours every Christmas joy.

Bergfield Bros.



We are hoping that you enjoy the happiness of Christmas and the holiday season. We take this opportunity to express our thanks for your patronage and hope that we may serve you in the year to come.

Brewer Chevrolet Sales



Extending the Season's Greetings we wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy Prosperous New Year.

Broadlands Grain & Coal Co.



To you, and you, and you—our friends, neighbors and customers! We gladly join with others whose privilege it has been to serve you, in sending our heartiest greetings—Merry Christmas! Happy New Year!

**C. T. Henson Lumber & Coal Company**



The Very Best of Wishes  
For Happiness and cheer  
First—A Merry Christmas  
Then—A Glad New Year

**VILLAGE INN**



May all the blessings you wish for and all the good fortune you can hope to find be yours this Christmas.

**DICKS BROS.**

**Interesting Notes**

James A. Garfield was our only left-handed president.

The Antarctic region is several degrees colder than the Arctic.

A doctor in Berlin prescribed by radio for a patient in Buenos Aires, a distance of 7,000 miles.

Melcher Roob of Cleveland still weaves rugs on a loom pur-

chased 48 years ago for \$7.

Approximately 191,000 dry oil wells have been drilled in the United States.

So enthusiastically did Lester Heimback of Sparta, Ill., dance the "shag" that he fell and broke his leg.

Five grandsons of John Silver of London will share \$15,000 provided they do not drink or

smoke or be vaccinated for 20 years.

Returning to their home in Brooklyn, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lohn discovered burglars had stolen \$250 and the bulldog they had left to guard the house.

Buried alive for more than 100 hours, M. Machurat, foreman of a well digging force in France, was still alive when rescuers reached him.

An ordinance in Indianapolis, Ind., states that people may quarrel as much as they please on weekdays, but it is unlawful on Sunday.

Helen Hayes, star of stage and screen, has a shooting gallery in which all of the targets are photographs of well-known dramatic critics.

Napoleon McIntyre of Newark, N. J., arrested on a charge

of stealing \$80 from a friend, crammed the money into his mouth and tried to swallow it.

George Durkee of Elgin, Ill., weary of rebuilding his fence after cars had crashed into it, has placed the fence posts on hinges so that it falls with little damage.

Elliot Maynard of Rochester, N. Y., earns his livelihood raising butterflies and moths for

collectors and schools and shipping them alive in small traveling bags.

**Food Sale**

The U. B. Ladies Aid will hold a food sale at Bergfield Bros. store on Saturday, Dec. 31. If you have an order, telephone Mrs. Ruth Henson.

Before criticizing modern women's apparel, just take a look through the old family album.



# THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

## CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

### PHOTOGRAPHY

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Cure your own hams, bacon successfully with Acme Pickle. Many packers use it. Complete directions. Satisfaction guaranteed. 4 lbs. cures 400 lbs. Only \$1.00 prepaid. Mid West Casing & Supply Company, 129 West Hubbard St., Chicago, Ill.

### PERSONAL

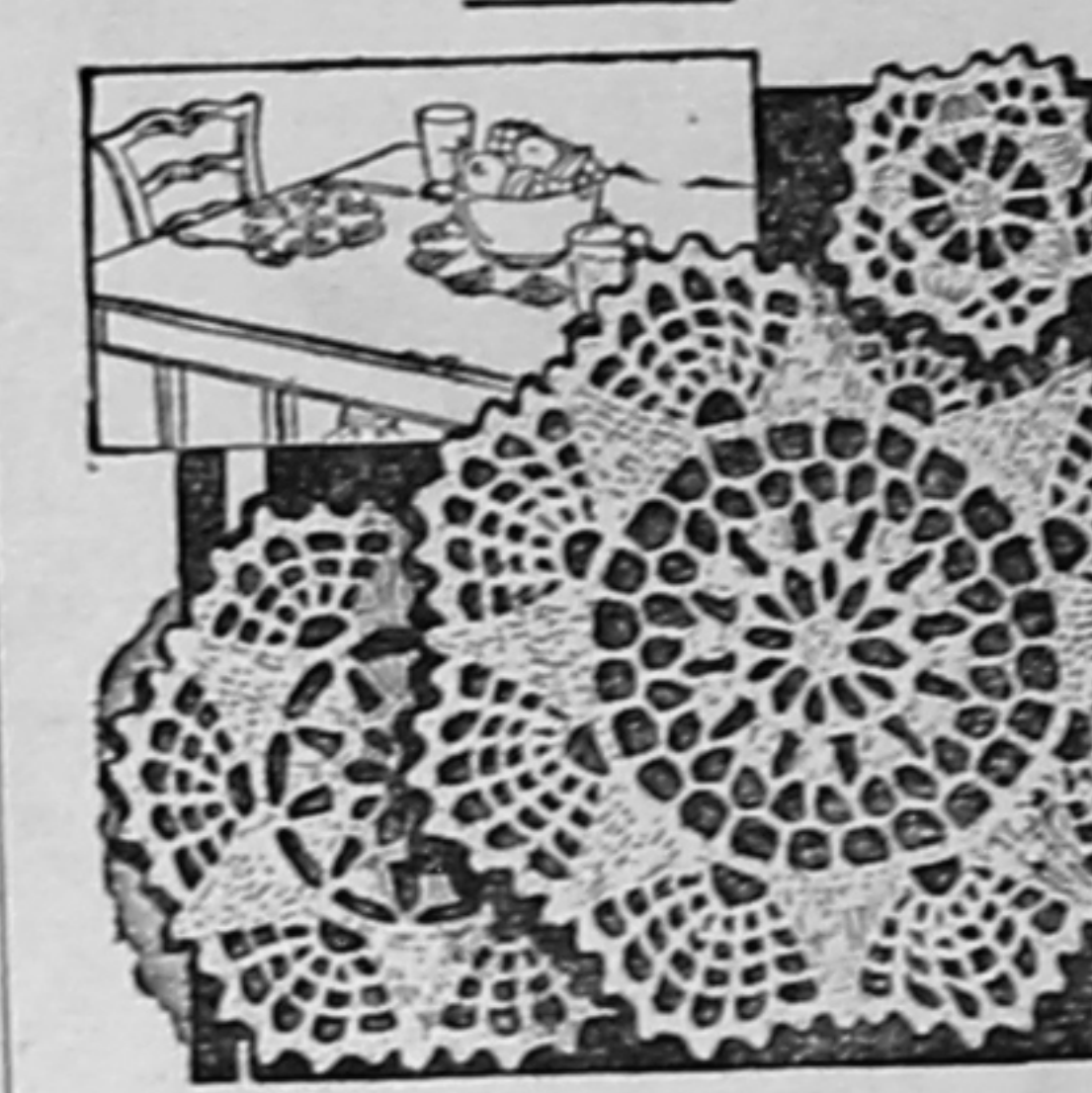
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### MISCELLANEOUS

Prospector needs supplies to develop Gold, Silver, Lead, Zinc Mine, near Leadville. Have machinery, 100 to 1 chance. Write for information. C. M. Vermillion, Kokomo, Colo.

PROFITS or HOBBY Readers' educational to grown-ups and children. Simple to make beaded bags, neckties, rings, headbands, bracelets, wall plaques, coasters, charm jewelry, cord pulls, toy furniture, mats, doilies, etc. Write for Second for circular. KENIGILL, 16 East 23rd St., N. Y. C.

### Lovely Doilies Can Be Crocheted in a Jiffy



Pattern 1715

Don't be lacking doilies when you can make such lovely ones as these in little time in 4 strands of string. The three sizes lend themselves to luncheon and buffet sets and to doilies. Pattern 1715 contains directions for making doilies; illustrations of them and of stitches; materials required; photograph of doily.

Send 15 cents in coins for this pattern to The Sewing Circle, Needlecraft Dept., 32 Eighth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly.

### Acquiring Beauty

Beauty depends more upon the movement of the face than upon the form of the features when at rest. Thus a countenance habitually under the influence of amiable feelings, acquires a beauty of the highest order, from the frequency with which such feelings are the originating causes of the movement or expressions which stamp their character upon it.—Mrs. S. C. Hall.

### BIG TOP

"Skookie" goes out to do his act with Alta who, so far, is going through her stunt o. k.



### LALA PALOOZA

Gonzales and Professor Zeero Get Together



### SMATTER POP—For a Second, Pop Forgot



### MESCAL IKE

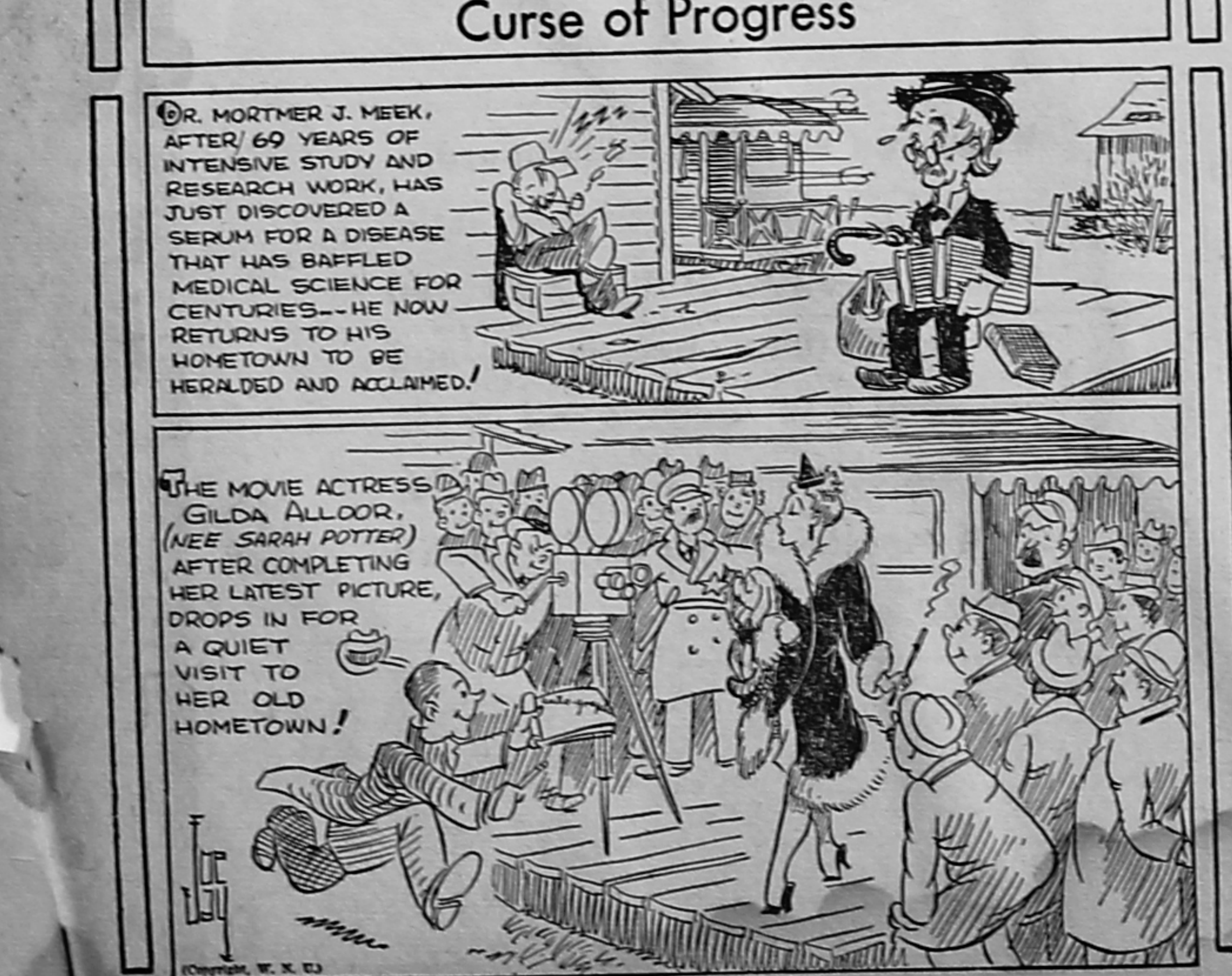
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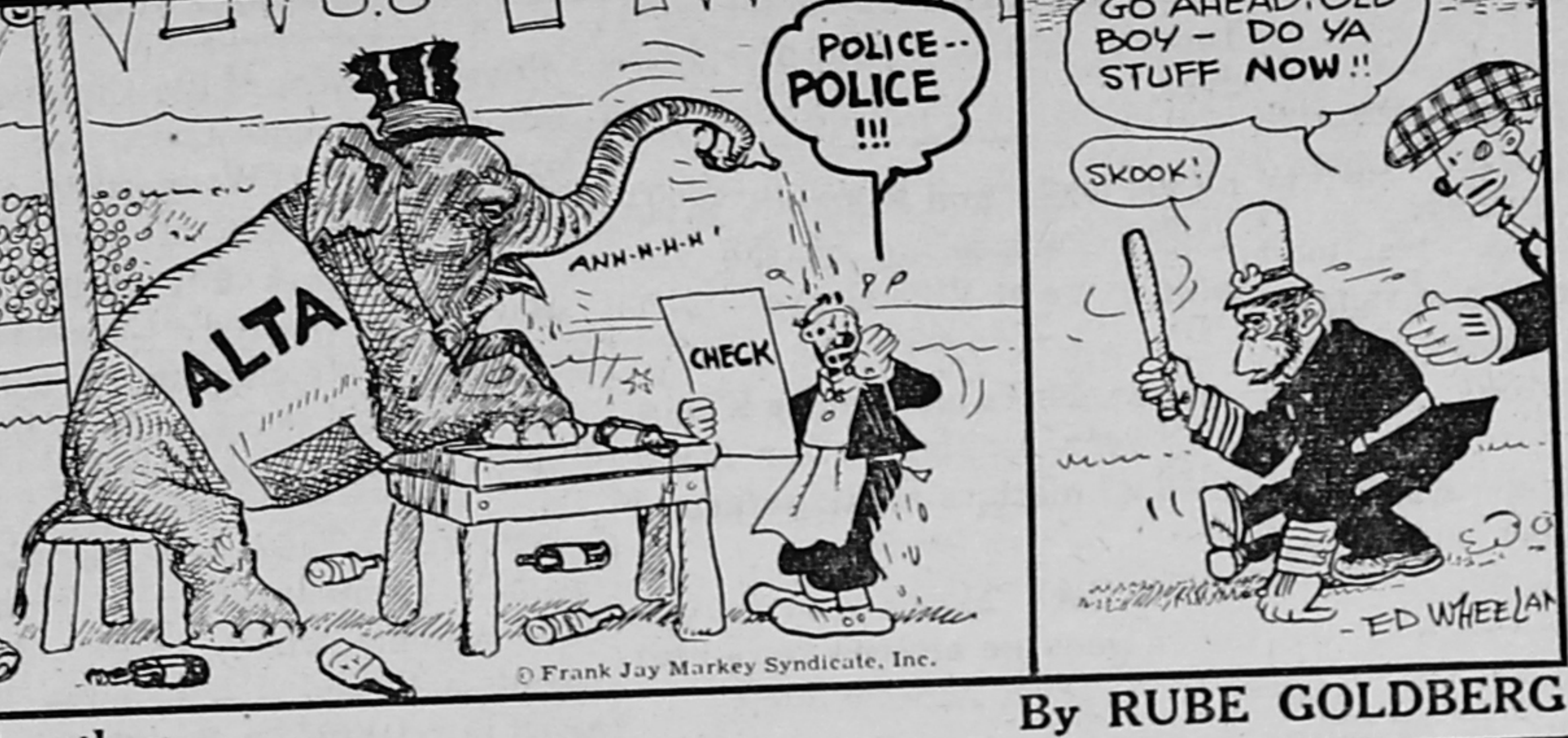
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### Curse of Progress



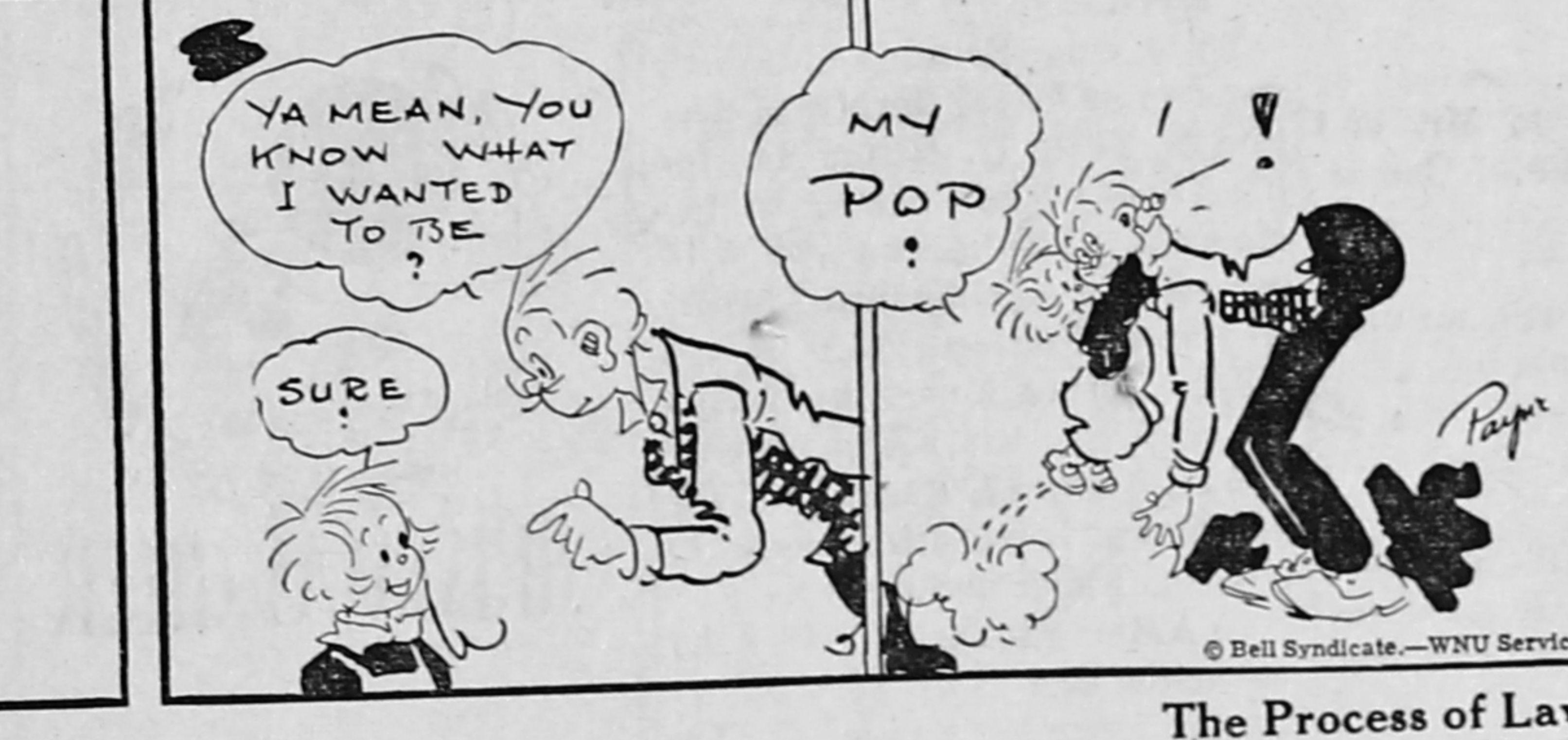
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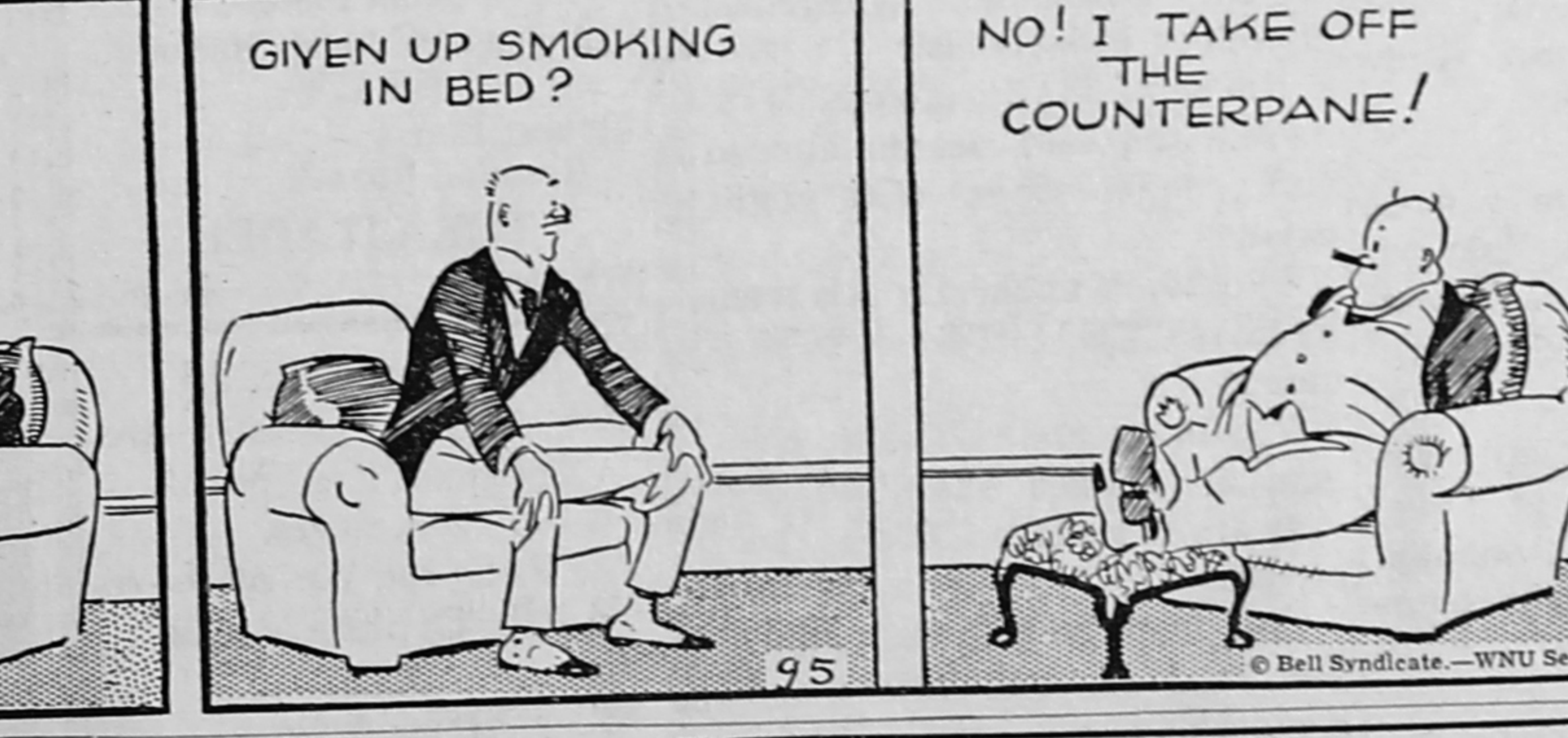
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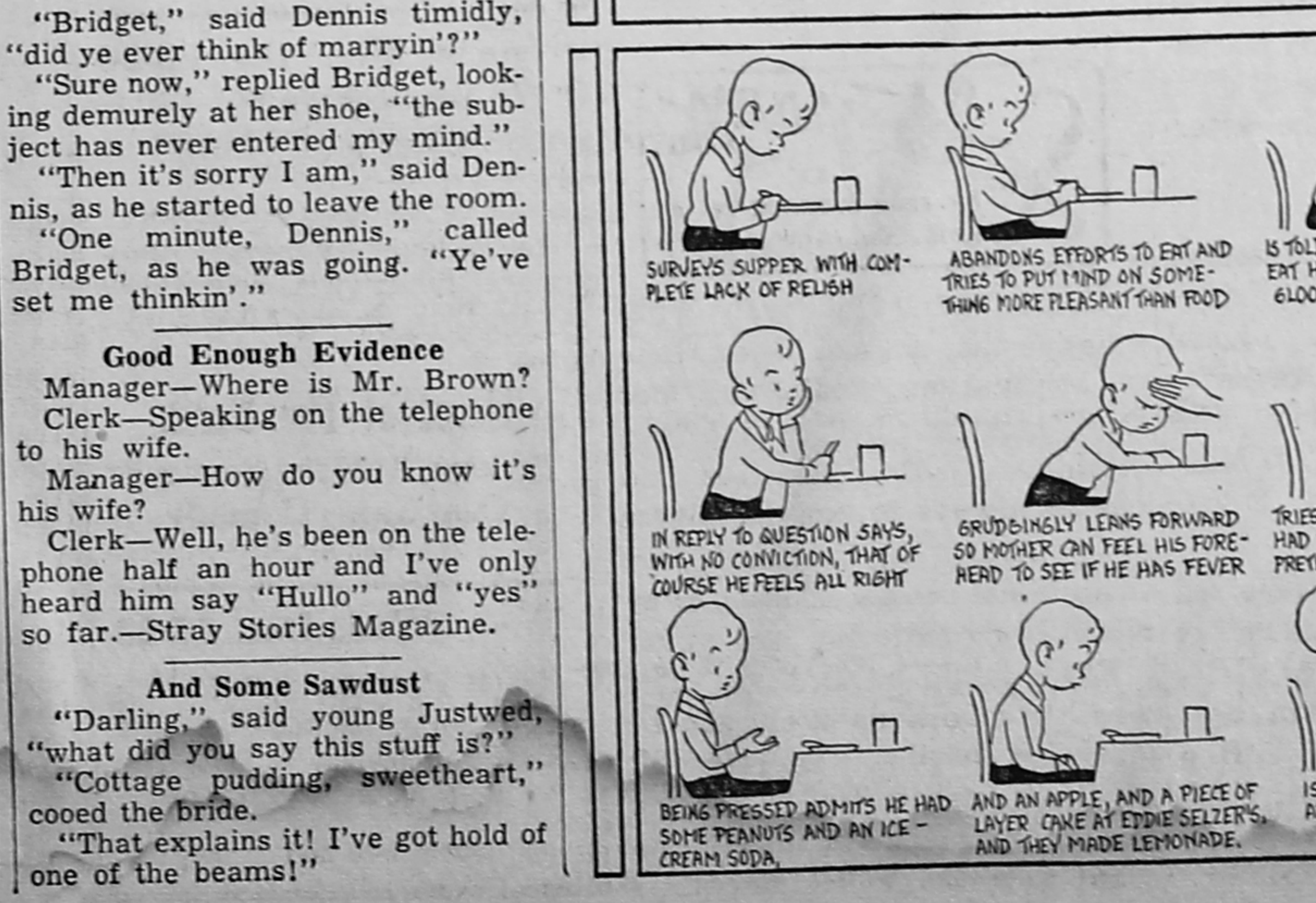
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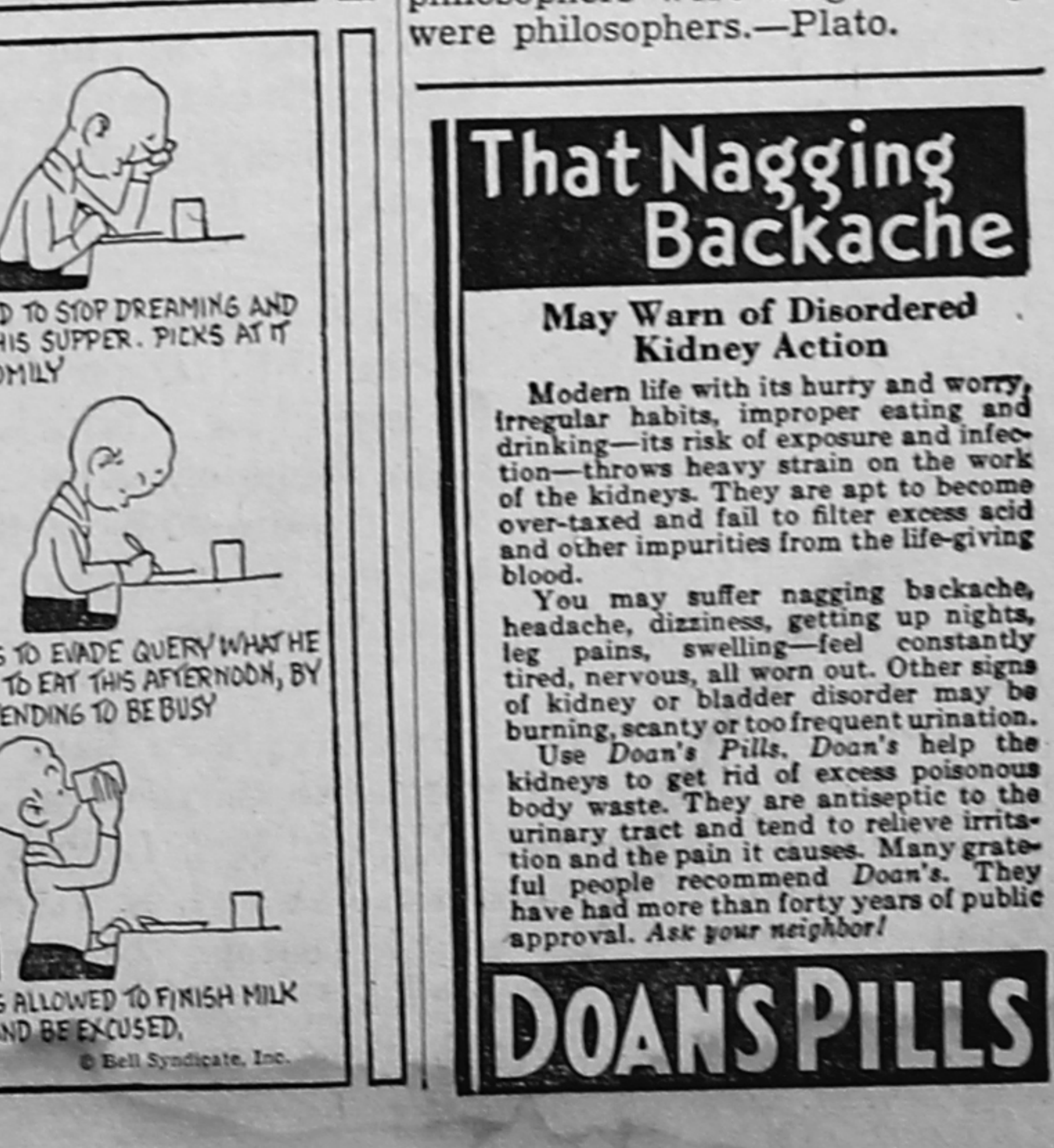
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SPUR TO THOUGHT



**2-DROP RELIEF FOR HEAD COLDS**

Head colds do make you feel miserable. Do this for relief: Put 2 drops Penetro Nose Drops in each nostril—so soothing, cooling to irritated membrane of the nose and throat. Astringent-like action of ephedrine quickly allows you "more room to breathe."

**PENETRO NOSE DROPS**

**Solitude's Effect**

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**Headaches and Fever**

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LIQUID, TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

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**That Nagging Backache**

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder may be burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

Use Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to get rid of excess poisonous body waste. They are antiseptic to the urinary tract and tend to relieve irritation and the pain it causes. Many grateful people recommend Doan's. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Ask your neighbor!

**DOAN'S PILLS**

## Orange and Blue Echoes

### STAFF

Editor-in-Chief—Edna Schumacher.  
Ass't Editor—Ferne Walker.  
Activity Editor—Jane Jarman.  
Sports Editor—Charles Hood.  
Feature Editor—Rosetta Smith.

George Akers returned to school Tuesday after having been ill with scarlet fever.

The sophomores surprised the school by putting out a paper, "Spillit," Wednesday.

Mr. Krughoff was absent from school Wednesday because of a severe cold.

The cooking class presented each member of the school board, Mr. Jarman and Mr. Brooks, with two pounds of home-made candy Tuesday night.

The Girl Scouts plan to sing carols at the windows of the townspeople at sunrise Friday morning. They will then meet at the high school and cook and eat their breakfast together. Leone Bergfield, Dorothy Myers, Betty, Pat and Esther Boyd will spend Thursday night with Jane Jarman in order to be in town early enough Friday morning.

Longview defeated Newman Dec. 13. The final score was 34-7. On Dec. 20 Homer defeated Longview high 39-23.

Longview and Homer are rated the best in the County. Let's hope we don't get in the same bracket with Homer in the tournament.

Longview plays Allerton here on Dec. 23 and plays them there on Jan. 3.

What the people in school are noted for:

Lois Bickers—her moods.  
Junior Churchill—his way with women.

Dorothy Myers—her good looks  
Andrew Henson—his personality.

Mary Wilson—her ability to get along with people.

Mr. Krughoff—collegiate air.  
Betty Boyd—her way of getting around.

The Home Ec Girls were entertained at a Christmas party last Monday, at the home of Inez Schweineke. Phyllis Stuebe, Edna Schumacher and Jessie Anderson were the assistant hostesses. There was an exchange of gifts. Guests present were Miss Nelson and Wanda Nohren. Before going out to the party the girls met in town and rode through the streets in Frank Martinie's truck singing Christmas carols accompanied by Leone Bergfield with her accordion.

## One Killed, Four Hurt in Wreck East of Broadlands

Aaron Burch, colored, of Chicago, was instantly killed and four other Chicago men were injured, one critically, early Saturday night in an automobile accident, two miles east of Broadlands on Route 49.

The men were enroute to Casey on a hunting trip. Burch, who was driving missed the curve and the car overturned in a ditch.

The body of the dead man was brought to Broadlands in Dicks Bros. ambulance and later removed to Campbell's funeral home in Champaign, where an inquest was held Sunday.

The four injured men, Major Berry, Arthur Simpson Ray and William Littlejohn were taken to the County hospital. Major Berry, 63, who was critically injured died Sunday evening at the hospital. The others are recovering.

## Local and Personal

The News is \$1.50 a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gallion were Danville shoppers, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCormick were Champaign visitors Saturday evening.

Ray Bowman and Carlos Brewer were visitors at Joliet, last Friday.

Mrs. John Bahlow and daughter, Miss Mabel, were Champaign visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Fred Messman and daughter, Miss Marjorie, were Champaign visitors, Saturday.

Leslie Cooper and family of Tuscola were Sunday guests at the D. P. Brewer home.

Paul Mohr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mohr, is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Enola Sy of Danville is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sy.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval McCormick and daughter, Norma Jean, were Danville visitors, Monday.

A Christmas program will be given at the local U. B. Church this Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Bruhn of Monticello spent Sunday at the John Bruhn home.

Word has been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Othol Hardyman of Camargo.

Mrs. Clyde Smith who has been very ill with typhoid, or rabbit fever for several weeks, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and daughter, Marjorie, of Danville were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Griffin of Newman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Griffin.

A Christmas program will be given at the local M. E. Church this Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Isaac Lewis and Miss Imogene Baird of Indianapolis spent the week end at the Albert Cummings home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith are parents of a daughter, born Tuesday morning at St. Elizabeth hospital, Danville.

A Christmas program will be given at the St. John's Evangelical Church on Saturday evening, Dec. 24, at 7:00 o'clock.

Floyd Williams and family visited Mrs. Geo. Walker at Lakeview hospital, Danville, Sunday. Mrs. Walker was brought home Tuesday.

Mrs. Arch Walker was hostess to the Allerton Woman's Club on Tuesday. Singing of Christmas carols and exchange of gifts were enjoyed during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Messman motored to Jacksonville, Friday of last week, bringing home their daughter, Miss Marjorie, for a three weeks vacation. Miss Marjorie is a freshman at MacMurray College.

Relatives here have received word of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Griffith of Fairland, at Jarman hospital, Tuscola, Sunday. Her name is Doris Marie. Mrs. Griffith was formerly Miss Cecil Maxwell.

## News Items of 12 Years Ago

Dec. 24, 1926

Misses Beulah and Margaret Gore were Danville shoppers.

The M. E. Ladies Guild met at the home of Mrs. Daisy Gore.

Kenneth Cable was home from Terre Haute to spend the holidays.

Carl Dicks and Kenneth Allen attended a meeting of the Masonic lodge at Villa Grove.

Alvin Zenke and Henry Kilian, Sr., were looking after some business matters at Ridgefarm.

Mrs. Cecil Moser and daughter of Danville arrived for a visit at the August Zantow home.

The Come Join Us class of the M. E. Church was entertained at a party at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Kenneth Dicks.

Mrs. Ira Laverick entertained the Dorcas Girls of the Allerton Presbyterian Church at a Christmas party.

## Albers Will Filed; Divides Real Estate

The will of Friedrich Albers, late of Broadlands, was filed Wednesday with the county clerk for probate.

To Alvina Ernestine Wilhelmine Sy he leaves the NW ¼ Section 29, Town 17, Range 14, for life, and at her death, to her children. She is charged with paying the Evangelical Lutheran synod of Missouri \$1,000.

To Dothea Albers he leaves the east ½ of the NE ¼ of Section 30, Town 17, Range 14, for life, and at her death it goes to Wilbert, Elmer and Cecil Sy.

To Antoinette Helen Seider, he leaves the east ½ of SE ¼, Section 29, Town 17, Range 14, for life, and at her death to her children. She is charged with paying the Lutheran synod \$500.

To Claus Hoops, John Fred Hoops and Henry Karlau, he leaves the south half of the northeast quarter, section 12, town 16, range 10 east in Douglas county for life and at their death to their children. They are charged with paying the Lutheran synod \$500.

Lots 1 and 2, block 3, John R. Johnson's addition to Broadlands is to be sold within two years after his death and \$50 given to the Lutheran synod and the rest to the Immanuel Evangelical church of Broadlands.

His home in Broadlands is to be sold and the proceeds applied on any indebtedness that might exist.

To Rev. William E. Klautsch he leaves \$25 for services rendered.

Martin Sy and Wilhelm Nonman are named executors and they are to receive \$250 for their services.

The instrument was signed Feb. 24, 1936, in the presence of Kenneth Dicks and Herbert Krenzien.—News Gazette.

## Safetygrams



Home for the Holidays! What a happy thought and what happy expectations! Do not mar this vacation by thoughtless driving. Visiting relatives and friends always brings happiness and pleasure to all, but one thoughtless act on the highway might bring suffering and grief. Roads might be slippery. The weather conditions might not be ideal for driving. Therefore it behooves every one of us to drive safely during the holidays. Safety preserves happiness!

## Long View News

Henry Mohr has been ill for several days, but is better now.

Mrs. Minnie Boyd was called to Oakland, Tuesday, by the death of her sister, Mrs. Anna Wiese.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Parks and the Merton Parks family were Clay City and Louisville visitors Tuesday.

Loyal Workers of the Christian Church were entertained at a Christmas party Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. C. Hagerman. A gift exchange and contests followed a Christmas program. Refreshments of fruit cake with hard sauce, coffee and cranberry sauce were served.

Mrs. Perry Todd was the victim of a pleasant surprise Monday evening when about fifty friends gathered at her home to assist in celebrating her birthday anniversary. Families of the Longview Christian church, several families in the Todd neighborhood, and families from Villa Grove were present. Several lovely gifts were presented Mrs. Todd. Ham sandwiches, coffee and cake were served.

## Time Tables C. & E. I.

Southbound	1:31 p. m.
Northbound	3:26 p. m.
Star Mail Route	
Southbound	7:15 a. m.
Northbound	8:30 a. m.



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Saturday, Dec. 24  
Mat. 5c-15c Nite 10c-25c  
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The Radio Kid We All Love  
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Also  
Buck Jones  
California Frontier

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10c-25c

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