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TWO LURED HERE IN WRECK LAST NIGHT

Rescue Work Continues In East, 200 Are Victims

New York, Aug. 22 (AP)—Rescue workers bulldozed through mountains of sludge and debris today in a search for still missing victims of one of the nation's worst floods which has claimed at least 200 and perhaps 300 lives.

Report Made By Sheriff

Twelve arrests were made over the past weekend by Sheriff Ed. E. H. R. Putrell and Deputy Sheriff Robert J. Putrell. Most of them were for public drunkenness.

Kenneth Wells At Convention

Kenneth W. Wells, Professional Photographer of Murray, is attending the 75th Anniversary Convention and Trade Show of the Photographers' Association of America this week (Aug. 15-19) at the Conrad Hilton Hotel, in Chicago.

WEATHER REPORT

Southwest Kentucky Partly cloudy and hot today with scattered thunderstorms this afternoon and tonight. High near 95. Low tonight near 75.

Kirksey Will Open On August 29

Kirksey School will open for the 1955-56 school year on August 29 with Commonwealth Attorney James M. Lassiter as the guest speaker.

FREE PUPPIES

Mrs. Reginald Butterworth, Lynn Grove Road, has five Collie puppies which she would like for someone to have.

BOARD TO MEET

The executive board of the PTA of Murray High School will meet Wednesday, August 24th, at three o'clock in Mr. Carter's office.

Second Ritual Planned By Snake Cult

HARLAN, Ky., Aug. 22 (AP)—Devout snake handlers today planned a second deadly ritual at a rustic worship spot in defiance of Kentucky police who broke up their "memorial" for a fatally bitten cultist.

Princess Margaret Has Birthday

BALMORAL, Scotland, Aug. 22 (AP)—Princess Margaret, attended by the handsome son of a Scottish nobleman, had a birthday party because today on the grounds of ancient Balmoral Castle.

Cool Breezes Crack Heat Wave

Cool breezes cranked the second big heat wave of the summer today, dropping temperatures as much as 37 degrees in the Midwest.

Herschel Pace And Family Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Pace and daughter, Janice, have just returned from their vacation trip in Virginia.

CAR ASSAULT

Two teen-aged youths today were charged with disorderly conduct for beating their car with a lead pipe.

Bible Institute To Open Soon

West Kentucky Baptist Bible Institute, Clinton, Kentucky, will open its fall session Monday, September 5, for day students, and Tuesday, September 6, for night students.

Local Boys Attend Purdue University Institute



Red Cross Makes Drive

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23 (AP)—The American Red Cross launched a nationwide appeal for funds today to help finance a "treasure-trove" disaster relief program for flood-stricken East.

Bill Dodson Attends School

Charlottesville, Virginia, 122 students from 30 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico are enrolled for the fourth, resident session of the School of Consumer Banking.

Cardinals Will Have Tryouts

The St. Louis Cardinals will conduct a tryout camp for all players between 17 and 23 years of age in Paducah at Brooks Stadium on Aug. 24 and 25.

Addresses Wanted

Dan Keith Taylor and Howard Roberts are stationed on the Island of Honolulu and would like to know about any local boy who might be stationed near them.

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Secret Conference Held By Powers

GENEVA, Aug. 22 (AP)—The United States met today with Soviet Russia and four other advanced atomic powers, and Canada and Czechoslovakia, two of the largest suppliers of uranium to both sides of the Iron Curtain.

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FOR RENT: 4 ROOM APT. with bath and electric stove. 300 South 15th. Tel. 1705. A232

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FOR RENT: FIVE ROOM HOUSE, 3 rooms unfurnished apt. room wired for electric stove. 308 South 8th. Phone 185-M. A84C

FOR RENT: IF YOU WANT TO rent a washing machine for 30 days call M. G. Richardson, Phone 74. A24C

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NOTICE

HAVE YOUR HOME INSURED now against termites. Five year guarantee insured. We spray for ants, moths, silver fish, mosquitoes, roaches, and spiders. Call Kelly Exterminator and Pest Control. Kelly Produce Co. Phone 441. S19C

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NOTICE: WILL TAKE ELDERLY lady in my home to care for. Any lady over 65. Call 1163-XM or 1097-W. Call by Sunday 5 p.m. A23C

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Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1-Dance step
- 2-Barytone
- 3-Sebacous
- 4-Crest
- 5-Whirlwind
- 6-Path described by celestial body
- 7-Dikworn
- 8-Diverting
- 9-Moans greatly
- 10-Bertrand
- 11-Worked at one's trade
- 12-Becket
- 13-Not a trade
- 14-Ace
- 15-Down
- 16-River in Germany
- 17-Decorate
- 18-Austrian dairy
- 19-Barrel makers

DOWN

- 1-Whistle
- 2-Body of water
- 3-Baker's
- 4-Blister verb
- 5-Whisker
- 6-Pallet
- 7-Device for removing iron
- 8-Boiler
- 9-Whisker
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CATTLE TESTED FOR ONION-FLAVORED MEAT

It's all right to run beef cattle on onion-infested pasture if they are removed from such pasture at least 4 days before slaughtering. When that is done the beef will have no onion flavors or odors.

This fact was established in a test at the Agricultural Experiment Station at Lexington and reported at the recent Livestock Field Day at the University of Kentucky.

Twelve grade Hereford steers averaging 715 pounds were placed on a mixed grass pasture heavily infested with wild onions. Animals were removed and slaughtered from time to time and their meat tested by a panel of tasters.

Beef from steers slaughtered the day they were taken off the onion pasture showed marked flavor and odors, after 2 days, slight onion flavors and odors, and after 4 days no onion flavor or odor could be detected.

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"LITTERBUG" REALLY LITTERED IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO (AP)— Clarence Watkins, 34, just broke an empty bottle on the street—but has he got troubles now.

Watkins was arrested as a "litterbug" for breaking the bottle and then police learned that he also was "littered" with 17 unanswered traffic charges.

Watkins explained that he didn't realize he was supposed to appear on the old tickets, dating back to October, 1951. Anyway, he said, somebody stole the tickets from the glove compartment of his car. He'll tell it to a judge Wednesday.

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THE first time Adam and Linda were together, he was twelve, she was eight. They were very close friends from the time they were five.

She sat and watched the easy way with which he slipped the black jacket out of the truck bed and took three long steps to the back. A view on the roof looked down on the road ahead. Adam looked back and saw the car.

Then he backed away from the house, squinting at the shingles. "You're not lined, Bill!" he shouted.

"Who says so?"

"I say so!"

The man snatched a string stretched from one ridge of the roof to the other.

"Yeah, but you've set your string crooked."

"You'll have to prove that."

"I can." Even as he spoke, Adam was swarming up the ladder, walking like a cat along the sloping gable. Rule in hand, he knelt and measured, went the roof length again, and measured. "Hail a Bill!" he declared.

Bill began to remove shingles while the boss reset the line. It was three o'clock.

Finished on that side, Adam disappeared over the ridge to join the other men on the far side. It was three-fifteen when he came back to Linda, but then he came back, his blue eyes very anxious. "You got a good wide door to that doghouse?" he asked the smiling young woman.

"I could have walked," she said.

"I'm sorry, but—"

"Sure, Bill had enough shingles to take it as it was. How was the other side?"

"O.K., Bill's a good carpenter, but you've got to watch him."

Adam whirled into the hospital drive. "I'm sorry I made you late," he said again.

"It's all right, Adam! Sometimes the shirt goes off without a single complaint."

"But if this shirt had some..."

"They'll be waiting to thank me," she laughed gaily. "Thanks for the lift. I'll see you!" She ran up the steps, her ankles slender, her skirt and scarf-end flapping prettily with the speed and grace of her movements.

Adam drove thoughtfully around the building and out into the street again. He wondered if Ann was at the hospital today. What would she think of his driving around town with another woman? His hand clutched the towel from the seat, and thrust it into the glove cubby.

Another woman.

Well, maybe Linda was just that. She'd joked about chewing Adam out, but Ann would really have done it in a situation like the one he'd just got himself into.

Linda's way was better, Linda was a more desirable companion—in situations.

Though it was two weeks before Adam saw Linda again—he wouldn't hunt her out, or phone to her—she became more steadily present in his mind as the "other" woman in his life. He kept counting whatever Ann said or did—or didn't do—with the things Linda probably would have said or done.

NANCY

I STILL SAY ALL WOMEN ARE CONCEITED

HEY GOOD-LOOKING

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LIT ABNER

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In all, Crockett was gone on his sight-seeing trip over 20 days. He wrote that he was "more glad he did it, but he was a bit weary. There is something about swaying back and forth on a saddle that a man can't get over."

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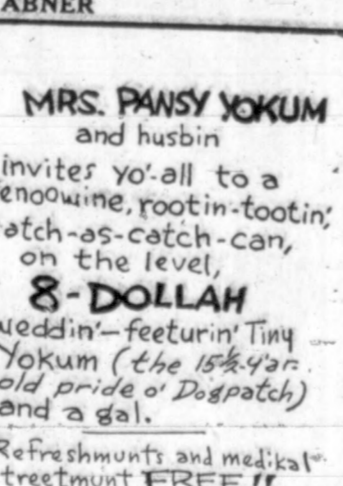
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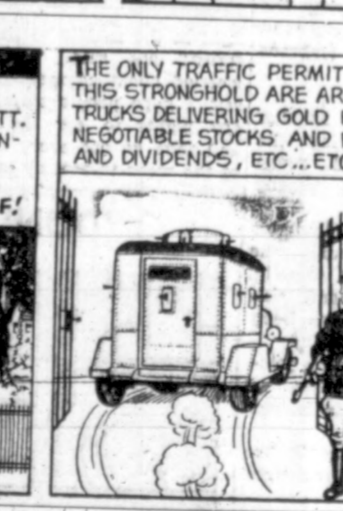
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MRS. PANSY YOKUM and husbin invites yo'all to a genuine, rootin'-tootin', catch-as-catch-can, on the level, 8-DOLLAR weddin'-feeturin' Tiny Yokum (the 15¢ 9¢ old pride o' Dogpatch) and a gal. Refreshments and medical treatment FREE!!



THE ONLY TRAFFIC PERMITTED INTO THIS STRONGHOLD ARE ARMORED TRUCKS DELIVERING GOLD BULLION, NEGOTIABLE STOCKS AND BONDS AND DIVIDENDS, ETC... ETC...



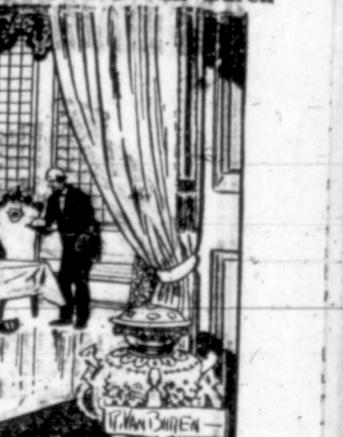
AND HERE IS MEENSLEY SPROCKETT HIMSELF PROTECTED, LOADED... AND VERY LONESOME!!



YO' KIDS BIN YAPPIN' T' SEE A CIRCUS? - WALYO' IS GONNA SEE SOMETHIN' BETTER! - A 8-DOLLAR WEDDIN'!



THE WARDEN SAYS, SINCE YOU'VE BEEN INVITED TO A GENUINE 8-DOLLAR WEDDING, HE'LL DELAY THE HANGING AND LOAN YOU HIS SHOES!!



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