



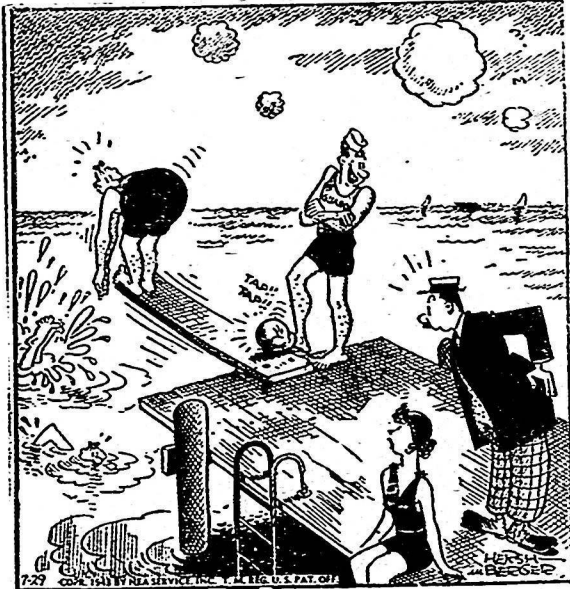
### THE SPORTING THING

BY LANG ARMSTRONG

"Now, you row us back!"

### FUNNY BUSINESS

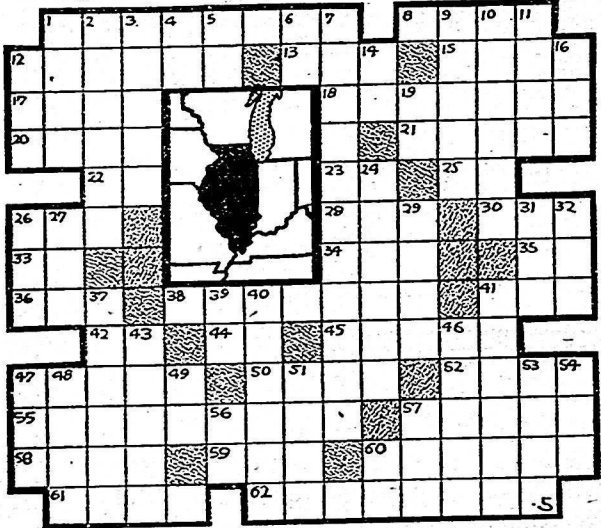
By Hershberger



"It speeds up hesitating divers."

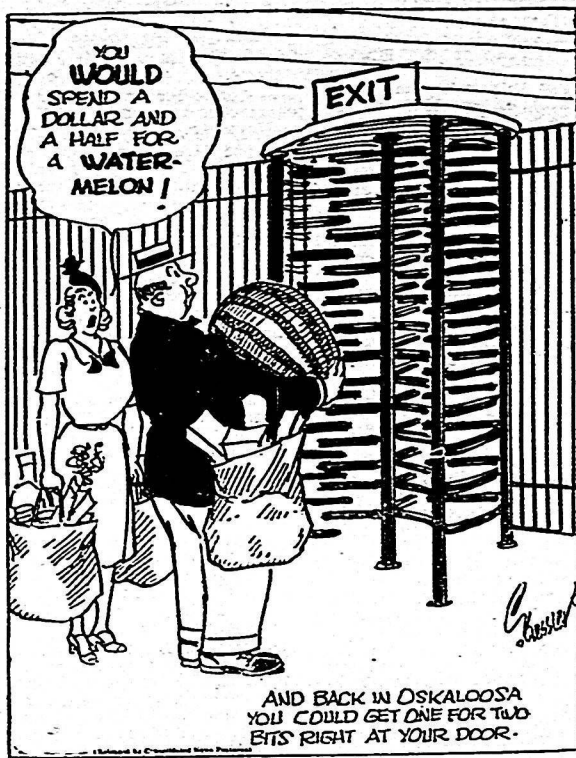
### SUCKER STATE

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Depicted state.  
8 It has an area of 56,665 square miles.  
12 Blathers.  
13 Animal.  
15 Girl's name.  
17 Dash.  
18 Showering.  
20 Actual being.  
21 Severity.  
22 Electrical term.  
23 Notary public (abbr.).  
25 Symbol for samarium.  
26 Insane.  
28 Beverage.  
30 Hawaiian kava.  
33 Area measure.  
34 Gratuity.  
35 Morindin dye.  
36 Fondle.  
38 It is part of the United States of —.  
41 Consumed.  
42 Rupees (abbr.).  
44 Cutting tool.
- Answer to Previous Puzzle**
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- 16 Agriculture (abbr.).  
19 Symbol for iridium.  
24 Portions.  
26 Cartograph.  
27 Part of "be."  
29 Close to.  
31 Large barrel.  
32 Malt beverage.  
37 Ditch.  
39 Parent.  
40 Praise.  
41 Eagles' nests.  
43 Poke up a fire.  
46 Newspaper paragraphs.  
47 Amount (abbr.).  
48 Watercraft.  
49 South Carolina (abbr.).  
51 Feminine name.  
53 Poker stake.  
54 Manuscripts (abbr.).  
56 Him.  
57 Kangaroo (colloq.).  
60 Symbol for chromium.
- VERTICAL**
- 2 Rented.  
3 Narrow roads.  
4 That thing.  
5 Nova Scotia (abbr.).  
6 Indian Army (abbr.).  
7 Its capital is —.  
9 Hindu queens.  
10 Riddle.  
11 In the year (Latin).  
12 Honey maker.  
14 Babylonian deity.



### Home-Town Echoes

By C. Kessler



AND BACK IN OSKALOOSA YOU COULD GET ONE FOR TWO BITS RIGHT AT YOUR DOOR.

### SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Sh! A couple more week-ends and our guests will have this place in shape."

### MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER



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### Seems Like Yesterday

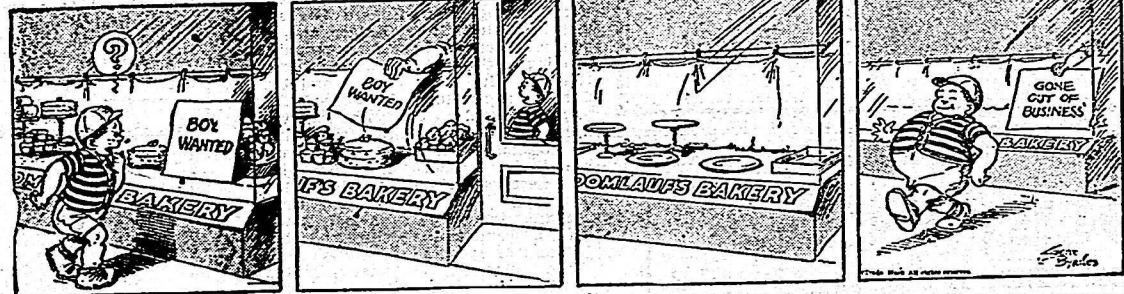
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BACK IN THE PROHIBITION DAYS WHEN OLD DEACON ELDERBERRY, THE VILLAGE DRY, WANTED TO BUY FIVE POUNDS OF RAISINS.

### REG'LAR FELLERS—A Full Career

By GENE BYRNES

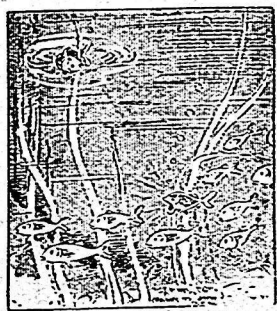


### MUTT AND JEFF—The Secret Is Out—Mutt Must Have Been a Bottle Baby

By BUD FISHER

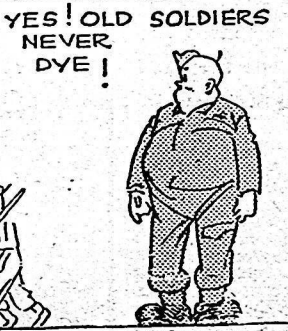


### THE SPORTING THING



"Junior! Stop playing hockey!"

### POP—No?



By J. MILLAR WATT