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Guam Becomes Important

N June of 1898, the U.S. cruises Apra in Guam and fired a shot, The thinking it was a salute, came out to explain that he couldn't reply to it, having no guns or ammunition And the U. S. commander kindly explained that there was a war, and that the governor, like Annie of the song, 'didn't live there any

That is how the United States States has spent money to keep it out of the poorhouse, with a trickle of copra as the reward.

Guam was kept in the moment of naval enthusiasm that swept the country after the Spanish war when all countries were grabbing for "coaling stations" and bases" all over the world. By the United States it has been largely forgotten except by unval officers who always regarded a tour of duty there as something like a French sentence to Devil's Island. Guain itself, as Guam, is nothing.

Now suddenly it is importan again. For a proposal is being made to fortify it. This forsaken island in the south Pacific is to be turned into a Gibraltar, a Singapore,

This is something into which every American ought to took with the greatest care. It is wital; the decision made here may affect the whole future of the country.

Guam is 6250 miles from Sai Francisco, It is 9500 miles from the Panama Canal,

it is 3850 miles beyond Honolulu which for years we have called our "cutpost defense" in the Pacific It is only 1300 miles from Yoko-

only in the defense of continental for a modest little binge, there United States, the Panama Canal, will be lines a block long waiting and Alaska, That's been our usual assumption, for we are to leave the Philippines within a few year -we have promised.

There may be good military defemily reasons for fortifying Guam. That is for the military to lot of showing. The more natura that a tortified tham would be used for offensive operations in

Certainly Japan will seemine that imagine Japan fortifying an island

against fortifying Guam. It is more by an effort to suggest that the move, once taken, commits the United States to addisations and nined open-eyed and with atmo-Course, let us understand quite dell

Throwsters and Dingmen

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prepares certain threads for knit ing and weaving. It involves soak winding, twisting, reeling toubling and splitting warps spooling and quilling and skeining It's like the dingmen. These auto factory employes rated a great deal of space in the papers with out most people knowing what manner of men they were (They nammer out certain shapes in the

Which all goes to show how cor dicated industrial civilization is Men and women work, and make a living at jobs whose very name are a complete puzzle to others.

Is Death Penalty Dying?

TTS been a long time since the country has been swept by any kind of a concerted campaign to abolish capital punishment.

Back in the old-fashioned days of he early 1900's, when human life there used to be periodic cam-paigns against the death penalty as barbarious.

But since the World war set up ,000,000 white crosses and popple China were killing their million world of some dangerous scour irel by summary execution sound

But it is not that bad. A commi ce of 40 lawyers banded together Charleston hove into the port of penalty in Massachusetts, found death penalty with no alternative Massachusetts, Vermont, Connecticut, North Carolina, New Mexico and Florida.

Gradually the apparently loss ideal of a society that could main tain itself without the punitive ruthlessness of a Chinese war lord. has been making progress even without an active or recognize got Guant. And for 40 years the campaign. That is often the way of navy has governed it, the United progress. Long campaigns yield nothing; the reformers tire and say "It is hopeless; nothing can b done!" And then, while they speak the fruit they tried so long to pick drops in their lap, dead ripe at

Editorials on News

AMONG the cocktail bars, the Sky Room at the Empire still has the pole and is leading by at Crudities like red noses are not tolerated at nice places like the Sky Room, where the walters are celled hair.)

It is on the 24th floor and if yo get there at the magic hour that isn't daylight and still isn't duel with the lights winking out all over the great city that lies a your feet and the bay spanned by its breath-taking bridges with their gleaming there of lights, i doesn't matter what the price of

ON SATURDAY evenings, who the weather is just right and everybody has the fingling urge to get to the elevator.

The Sky Room is referred to with gentle surcasm as "The Litthe Gold Mine in the Sky," and the take sound like the mutterlies of

mention until they found the per-fect combination in which all wathen looked affirming

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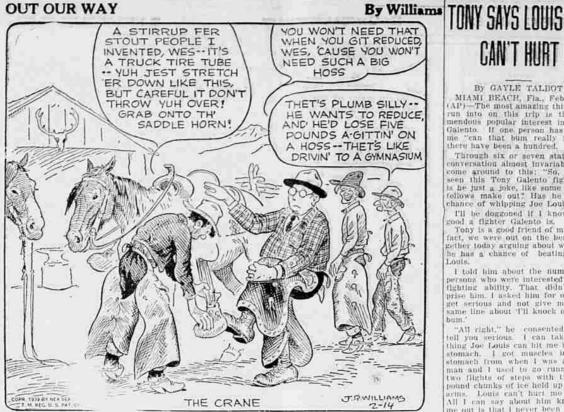
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The Adventures of Ug

Story of An Ancient Malcontent, Whose Problems Were Similar to Those of His Modern Counterparts.

RAMBLINGS **NEW USEFULNESS** Paul Jenkins

Inventor's Process Takes MOVING picture theatre preview Out Ink, Brings Forth Fresh Newsprint.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (All) places and approximate to some places many than a construction of the next meal.

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Welded together by magic of Katherine Gentner, Medford, secretarion may be a convention will be veterant of Foreign Wars of the United States and 2500 ladies and allow the states and 2500 ladies as part of what is expected to be the greatest millouwide rally even a tempted in the listory of this gold chevron outfit, when the Sthammal "Hello America" radio program takes the air on the night of February 15.

Obligation to Hundreds of

VFW SETS ANNUAL

Pacific time, this 1939 radio roundup of new members promises to be
a record breaker, according to Si
Van Voorst, commander of the local post, who has information
from bendquariers to the effect
that more than 500 new members
will be obligated in Boston and
loundreds of others shawhere
throughout the country. Commander-in-Chief Eugene I. Van Antwerp, speaking from the key ceremony to be held in Boston, will deliver the solemn each of obligation before a microphone of the
National Broadcasting company,
which will carry his voice, via the
wires of the Blue network, to aff
corners of the United Statos.

As in the past, the sixty-minute

corners of the United States.

As in the past, the sixty-minute program will come to an impressive climax when the national commander delivers the V. F. W. membership obligation simultaneously to the group of new members standing in front of him in Boston and to initiates all over the country via radio.

Included in the program will be talks by Governor Saltonsall of Massachusetts and Mayor Maurice Tobia of Boston.

One of the musical features of the V. F. W. boys band from Warren, Ohio, winners of the 1938 national championship title at the 33th mational convention held in Colimbar bands of the 1938 national

championship title at the 34th na-tional convention held in Colum-bus last August.

All local members, as well as the public, are urged to time in on this program. Commander Van Voorst, has amounced that any overscas veteran who wishes to be obligat-ed by the national commander get in touch with officers of the local post.

BARBS 🛪

Through six or seven states the onversation almost invariably has

BY GAYLE TALBOT

CAN'T HURT HIM

conversation almost invariably has come around to this: "So, you've seen this Tony Galento fight? or is he just a joke, like some of the 'follows make out? Has he got a chance of whipping Joe Louis?"

Dbligation to Hundreds of New Members Will Be Broadcast Tomorrow.

Welded together by magic of will be made to the solution with the three-day conference which closed here Sanday. Mickey Pearson of Klannath Falls was chosen as vice-president and will be more than 2800 costs of the cost. The next convention will be the cost of th

KRNR Mutual Broadcasting System 1500 Kilocycles

(REMAINING HOURS TODAY)

1;00- Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS.
4;15- To Be Announced.
4;30- Clipper, MBS.
5;00- Tea Dansant.
5;10- Johnny Murray, MBS.
5;50- The Children's Hour.
5;45- Reviews and Previews from the State Capitol.
6;00- Tonight's Tune.
6;05- Hansen Motor Co. News.
6;10- News-Review News Flashes

6:10—News-Review News Flashes 6:15—Gen. Shafter Parker, MBS. 6:30—Ed Fitzgerald Review,

6:45—The Johnson Family, MBS, 7:00—The Phantom Pilot, MBS, 7:15—Mutual Maestros,

7:30—The Green Hornet, MBS, 5:00—Interlude,

Ston-Clyde Lucas Orch, MRS.
8:15-Don't You Believe It, Sensation Cigarettes, MBS.
8:30-Of Life and Death, MRS.
9:100-Aika Seltzer News, MBS.
9:115-Frank and Archie, MRS.
9:30-Gee, Hamilton's Orch, MRS.
9:45-Skinnay Ennis' Orch, MRS.
10:90-National Authem, sign off.

WEDNESDAY, PEBRUARY 15 7:00 Stuff and Nonsenae 7:30 News Beview Newscast, 7:40 Hansen Motor Co. News. 7:45 J. M. Judd Says "Good Morning."

Morning."
7.50 - Rhapsody In Wax.
8.00 - Sons of the Pioneers,
8.15 - Haven of Reat, MBS.
8.15 - Women's Page, MBS.
8.15 - Hower Town, MBS.
9.00 - The Ballodeer, MBS.
9.15 - Home Town, MBS.
9.15 - Herrie Cummin's O MBS.
10.00 - The Hanny Gang, MB

10:00 The Happy Gang, MHS. 10:15 Mamma Bloom's Broad, Copce. 10:30 Our Quarter, MHS.

County Basketball Games

DRAIN VS. OAKLAND

DRAIN Feb. 14.—The Drain high glass girls practically clinched a place in the country volleyball tournsment division basketball league by virtue of a 31 to 18 victory over the Coakland team here Friday night.

The Oakland players took a short lead when they dropped the tipoff livant 4, D. Manning 5, Holmes, through for two points, but Drain Alen 2. V. Manning 7, Morgan, soon tied the score and went ahead, Rogers 2. Strickland, Schulze, with the first quarter coding 12 to 2.

The standings:

Til be doggoned if I know how good a fighter Galento is.

Tony is a good friend of mine. In fact, we were out on the beach together today arguing about whether he has a chaine of beating. Joe Louis.

I told him about the number of persons who were interested in his fighting ability. That didn't surprise him. I asked him for once of get serious and not give me that same line about Til knock out dat binn.

"All right," he consented. "I'll tell you serious. I can take anything Joe Louis can hit me in that stomach. I got muscles in that stomach from when I was an iene mand I used to go runnin up two flights of steps with two flows and and I used to go runnin up two flights of steps with two flows of the hild give in the first place in the southern divorment that he were heen knocked out."

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY FELLOWSHIP ASSN.

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ingglass floor Friday.

The victory assured the Yellowjackets of a spot in the county Bleague tournament for the first
time in the years. The fails are
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year. inches of a spot in the county is leaded to desire the test of a spot in the county is leaded to the test time in five years. The fans are extremely optimistic over prospects for next year in view of the fact that this year's team includes only one scalor, so that practically the entire squad will be back for next year.

Friday's game was a sensational contest in the closing beriod Lookingaliss, holding a 23 to 10 lead as the foorth quarter opened, attempted to stall in the last few minutes, but Wilbur refused to be halted and broke through to come within one point of (ving the score as the game ended.

The lineups:

Lookingaliss (29) (28) Wilbur Ward (6) F (13) Bartram Matthews (3) F (7) Pearson Green (4) C (2) Page Will (10) G (3) Fitch Substitutions: Lookingaliss (4) Fitch Officials: Kennedy, referee; Zumwalt, scorekeeper; Marsh, timekeeper.

The preliminary girls volleyball game went to the Lookingaliss addes 23 to 21. The big thrill came shortly before the fluid whistle, when Wilbur moved into a 212.1 tie, only to be nosed out in a wild fin.

tooth. 22 Started.

25 Pair.

23 Northeast, 24 Tone B,

27 Journeys. 29 Line. 31 Electrical

37 North Africa.

Wilbur-N. Marell 1, Y. Farell 3, Beatty 6, Sands 4, W. LaRaut 1, Total

W L. Pet. Beatty 6, Sands 4, W LaRaut 1, 1, and 3, 4, 1, and 4, and 5, and 5, and 5, and 5, and 5, and 5, and 6, and

OSC BASKETEERS DOWN IDAHO, 42-29

CORVALLIS, Ore. Feb. 11— (AP)—The Oregon State Beavers aimed for another victory tonight in their northern division, Parific Coast conference "cellar series" with the University of Idaho Vandals.

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HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

9 It is named after a marty 14 Dowry. 16 Blemish. 17 Mugs 18 To hanker

43 To total.

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55 Switchboard

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40 Made of steel, 42 Split, 46 Go on (music) 47 Os. VERTICAL

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48 Foretoken. 49 To droop. 50 To drive out. 52 Eccentrie wheel. 53 Sun god. 55 Jumbled type. 56 Ell.