

# Pictures Add Personality to Presentation of Current News



Charging breach of contract, Marjorie Herbst Browning, first adopted daughter of the late millionaire, Edward (Daddy) Browning, is suing to recover \$1,000,000 of the estimated \$4,000,000 estate left to another adopted daughter, Dorothy Hood, who is fighting the suit in New York court. Miss Browning is shown at left, in court, with Mrs. Nellie Adele Browning, first wife of Browning, who is supporting her case.



Alfred Willis re-enacts flogging

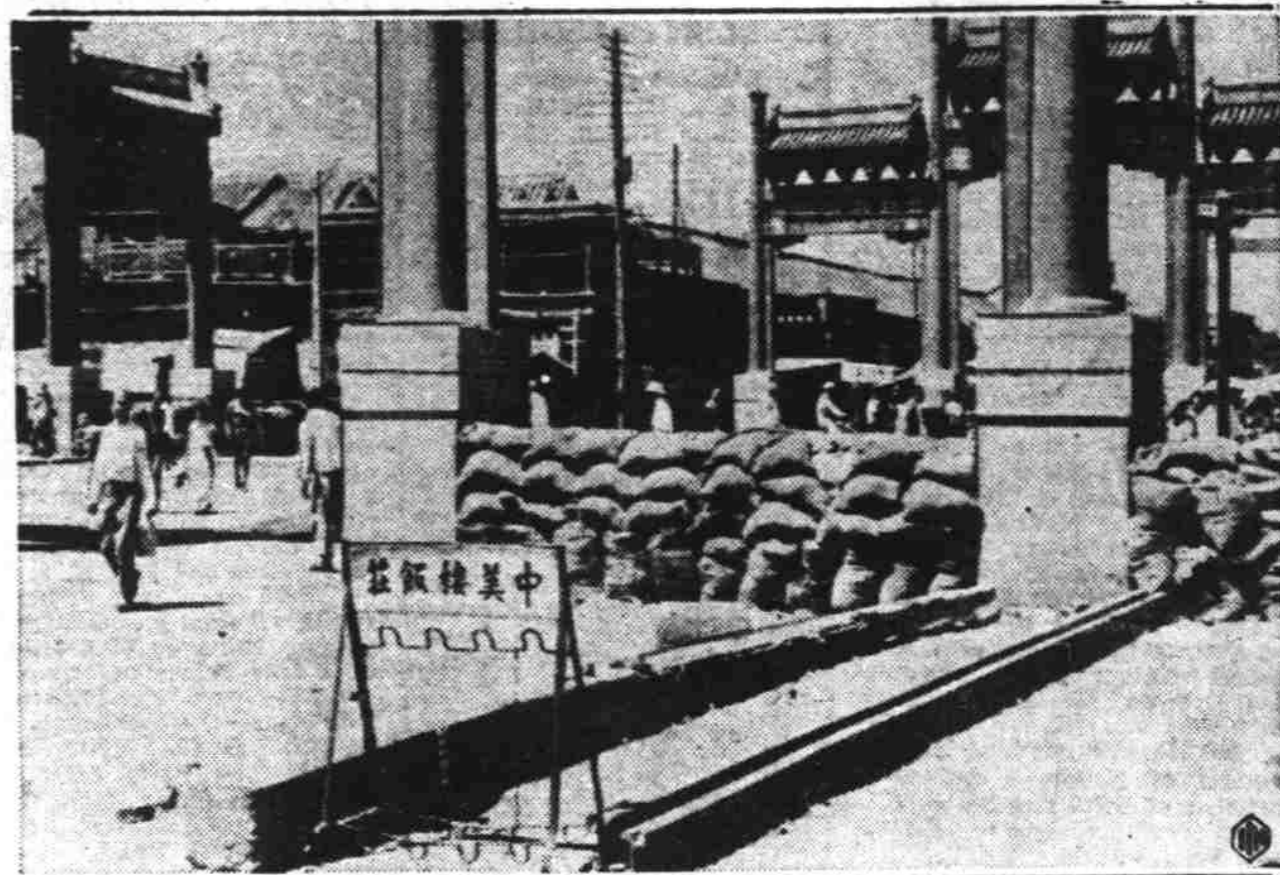


Eloise Willis

Charges of assault were filed against Eloise Willis, 17, of New Orleans, inset, and her father, Alfred Willis, 58, by Oscar Kay, 47-year-old WPA worker, who claimed he had been tied to a tree and severely beaten by the girl and her father. The Willises said the attack had been provoked because of slanderous tales allegedly told by Kay about Miss Willis. The elder Willis, left, is shown re-enacting the flogging with a friend as the "subject".



This 22-year-old Dallas, Tex., girl, Clarise Moellenkamp, needn't back down for anyone because she was selected as the young lady having the most "perfect back" at the Pan-American exposition.



A sandbag barricade, one of several erected in Peiping, failed to stop the Japanese march on the city for Japanese troops now control the ancient city following several reversals at the city's gates.



Robert Irwin



"Ronnie" Gedeon



Samuel M. Leibowitz

Defense of Robert Irwin, eccentric sculptor who has confessed the slaying of Veronica "Ronnie" Gedeon, her mother and a boarder on Easter Sunday, will be defended in court by Samuel M. Leibowitz, ace New York crime lawyer. Leibowitz has compiled the phenomenal record of 116 "victories" in 116 major murder cases. Not one of his clients has paid the death penalty. In the Irwin defense, as in many of his past trials, he will plead that the defendant is the victim of a faulty environment.



Passing out literature

When a large group of United Automobile Workers' union members distributed union literature at the gates of the Ford Motor company plant at Dearborn, Mich., above, there were no disorders of any kind, in contrast to a previous attempt to propagandize Ford workers on May 26 when U. A. W. members were badly beaten.



Glen Barker and parents

An arresting scene of tragedy and pathos took place in jail at Appleton, Wis., above, when 22-year-old Glen Barker, sentenced to 14 years in prison for fatally stabbing his sweetheart in a jealous rage at a dance hall, bid farewell to his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barker, before leaving for the penitentiary.



John Hamilton

Mrs. Pearl Wates

Political observers say John D. M. Hamilton, chairman of the Republican national committee, is on the way out and will be supplanted by Jan. 1. Hamilton is shown above talking with Mrs. Pearl Wates of Alabama in Washington as women members of the G. O. P. national committee held a meeting to rally their forces.



One of the hottest fights of this session of congress is between the southern bloc of legislators seeking crop loans, particularly on cotton, and the president who is determined not to authorize such loans until congress passes the administration bill to control crop surpluses. Senator Hattie Caraway of Arkansas, shown at the agricultural committee hearing, is one of those involved in the fight, as Arkansas is a cotton state.



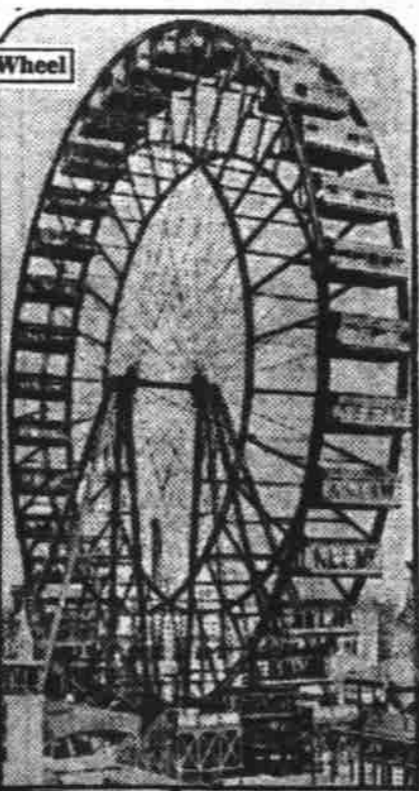
Dick Merrill, well-known aviator who recently made a two-way transatlantic flight, turns to some reel flying now. He is seen in Hollywood going over the script of a movie in which he plays the leading role. Cecil Davis is shown with him.



This informal photo of Mrs. Grace Coolidge, one of the best recent studies of the late president's widow, shows her as she knitted on the porch of a friend with whom she was vacationing at Northport, Me.



On the merry-go-round



Ferris Wheel



At the shooting gallery

Amusement parks this year are having their best season since the depression and the "funny business" is expected to take in nearly half a billion dollars before winter. Coney Island, largest amusement park in the world, has had several days when more than a million jammed its midway and beach.

Traditional diversions such as the merry-go-round, ferris wheel and roller coaster still retain their popularity, but showmen are constantly introducing new thrills to satisfy the public's demand for different and more novel recreations on their outdoor excursions during summer months.



One of the favored entrants for the title of "Miss America, 1937", to be chosen at the annual pageant at Atlantic City, is Miss Phyllis Randall, 21, of Hollywood, striking blonde chosen as "Miss California".



Senator Smith

Secretary Wallace

Demands of southern senators for a 1937 cotton loan program has met with resistance from President Roosevelt who has insisted that crop control measures be legislated if loans are authorized. Adopting a resolution that a 10-cent cotton loan program be adopted, the senate agricultural committee, headed by Senator "Cotton Ed" Smith of South Carolina, recommended a government guarantee of higher prices if the market failed to respond. Senator Smith is shown here at the committee hearing conferring with Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace, champion of the administration crop control program.



Philip J. Hahn

Quizzing Mrs. Anna Hahn

With Mrs. Anna Hahn, 31, of Cincinnati, O., denying all knowledge of the causes of the deaths, authorities investigated a fifth death among Mrs. Hahn's elderly acquaintances, all of whom died under mysterious circumstances. Mrs. Hahn, a former German school teacher, is held on fugitive warrants charging murder and grand larceny. The fifth death came under scrutiny after Mrs. Hahn's husband, shown inset, had turned over to police a half-filled bottle of violent dysenteric poison. Mrs. Hahn is shown being questioned by a detective, above.