Bob Burns Turns Mule Fancier

A Missourian's natural love for his mule—and his affection for his

wife-sends Bob Burns on a hegira from his native Missouri to

London in his new comedy, "I'm From Missouri." He's shown with his favorite mule, "Samson," in a scene from the picture, which will open its local engagement today at the Hollywood theatre.

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 26—(AP)—The usually-prosaic studio call sheet—daily bulletin of production needs— occa-

"The Real Glory-set 3957-floating body on set ready to

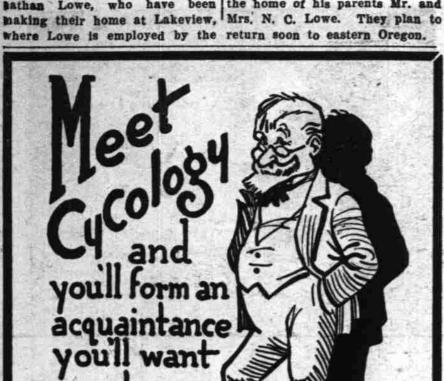
sionally turns up a curiosity-piquing item. Such as this:

As Floating Body Despite Support

Japanese Actor Doesn't Enjoy Role

LOWES VISIT.

E. C. Hall Construction company, Slippers Sought Bathan Lowe, who have been the home of his parents Mr. and



CY COLOGY SEZ

"THE MAN WHO'S TOO BUSY TO MAKE FRIENDS IS SELDOM TOO BUSY TO NEED THEM. WITHOUT BRAGGING. I THINK I'LL PROVE TO BE JUST ABOUT AS INTERESTING AND ENTERTAINING A FRIEND AS YOU'VE MET IN A YEAR OF YESTERDAYS. I'LL BE SEEING YOU IN THE ADS RUN BY -



"Redheads Are Lucky"

By Vera Brown

picture staring out at her from the

Stories about her and Handsome.

"It's awful," she gasped. "I didn't

Downey tried to quiet her.

"But maybe the club won't like

"But how did Calliope find out

"Newspapers have a way of find-

During the afternoon, scores of

day Wish himself dropped in to see

Mike. He found her half hysterical.

"Now, now. Keep your chin up.

dy. "It's terrible, Wish. I'm just

"We must wire Handsome, to-

"By being in love with Handsome.

Come on. Let's say something like

What is there to be so upset about?"

"I didn't realize. . . . "

"Why not? Don't be silly! Of!

Mike went back to work, but the Detroit if Handsome pitched the

hubbub kept up about the counter. second game there. But that might Everybody had to come over to wish be dangerous. The excitement might

Listen, kid, you can't get engaged now on in a three ring circus. Make

"You've got to get used to it. It's what was happening!" She burst

people came in just to see the girl corner. The furniture was pushed

Mike's eyes were black with trag. ice cream and sends me postal cards

think?" Wish did not explain that bed. In the room beyond, Wish was

Wish took Mike off to Bessimer's these boys down. You let the others

night. Here, what do you want to say?" he said pulling some telegraph blanks out of his pocket.

To learn. It would all be part of being Handsome's wife.

Neighbors had begun to arrive in

"I don't know," Mike said wildly, the small apartment, until there was "Oh, Wish! How did I get into all no more room. The newspaper boys

away." Wish scribbled for a little: approval. He nodded. Then Mike "How's this?" He passed the tried to explain:

blank over to her: "Know you'll win two games. Best of luck and love."

As Mike was reading, three pho
That day left a lasting impres-

tographers from the morning news- sion on Mike. She was never to for-

"I came in here to take you to finally went in to talk to Mike.

dinner. Don't you worry about a "You've got to be a good so

every day."

to a chap like Handsome without all up your mind to it."

when Handsome wins two straight not believe him.

The day after Handsome had lost course, you should. It is nothing. his first game on the road, Wish came in to see her at the hotel. It Roy. He's probably wild." was the first time she had seen him since Handsome's spectacular per-formance at the stadium. "How's my favorite red head?" he her happiness. She was weary, her throw Handsome off. Mike, of

asked, his keen blue eyes twinkling. head ached. But it was not until course, could not eat her dinner. "Fine, but lonesome," she said two hours later, when she saw her "I'll drive you home." he said

"The Big Boy doesn't seem to be afternoon newspapers that she realized what she had done.

be all right, I'm sure."
"I wish I were." Wish lit a cigar "I wish I were." Wish lit a cigar and settled down for a wait while she gasped. "Send for Mr. Downey." He came hurrying, surprised at Mike served some customers. He liked her quiet efficiency. She was a pretty sight in her black frock which made her skin seem so white.

When there was a lull, Wish went on where they had been inter-

rupted:
"When are you going to wear
Handsome's ring?"
Mike looked startled.

"It's my business to know

going on for a long time, if he into tears. "It's horrible, being things," Wish said with a grin. clicks." Then he added: "Nothing psychic in "But it. Handsome told me the day he it!" she gasped. "What shall I do?" left town. Just thought you might "DO? Do nothing. There's noth-"DO? Do nothing. There's nothing to do but wear your ring when Handsome wint to the President must feel? Or the Duke of Windsor? You'll get used to it." But Mike did not believe him start wearing it. For the psychological effect on the kid." games."

Mike shook her head: "I will soon. but I'm superstitious. I'm afraid to have people know. Afraid something will happen." She smiled rue-thing will happen." She smiled rue-fully. "Silly, isn't it? I'm as bad such thing, Mr. Downey. Honestly, he accepted. Mike led the way. To-

Wish did not make any comment, ing out things." Downey looked at the arms of more newspaper peoand he left shortly. Next morning Mike came to work Wish had anything to do with that ple and her excited family.

looking eagerly for her letter. It item in the Calliope column. The was not there, but several people old fox! Downey grinned at Mike's way of the crowded apartment. Cameras, flash light bulbs, etc., were They turned out to be newspaper Wish's probable part in the plot. people, and some camera men.
"We've been waiting for you, Handsome was going to marry. The about. They'd been taking pictures.

Miss Shannon," one of them began, even before Mike could read a tele- place was in a turmoil. Later in the gram which stood where her letters always were put. "Is it true you won't let your en-

gagement to Handsome Regan be announced until he wins two games

They crowded around her, and gradually people in the lobby, curious, joined the group around the magazine counter.

"I don't know what you mean?"

"I came in here to take you to the faltered.

"I came in here to take you to dinner. Don't you worry about a "You've got to be a good soldier,"

"Didn't you see Calliope's column

Mike hadn't. She had been too when she was through work. She take your photograph. Remember, busy over the sports pages. There was grateful to be with him, to talk it is Handsome's career." was a pretty scathing article about to him about Handsome. They sat the "Sheik of Charlotte" and his pitching. Somebody handed her the Handsome always chose, and Wish "Now go and wash you umnist's comment:
They say Handsome Regan's
heart won't wear his ring until talked to her quietly.

he wins two games straight. She's the redhead behind the magazine counter at the Eu-The cold print left Mike speech-

"Is the telegram from Handsome?" somebody asked, and Mike this. We want to get this off right won." She looked at Wish for his noticed the yellow envelope held away." Wish scribbled for a little: approval. He nodded. Then Mike

"I don't know." She stared at it.
"Better open it," somebody ad-

Her hands trembled as she tore the wire open:
"O. K. Two games straight, honey

papers arrived. Wish seemed sur-prised to see them, but he called them by name when he introduced out of the apartment and her famand no fooling." (signed) "Handthem to Mike. Somebody took the wire out of her hands. In the general confusion Mr. Downey arrived. "This way, gentlemen," he said. "Miss Shannon Will come up to my office. Come, hand." Thus came instructions from the said. "Miss Shannon Shannon. Take a pencil in your to the newspapers. They have made to the newspapers.

Mike. Burke, you wait until we come back."

In a daze she did as she was ordered. It was her first experience with a newspaper interview.

"How long have you been engaged to Handsome?" somebody asked.

"What does he like to eat? Is it true he gets more fan mail from women than any other player?"

Flash light bulbs blazed. Everybody talked at once. Mr. Downey guided the interview swiftly, Mike hardly knew what was happening.

Mand." Thus came instructions from the candid camera pros.

More photographs. When the pictures were taken, people began coming to their table. Suddenly Mike was again the center of attraction.

"A perfect set-up," Wish thought with pride. Handsome could not have made a better choice. And Wish patted himself on the back for his part in the whole matter. It would be good for days. If..., Wish settled back.... If Handsome did win those two games? It was a nathable with regret. hardly knew what was happening.

Everybody copied the telegram.

Everybody talked fast, and then it was all over. When the reporters dashed for telephones, Mike and Downey were left alone.

"Oh, Mr. Downey, maybe I shouldn't have talked to them!"

win those two games? It was a national name is and be kind. If you must ever say 'no,' say it firmly but with regret. Handsome's chosen to make his living at baseball and all this is part of it. You can make him or break him caught the imagination of the baseball loving public. It was all that was needed to make him news.

Oh, Mr. Downey, maybe I shouldn't have talked to them!"

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For a Cinderella

Ballerina Uorina Is Lost Without Her Lost two Satin Shoes

HOLLYWOOD. Aug. 26 .- (AP)-Cinderella hunts, for the girl to fit the magic slipper, are nothing new. But now it's been reversed. They're seeking the slippers to fit Cinderella.

Cinderella, in this case, is Zorna, the danseuse.

Eight years ago she made her professional debut as a ballerina in London with Anton Dolin Highly supersitious, she's kept the satin dancing shoes she wore that night. They're tattered, but to her they're priceless.

Which is why six stalwarts of the Warner studio police force are on the prowl. So far, they-ve rummaged through 900 pairs of discarded ballet sandals in the wardrobe department. But without suc-

Now they're off on a house-to-house hunt, visiting the homes of 40 girls who appeared in ballet cenes for "On Your Toes."

Zorina, certain one of the girls unintentialally took the prie possessions home with her, almost didn't want to leave on a personal appearance tour until they were found. But the police chief assured her his officers would not relax their vigilance for a mo-

And just to be sure, she posted \$25 reward.

Horses Trample Boy At Multnomah Fair

GRESHAM, Ore., Aug. 26.—(P)
-Three-year-old John Mink was trampled to death by a horse at Multnomah county fair grounds Friday. The youngster went under the hooves of a horse ridden by W. C. Helyer when it

There would be pictures of Mike

listening to the radio broadcast of Handsome's next game. Wish toyed with the idea of flying Mike out to

"I'll drive you home," he said promptly. He had wanted to meet

her family, see what they were like.

garage and were soon driving slow-

ly through the warm, June night.

Take a little advice from an old

"But look at today! I let them do all this and never even realized

spread all over the newspapers like

that. I'm ashamed to meet people."

When they got to the old apart-ment house in Brooklyn, Mike asked

gether the two walked into the

Mike stopped short in the door-

piled around the room. There were

heaps of "dead" bulbs over in the

She hurried on through into the

"Mike, Mike! They took my pic-

"You've got to be a good soldier, Mike. Come on out. You can't turn

"But I hate it! Oh, Wish, if I "Now go and wash your face, fix

your hair. Forward, march!" Wish

felt sorry for the girl. But she had

and girls wanted to see Mike's ring,

ily was there with Wish. The latter

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"No. Not until the two games are

but at that she rebelled.

ture! I told them all about Hand-

some and how he buys me chocolate

bedroom to Jimmie.

"Think how the President must

fellow, Mike. Don't take all this too seriously. You're going to live from

This would be a fine opportunity. They took a cab over to Wish's

crash London society. Burns is in England to save the mule business, threatened by de struction when the English army considers motorizing all its muledrawn conveyances. Gladys is there to defy the aristocratic Gladys' devotion to the rules of one from Missouri.

run through Tuesday.

shoot at 9 a. m.'

The "floating body" turned out to be the Japanese actor. Tetsu Komai, his head shaved, Hollywood Offers clad in the black garments of a Moro chieftain. **Bob Burns Cinema**

"This doesn't appeal to me," he confessed, as he gingerly poked his hand in the water. 'I've died many times in pic-Bob Burns, most noted son of tures. I've been shot, hanged, Van Buren, Arkansas, where all his "kinfolk" live, changes his nativity in his film "I'm from Missouri," which comes to the knifed and beaten. But this is the first time I've been a floating body." He was interrupted with a

'ready?" from the director. "Not quite," replied Paul Widlicska, special effects man. I want to be sure he floats." He produced two long pieces of balsa wood, pulled up Mr. Komai's pants and pushed a piece up each leg.

"Now," he called. Mr. Komai sighed and slid into the tank.

snobs of Mayfair to exclude any- heraldry almost cause a rift, but Bob, as one might guess, fixes everything up in fine fashion.

Call Board

ELSINORE

Today-"The Wizard of Oz" with Judy Garland and Frank Morgan, plus the Dionne quantuplets in "Five Times Five" and latest March of Time.

Wednesday - "Our Leading Citizen" with Bob Burns and Susan Hayward, plus "Torchy Plays With Dynamite" with Jane Wyman and Allen Jenkins.

Saturday-"Each Dawn I Die" with James Cagney and George Raft, plus "Everybody's Hobby" with Henry O'Neill and Irene

GRAND Today - "Chicken Wagon Family" with Jane With-

ers and Leo Carillo. Vednesday-"Stanley and Livingstone" with Spencer Tracy, Nancy Kelly, Richard Greene.

STATE

Today-"Sergeant Madden" with Wallace Beery. "The Kid From Texas" with Denis O'Keefe and Florence Rice. Walt Disney's "Mother Goose Goes Holly-

fonday - "You're Only Young Once" and "Judge Hardy's Children," starring Mickey Rooney and the Hardy family.

dednesday - "Love Finds Andy Hardy" with Judy * Garland and "Out West * With the Hardys" with . Virginia Wiedler.

riday—"The Hardys Ride High" and "Mr. Wong, Detective" with Boris Karloff. .

CAPITOL Today-"They All Come Out" with Rita Johnson and Tom Neal. "Lost Squad- " ron" with Richard Dix and Joel McCrea.

Wednesday-"The Island of Lost Men" with Anna May Wong and Anthony Quinn. . "Boy's Town" with Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney.

Saturday-"The Angels Wash . Their Faces" with Ann Sheridan and the Dead .

Behind the Scenes In Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD-If Orson Welles Meredith prevented that battle doesn't get into a fight over that beard, it will be a wonder. The

hecklers won't leave him alone. At a producer's house the other night, one of Hollywood's most important agents kept nagging Welles until the youthful actorproducer-writer bluntly told him

to "go away and leave me alone." "You'll never make a success in Hollywood," said the agent, "you haven't got the manners."

Spearing him with a glance, Welles replied: "Well, if by any accident I do get on, that will make two of us who have succeeded without any manners."

Then there was that incident at restaurant the other evening, singing. Playful Big Boy Williams tormented Welles until it looked as if they would step outside and fight it out. Peacemaker Burgess

End Kids. "Colorado Sunset" with Gene Autry,

HOLLYWOOD Today-"I'm From Missouri"

With Bob Burns and Gladys George. ednesday-"Riding on Air" with Joe E. Brown, Guy Kibbee and Florence Rice. * "The Great Man Votes" with John Barrymore and

Virginia Wiedler. Saturday-"Spoilers of the Range" with Charles Star- * rett. "Sudden Money" with Charles Ruggles and Marjorie Rambeau.

Raymond Massey was covered with \$1,000,000 from the time he left New York until he reported to work in Eugene, Ore., on the location for "Abe

Lincoln in Illinois." This is what Hollywood calls pre-production insurance. Another policy covers the star until the film is finished.

You are at Warner Brothers watching a scene for "20,006 Years in Sing Sing." It is a two-story cell block.

Lights will be out in a few minutes. One of the prisoners is twanging on a ukulele. Others are

Suddenly, the scene is inter-upted by Director Anatole Litvak. "Didn't I hear somebody singng 'Swanee River'?" he calls. One of the men in the cells

shouts back confirmation. "Well, you'll have to stop it," says Litvak. "Do you want to get us in a lawsuit or put in jail? That song is copyrighted."

Before they take the scene again, the convicts are instructed not to sing the words of any song. . If one got into the picture, and Warner Brothers didn't own the · rights, the studio might have to pay through the nose.

In the number of extras used, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" harks back to the good old days of Griffith and De-Mille. R-K-O will use 3000

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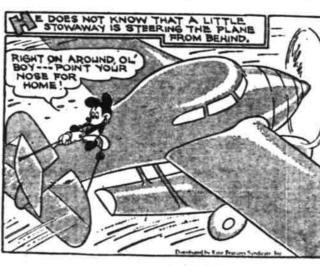












Mrs. Spruce Gets a Lift

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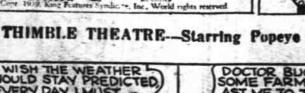
-And the Papers Said Fair and Warmer!





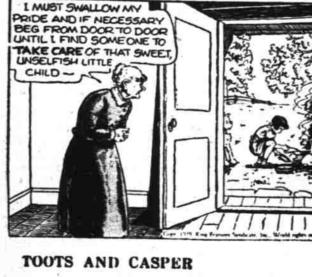












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