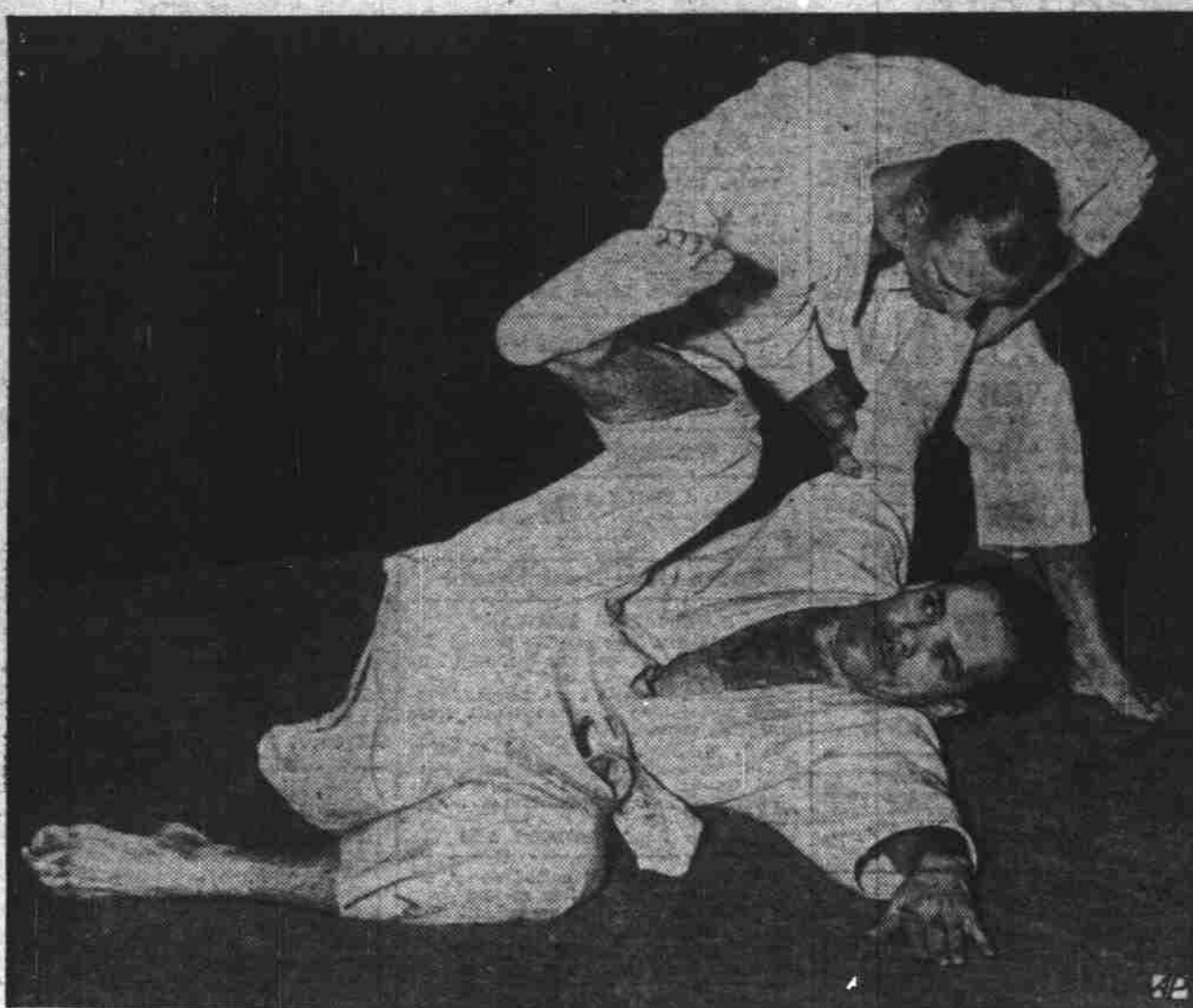


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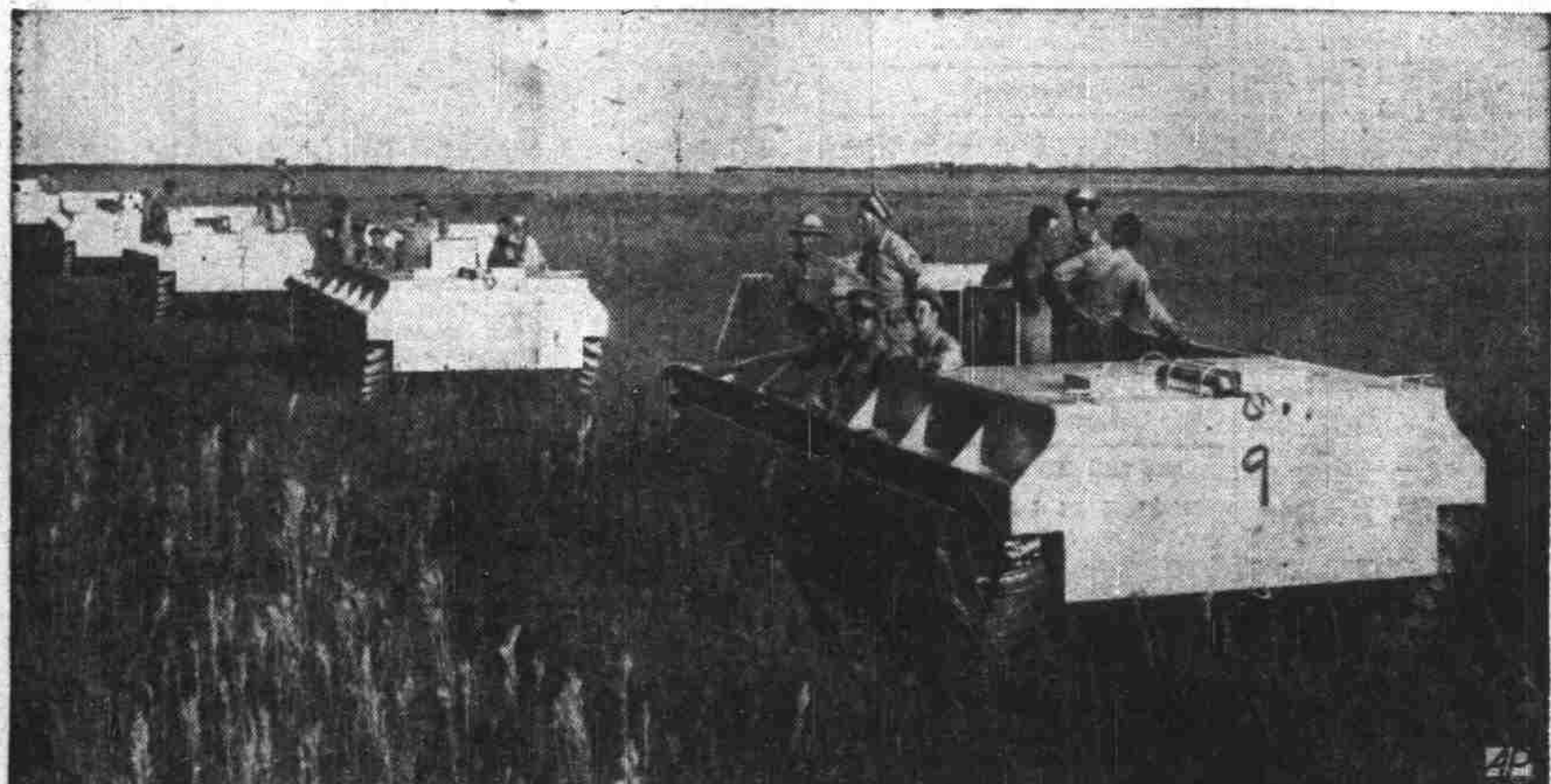
**OUT OF THE WEST**—As comely a lot of cowgirls as ever rode N. Y. ranges will appear in Madison Square Garden rodeo. Left to right, and all contest winners: Marion Rich, 18, Miss West Texas; Ada Ferner, 19, Miss Arizona; Jean Claussen, 18, Miss Northern California; Betty Goodan, 17, Miss Southern California; Marcellaise Rich, 19, Miss Texas; Mary Mercier, 19, Miss Sun Valley.



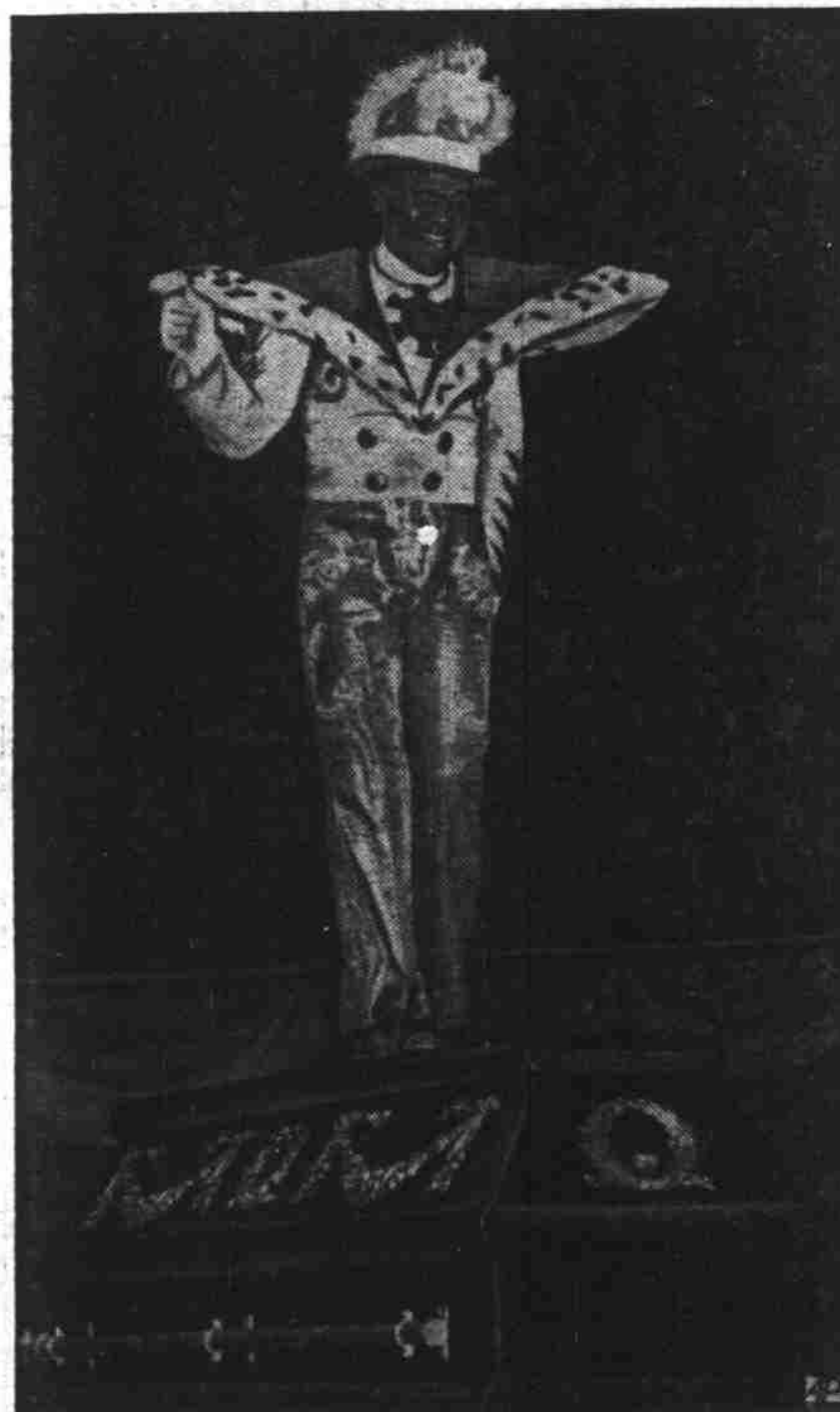
**PREPAREDNESS POLICY**—Window Cleaner Al Oromaner (standing), who scales skyscraper heights in Rockefeller Center, N. Y., never meets any thugs who want to argue with him on a window ledge 20 stories up, but that doesn't mean Oromaner isn't prepared. He's a Ju-jitsu expert in his spare time and can handle almost any opponent. This is but a practice session.



**'DOGWATCH' AT PINE CAMP**—No place in the fire station at Pine Camp, N. Y., home of the Fourth armored division, is as home-like to Izzy, the duck, as the big suction hose. Izzy and Nicky, the pup, are mascots of the fire station.



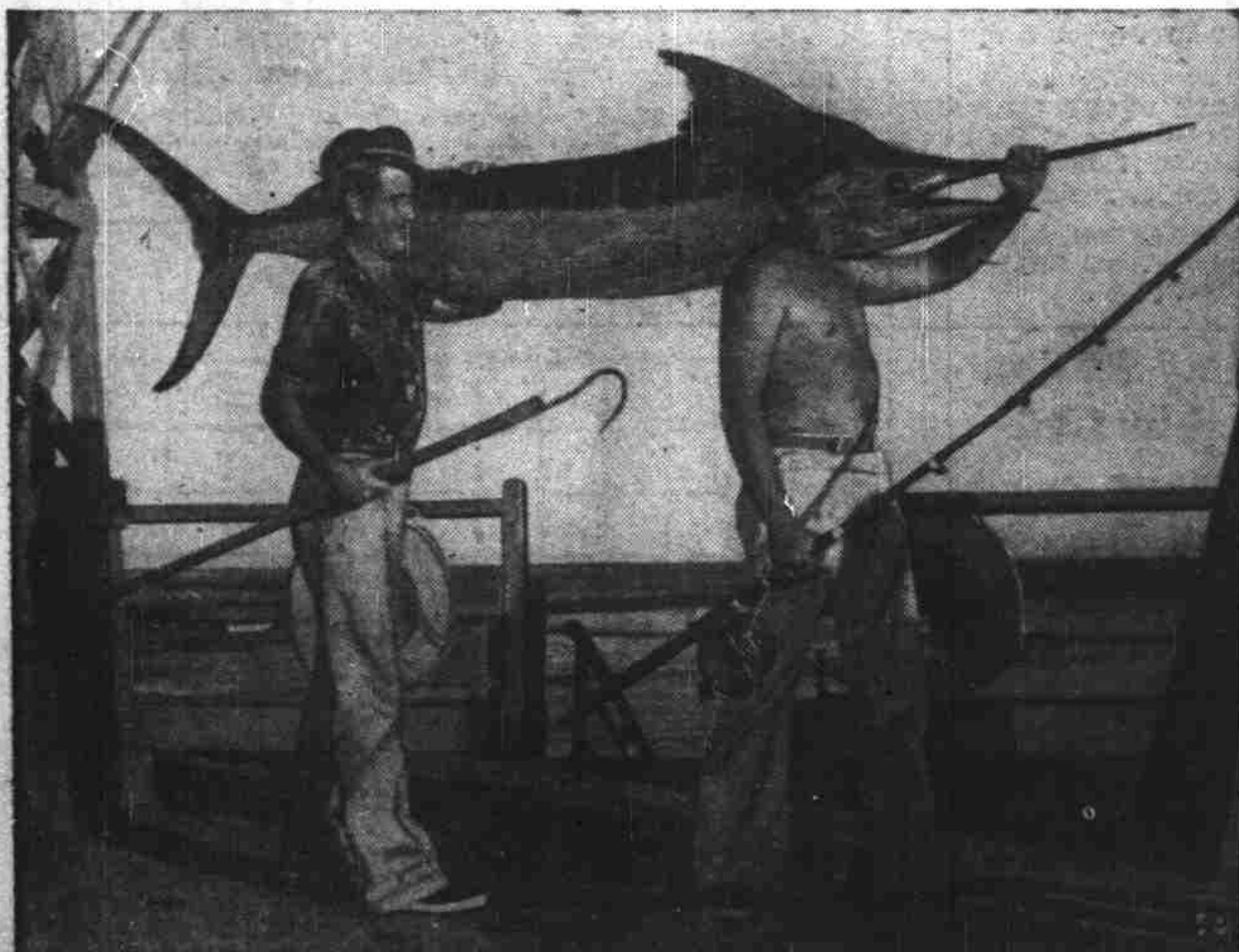
**YOU SHOULD SEE THEM IN WATER**—Heading for the sea off Dunedin, Fla., several Roebeling amphibian tanks prove they're landlubbers, too. The rough-riding tanks can carry 40 men, operate in mud, water and on land. Donald Roebeling invented them.



**TAPS BY BOJANGLES**—To the tune of "When That Man Is Dead and Gone," Bill (Bojangles) Robinson tap-danced on a coffin at a rally staged in N. Y. by Fight for Freedom, Inc., and attended by 17,000 persons who in the course of the evening saw the swastika-marked mock funeral procession, went through a snook air raid, and heard speeches by Wilkie, Knudsen, LaGuardia.



**LEFT HIS MARK**—A mere 40,000,000 years ago a rhinoceros made footprints that have just turned up in this 600-pound sandstone slab unearthed in the Hat Creek basin near Lusk, Wyo., by a paleontological field party of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences. The "rhino" is now extinct, say scientists. Left to right at the slab are Jon Dixon and Edwin Davis.



**PROOF OF THE FISHING**—For 36 minutes Gilbert Schneider (left) battled this 171-pound marlin swordfish off Santa Catalina, using rod and reel. Lyle Bagnard (right) was gaff-man.



**LAW CHOICE**—Walter F. Armstrong (above), 57, who has been practicing law in Memphis, Tenn., since 1908, is new president of the American Bar Association, named at its convention in Indianapolis. He succeeds Jacob M. Lashly of St. Louis.



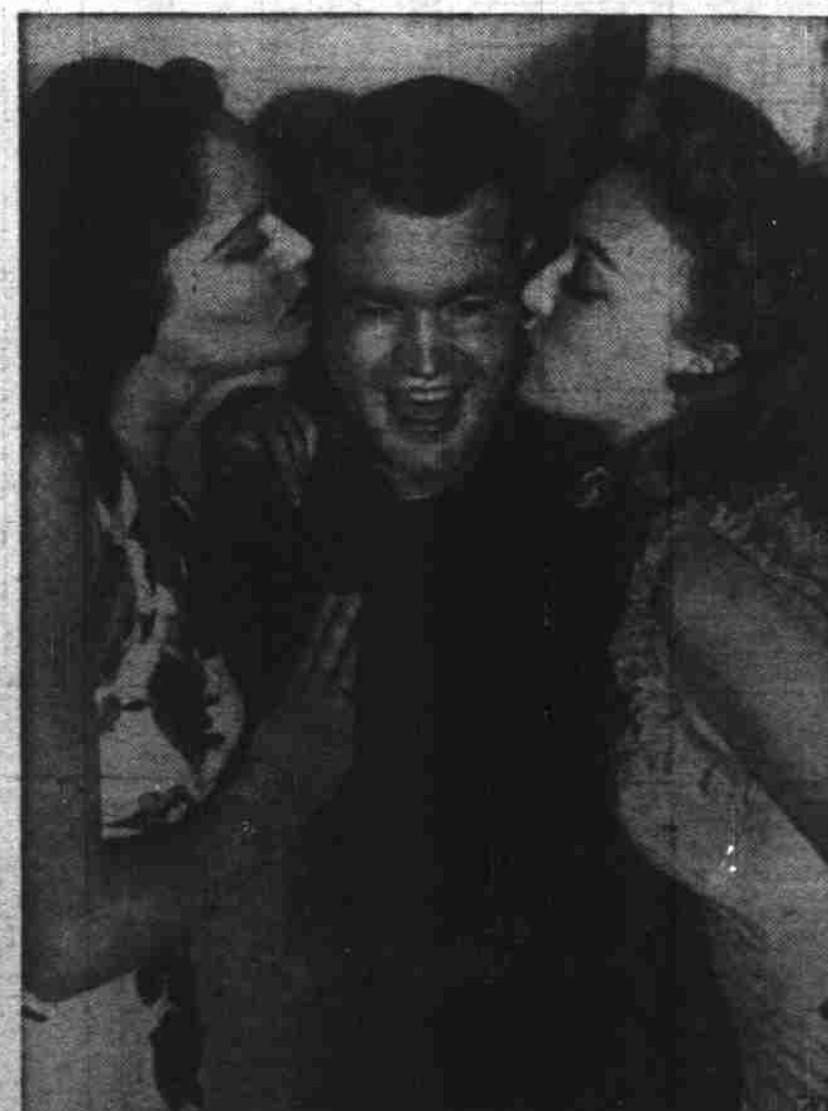
**GOOD INFLUENCE**—Because 27 pigeons in the U.S. Army Signal Corps exhibit at the Civilian and National Defense Exposition in N. Y. were pining, Miss (above), Corps' handsome red checker-homing pigeon was sent from Fort Monmouth, N. J.



**FIRST TIME**—Two new associate justices, James F. Byrnes (left) and Robert H. Jackson (right), took their places on the U.S. Supreme Court bench for the first time Oct. 8 when the court's fall session began, with Harlan Fiske Stone as chief justice.



**ROMANCE?**—This is Thurkel (Turk) Greenough, 36, the rugged rodeo rider from Red Lodge, Mont., whose name has been linked (by Sally) romantically with that of Sally Rand.



**EXTRA SPECIAL**—When Leslie Norman of Tacoma, Wash., saw some sailors walking through the front gate of a movie studio in Hollywood he just followed them in, and what happened? He got on the set of a navy film, played in one scene before being discovered and even collected above handsome pay for his work as an "extra" from Barbara Slater (left), Katherine Booth.



**QUEEN**—California fig growers had a queen, shapely Dolores Hunter of Fresno, to reign during California Figarden Day, as part of the jolly events at Fresno county fair.