

THE WORLD WITH A FENCE

A New Novel by Marian Sims

SYNOPSIS: With the support of Denis Ford, Carol Torrance just has got through a bad scene with one Sam Gates, the bad boy of Ashboro whom Carol has had to have expelled from the high school, in which she teaches. Besides Denis, who loves her but whom Carol will not marry, there is another problem on her hands. He is Mike Hannigan, son of a "hot head" but extremely handsome. Mike is trying to steer the straight and narrow but his face and figure start half the high school girls on his trail.

Chapter 13

THE LITTLE BLONDE

THE little blonde, whose name was Annabel Monroe, said to Mike Hannigan:

"How far does the lesson for tomorrow go?"

Mike told her, patiently. She was the dumbest cluck he'd ever seen about keeping the place. He wondered if she was deaf or anything.

As they left the classroom Annabel was under his elbow. She said pathetically: "Why don't you ever pay me any mind, Mike?"

Mike turned and stared down at her. Annabel's father was a big merchant, and he was the son of a lint head: why on earth should he pay her any mind? He grinned, a little crookedly.

"Because I know where I belong."

She made a petulant face at him.

"You sure are dumb. You belong wherever you want to go."

That was a new idea. He sniffed it suspiciously and decided to let it sit there. He said deliberately:

est boy in school." She clinched it with: "He plays fullback on the team."

The fact that Annabel had asked permission should have warned Mr. Monroe, but it didn't. He went back to Roosevelt's speech on the NRA.

"And so," Annabel smiled into Mike's clouded blue eyes, "I'm going to save Saturday night for you. Don't forget, now."

He turned his back on her and went to his history class. For the first time since school started he forgot the answer to a question Miss Torrance asked him, and he took no part in the discussions. Annabel sat across the aisle from him, with her slim legs crossed under the desk, and the entire length of her thigh outlined. He raised beseeching eyes to Miss Torrance, and Carol caught the appeal in them and felt dread rising to muddy her thinking.

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SOVIET SOLDIER KILLED IN SKIRMISH WITH JAPS

TOKYO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A communique from the Japanese army general headquarters at Hsinking, Manchoukuo, tonight announced a Soviet Russian cavalryman had been

killed in a Japanese-Soviet skirmish on the eastern Manchoukuo border, near Tunpung.

The communique said the skirmish occurred on Manchoukuo territory.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Rioting broke out in Changtu, Chinese reports said here today, as an aftermath to the killing of two Japanese.

Mobs smashed windows of stores allegedly handling Japanese merchandise, the reports stated.

Eagle Signs For Play With Pros

EUGENE, Aug. 27.—(AP)—It was learned here today that Alex Eagle, former University of Oregon tackle, had signed with the Brooklyn Dodgers of the national professional football league.

Eagle, a San Francisco boy, was a letter of strength for the Webfoots in 1932, 33, and 34.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS—By JOHN HIX

For further proof address the author, inclosing a stamped envelope for reply. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.



THE WOMAN "SMOKE-EATER"
ANNE "NANCY" ALLEN-COWPERT, R.I., CHIEF OF THE CEDAR HILL FIRE DEPARTMENT—IS THE ONLY ACTIVE WOMAN FIRE CHIEF IN THE WORLD!

CAMELS WERE USED AS BEASTS OF BURDEN IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, Canada, AND WERE EQUIPPED WITH LEATHER BOOTS TO PROTECT THEIR FEET... 1862-63

BURIAL GROUNDS OF A LANGUAGE
ANCIENT HEBREWS HELD THEIR LANGUAGE SO SACRED THAT ANY WRITTEN MATTER WAS NEVER THROWN AWAY BUT REVERENTLY BURIED...

THE VENUS FLOWER BASKET—A SPONGE FOUND OFF EASTERN ASIA, ATTAINS A HEIGHT OF 3 FEET AND IS COMPOSED OF INTERWOVEN SILICA, CLOSELY RESEMBLING A WOVEN BASKET...

Though there are several so-called women fire chiefs in various parts of the country, they hold their titles in much the same honorary capacity as the numerous "Kentucky Colonels" and "Admirals of the Great Navy of Nebraska."

Miss Allen is also an expert airplane pilot and a first aid instructor for the American Red Cross.

Camel Boots.

Strange as it seems, camels were used by the U. S. war department in 1866 as transports for the army in the southwest desert areas. For this purpose 75 camels were imported from Egypt and Asia Minor but the experiment was finally dropped.

In her capacity as one of the three state fire wardens of Kentucky, Rhode Island, Fire Chief Allen received considerable commendation for her work recently in saving six men who were overcome by heat and smoke while engaged in combatting a brush fire.

The trails over which the camel joute ran were covered with gravel and sharp rocks, causing the camels to become so footsore that they were unable to walk. To remedy this, their owners had leather boots made which the camels wore until the caravan service was discontinued after surviving about a year.

Tomorrow: Cemeteries as Laboratories.

CAMERA WALK

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



SEES OUT FOR BRISK COUNTRY WALK WITH WIFE

HEARS CALL, 100 YARD BACK, FROM WIFE WHO HAS STOPPED TO RELOAD HER CAMERA

WIFE GETTING INTO DIFFICULTIES, WALKS BACK AND RELOADS IT FOR HER

SEES OUT AGAIN

KEEPS STOPPING TO WAIT WHILE WIFE MAKES LITTLE DETOURS TO BE SURE SHE ISN'T MISSING ANY PICTURE WORTH TAKING

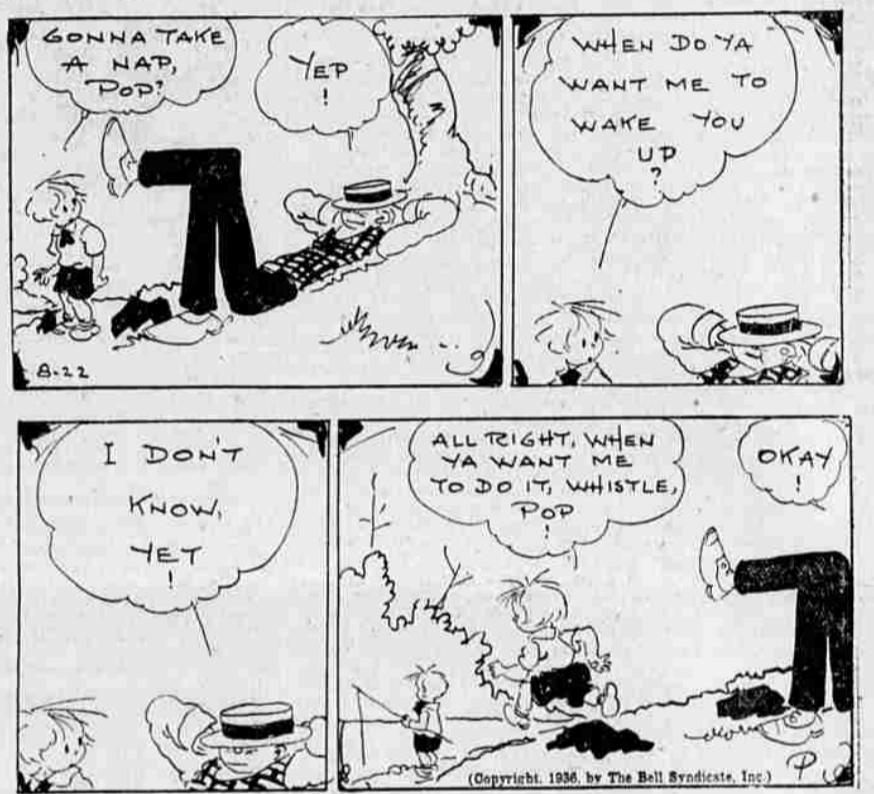
MUTTERS TO HIMSELF HE'S GETTING TIRED OF STANDING AROUND AND STRIDES ON

SEES FAR AHEAD WHEN WIFE CALLS HIM BACK, BECAUSE SHE WANTS TO TAKE HIM AGAINST THIS BIRCH TREE

LAST EXPOSURE HAVING BEEN USED, STARS ON, WIFE WORRYING DURING REST OF WALK WHETHER SHE TURNED FILM EACH TIME

MATTER POP—

By C. M. PAYNE



GONNA TAKE A NAP, POP!

YEP!

WHEN DO YA WANT ME TO WAKE YOU UP?

I DON'T KNOW, YET!

ALL RIGHT, WHEN YA WANT ME TO DO IT, WHISTLE, POP!

OKAY!

TAILSPIN TOMMY—Violet Has an Alibi

THE TWO SKY BANDITS WERE DISCUSSING A PLAN TO FLY AWAY TO NEW QUARTERS, UNWARE THAT VIOLET, GIRL MEMBER OF THE GANG, WAS COVERTLY LISTENING... SKEETER OPENED THE DOOR OF THE RANCH HOUSE AND STUMBLE OVER THE GIRL...



YOU... YOU CLUMSY CLOWN!

SORRY... I WANTED TO TELL YOU... SOUP'S ON...

S-AY... WOT WERE YOU HIDIN' FOR?

SH-H-W... COME ON INTO THE KITCHEN...

I JUST WANTED TO SATISFY MYSELF THAT SPIKE WASN'T GOING TO DOUBLE-CROSS ME...

HOW?

THAT'S NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS, HOSEY... AND IF YOU TELL SPIKE... I'LL CALL YOU A LIAR... AND TELL HIM TO BREAK YOU IN HALF...

YES'M... ERR... I MEAN NO, MA'AM.

BEN WEBSTER'S CAREER—Second Victim!

LISTEN, MRS. MONTROSE, I GOT ONE OF THEM TIED UP IN THE SMOKE HOUSE, BUT THE OTHERS ARE FINISHED AND THEY'LL SOON BE UP HERE—

NO—

GET UP, YOU REPTILE!

AND WHEN YOU GET HIM WELL ROPED, BEN, DRAG HIM OUT OF THIS HOUSE!

THIS ALL RIGHT, MRS. MONTROSE?

A LITTLE NEARER THE GARBAGE PAIL, BEN—THANK YOU—



JUST WHAT YOU SO UNFRIENDLY? IT CAN'T BE THAT YOUR BROTHER-IN-LAW'S VISIT HAS GOT YOU HATING EVERYBODY? I'LL NEVER FORGET HIS FIRST VISIT TO YOU—

YOU PUT RED DOTS ALL OVER YOUR FACE AND FRAMED IT WITH THE DOCTOR THAT YOU HAD SMALL POX, AND ERVIE ALREADY HAD HAD SMALL POX AND CAME IN AND SAT WITH YOU EVERY DAY AND IT TOOK YOU ABOUT A WEEK TO SCRUB THOSE DOTS OFF—

AND IN THE MEAN-TIME YOU HAD TO STAY IN BED AND HE SAT WITH YOU EVERY DAY... HE LIKES YOU AND TRIES TO DO THINGS FOR YOU, BUT YOU'RE SO UNAPPRECIATIVE

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Pear Market Yesterday

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—(AP-USA)—Pear sections: 17 cars arrived, 14 California, 8 Oregon, 1 New Mexico unloaded; 7 on track; California Bartlett's, \$1.80-\$2.20, average \$2.54; Oregon Bartlett's, 782 boxes extra fancy \$2.05-\$2.55, average \$2.30; 2104 fancy \$1.85-\$2.00, average \$2.10; Washington Bartlett's 720 boxes extra fancy \$1.55-\$1.95, average \$1.84.

Matanuska Too Civilized

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Aug. 27.—(AP) Even the Matanuska valley federal farm colony is too "civilized" for Olaf Halverson of Warren, Minn., who announced today he will leave next week to spend the winter with Eskimos at Bethel, on the Kuskokwim river.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

Portland Fandom Lax In Support

PORTLAND, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Warned by Coach Prink Callison of the University of Oregon that small crowds here would drive northwest football teams back to California for their big games, a group of Portland football fans banded together today to make Portland more football-conscious than ever before.

The group, headed by Bob Mautz, former Webfoot gridiron great, has set crowds of 25,000 to 35,000 for each of Portland's seven big games as their goal.

Portraits With Beads

TOLEDO—(UP)—Design making with beads became a hobby, then a business, with Solomon Ratener, who fled Russia at the time of the Japanese war. Ratener trims with beads such things as slippers and belts, but his favorite work is a portrait of George Washington.